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We are pleased to announce that in **September from Monday, 8th, to Saturday, 13th, 2014, a Seminar on Pāṇini grammar** will take place at the Department of Philology, Literature and Linguistics of the University of Cagliari, Italy.

Subject:

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS of COMPOUNDS (between grammar and poetics).

The topic will be investigated in the more general framework of the specificities of Pāṇini linguistic analysis and derivational system. The Seminar is especially meant for PhD's and Master students interested in acquiring some basic knowledge of this technical tradition and of its wider implications.

Interveners:

Prof. Saroja **BHATE** (Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Pune)

Dr. Maria Piera **CANDOTTI** (University of Lausanne)

Dr. Tiziana **PONTILLO** (University of Cagliari)

Programme:

Monday 8th September

9.30-11.00 Presentation of programme. Pāṇini's model of derivation and composition.

11.30-13.00 Vyākaraṇa as a Vedāṅga. Its specificities (esp. vs *nirvacana*)

15.30-17.00 Basic units in Pāṇini and their repertoires

17.30-18.30 Office Hour

Thursday 9th September

9.30-11.00 Derived units (*pada*, BHA, *aṅga*)

11.30-13.00 Functions and limits of grammatical analysis. The border between grammar and lexicon

15.30-17.00 Morpho-syntactic categories: *kāraka*; *upapada*.

17.30-18.30 Office Hour

Wednesday 10th september

9.30-11.00 Deverbal morphology: verbal forms and *kṛt* derivation

11.30-13.00 *Taddhita* derivation

Free afternoon

Tuesday 11th September

9.30-11.00 Optionality and the role of meaning in Pāṇini's grammar

11.30-13.00 Introduction to compounds; *tatpuruṣa*

15.30-17.00 Continues: *karmadhāraya*, *dvigu*, *āmreḍita* and *avyayībhāva*

17.30-18.30 Office Hour

Friday 12th September

9.30-11.00 Compounds: *bahuvrīhi*

11.30-13.00 The language described by Pāṇini: semantics and attention to actual usage

15.30-17.00 The so-called comparative compounds.

17.30-18.30 Office Hour

Saturday 13th September

9.30-11.00 Comparative compounds in Bharṭṛhari

11.30-13.00 Comparative compounds in *alaṅkāra* tradition

Free afternoon

A basic knowledge of the morphology of the old Indian languages is requested.

We kindly ask to confirm your presence not later than **July 15th, 2014**, by writing to Dr. Pontillo (pontillo@unica.it).