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AAPS Special Program at ASHA

The American Association of Phonetic Sciences will hold its annual meeting on Friday, November 21, Room 203, Hynes Convention Center, 7:00pm-10:00pm. The Business Meeting will be held from 7:00pm-7:30pm, during which time Bob Orlikoff will pass the presidency of the association over to Jenny Hoit. A special program honoring Thomas Shipp, past president of AAPS, will follow the business meeting. Julie Barkmeier, Tom Hixon, Tom Murry and Ron Netsell, among others, will discuss Dr. Shipp's contribution to the phonetic sciences. This will be a rather informal gathering and will offer a unique opportunity for those scientists who will be at ASHA to get together for academic and scientific exchange. The evening will conclude with a social hour.

Please make a special effort to attend this AAPS meeting to show your support for the organization and the field of phonetic sciences.

Meeting of the American Association of Phonetic Sciences

Time: 7:00 p.m. Friday November 21, 1997

Place: Room 203 Hynes Convention Center

Future Meetings of Interest to AAPS Members

(Only U.S. Meetings Listed. Many thanks to foNETiks for this information. Please see the Nov 1997 of foNETiks issue for a complete listing of upcoming world meetings.)

Dates	Meeting
14 - 16 February 1998	24th Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistics Society BLS24, Parasession: Phonological Universals and Phonetics. bls@socrates.berkeley.edu, http://www.linguistics.berkeley.edu/lingdept/research/BLS/BLS.html
13 - 15 March 1998	The 1998 Conference of the Texas Linguistics Society "Exploring the Boundaries Between Phonetics & Phonology", The University of Texas at Austin.0 (8/97) http://uts.cc.utexas.edu/~tls/
16 - 18 April 1998	The XXVIII Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages (LSRL28), Penn State University. LRSL@psu.edu, http://www.psu.edu/lrsl
8 - 10 May, 1998	"Semantics and Linguistic Theory", M.I.T. (7/97) salt8@mit.edu
8 - 10 June 1998	9th Annual Meeting of TENNET (Theoretical & Experimental Neuropsychology), Montreal, Canada. tennet@uqam.ca
1 - 7 August 1999	ICPhS99, XIVth International Congress of Phonetic Sciences, San Francisco, USA. http://trill.berkeley.edu/ICPhS

ICPhS 99

The 14th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences (ICPhS) will take place in San Francisco on 1-7 August 1999. The venue will be the Cathedral Hill Hotel which is centrally located with easy access by foot and/or by cable car to Union Square, City Hall, Japantown, and Chinatown. Since its beginning in 1932 in Amsterdam, ICPhS has become the premier international forum for the exchange of results on basic research on the workings of speech. As with past congresses, ICPhS 99 will have a varied program with plenaries, symposia, and contributed papers (oral and poster), commercial exhibits, as well as a variety of social events and touristic opportunities. ICPhS 99 will be a special meeting since it will be the first time this congress will be held in the United States and it

will be the last such congress in this century and millennium. ICPhS 99, like its predecessors, will be an interdisciplinary meeting, and will welcome work from linguistics, communication disorders (speech science), psychology, speech technology, and language teaching which contributes to our understanding of how speech works. Details on abstract submission will be issued around December 1997 in the official call for papers. The expected deadline for abstracts will be in October 1998. Contact us at the addresses below to be sure to be on the ICPhS 99 mailing lists (regular and e-mail) in order to receive regular updated information.

We would be pleased to cooperate with anyone wishing to organize a satellite meeting around the time of ICPhS 99. We will provide a menu of local meeting sites with their capacities and estimated costs (if any) and will advertise such meetings in our promotional material (and webpage) as soon as we receive it. Contact the organizers at the addresses given below.

E-mail: icphs99@trill.berkeley.edu
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Yoko Hasegawa
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AAPS WEB SITE

AAPS now has a web site, or at least the start of one. Thanks to Jim Mahshie and Tim Brunnell, the AAPS Home Page is available for member perusal and input. The site is still very much under construction but stop by and see how it is progressing. Hopefully, all of the pieces will be coming together very soon. You may want to drop Jim or Tim an email with suggestions.
Address: <http://www.gallaudet.edu:80/~aapsjm/index.html>

Interesting Web Sites

Subscribe to foNETiks

FoNETiks has been published in electronic form for nine years. It contains a variety of material including announcements, position vacancies, positions wanted and book reviews that should be of interest to all phoneticians. You can subscribe to it by sending an email to with phrase "join fonetiks your firstname your lastname" in the body of the message to mailbase@mailbase.ac.uk. The foNETiks archives can be found at <http://www.mailbase.ac.uk/lists-f-j/fonetiks/>. The IPA website can be found at <http://www.arts.gla.ac.uk/IPA/ipa.html>.

SpeechLinks

This Speech Technology Hyperlinks Page claims to be the biggest list of speech technology links available. The links are provided to WWW references, ftp sites, and newsgroups. Cross-references to the comp.speech WWW pages are also provided.

Numbers of links: Total Links: 639

439 links to WWW sites

178 links to ftp sites

22 links to newsgroups

WEB Address:

<http://fortis.speech.su.oz.au/comp.speech/SpeechLinks.html>

Speech Tutorials

A page from The duPont Hospital for Children of the University of Delaware features tutorials on speech processing on the following topics: Acoustics - Introductory notes on acoustics.; Production - Introductory note on speech production and Synthesis - Exercises and interfaces to the Klatt (1980) Synthesizer.

According to Tim Brunnell these topics are intended to aid instruction in acoustic phonetics and speech science. They are under almost constant revision and expansion. Comments, suggestions, questions, or problems are welcome.

WEB Address:

<http://www.asel.udel.edu/speech/tutorials/>

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THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHONETIC SCIENCES

The purpose of the American Association of Phonetic Sciences (AAPS) is to encourage research in phonetic sciences, to promote cooperative research among scholars and scientists interested in this area and to provide a forum for the exchange and development of information and ideas about phonetic sciences. In this regard, AAPS meets once a year in the Fall (usually in conjunction with either the Acoustical Society of America meeting or the annual convention of the American Speech - Language Hearing Association) at which time a scientific/technical session is held along with the annual business meeting. In addition, twice a year AAPS publishes a newsletter in which the current news and business of the association is printed, it also is a forum for members to express their views on various contemporary issues in phonetics.

Any individual who works in phonetics or has a fundamental interest in this discipline may become a member of the association. The requirements for membership are nomination by two current members, approval by the AAPS Executive Committee and payment of dues (\$15.00 annually). There is another class of membership available; in this case for students enrolled in a regular academic program leading to a degree in phonetics or a related field at a recognized college or university. The requirements for becoming an AAPS student member are completion of the membership form, signature by the student's advisor and payment of dues (\$5.00 annually).

To become a member of AAPS it is only necessary to fill out (please type or print) the form on the reverse side and obtain the signatures of two AAPS members; to become a student member, it is only necessary to complete the form with a single signature --that of your advisor. Send the form to:

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Executive Secretary
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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHONETIC SCIENCES**

I wish to become a (member) (student member) of AAPS.

Name _____
Title _____
Affiliation _____
Preferred Mailing Address _____

Phone _____ Date _____
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Please mail with your check for either \$15.00 (member) or \$5.00 (student member) to

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Call for Materials

All AAPS members are invited and urged to submit materials for the newsletter. Possible areas for material submission include Abstracts/Research Notes, Association news, personal news etc. We would like very much to publish abstracts of manuscripts that are in press or appear in proceedings of national or international meetings as many of these fail to find their way into print. Abstracts of theses and dissertations are also sought. Bibliographies of specific topics is encouraged.

Other topics include a listing of new books in phonetics, notices of upcoming meetings, conventions and conferences. Please provide details about dates, times, places etc. Letters to the Editor are encouraged about any issue in phonetic sciences or about the organization.

Materials should be submitted to the editor either by regular mail or by e-mail (preferred).

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