THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON OLD MANDE MANUSCRIPTS

Conveners: Dmitry Bondarev & Darya Ogorodnikova

Monday 9 May – Tuesday 10 May 2016

CSMC, University of Hamburg, Warburgstraße 26, D-20354 Hamburg

PROGRAMME

9 May

9:30 – 9:45 Welcome and general introduction

9:45 – 11:00 Darya Ogorodnikova: presentation of newly discovered data, fieldwork in Senegal, languages identified in manuscripts.

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 – 13:00 Linguistic properties of the Soninke glosses: the session based on the material distributed among the participants.

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 16:00 Dmitry Bondarev and Darya Ogorodnikova: Presenting the project “African voices in Islamic manuscripts from Mali” (UHH/ CSMC/ GHS) (an informal talk with participation of Tal Tamari and Samby Khalil Magassouba).

16:00 – 17:00 Nikolay Dobronravin, ‘Islamic and West African realities in the Arabic/Old Mande manuscripts’.

19:00 Dinner

10 May

9:30 – 11:15 Session on multilingualism and variation in the Soninke and other Mande glosses.

11:15 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:30 Tal Tamari, ‘A study of the glosses in the manuscript BNF Arabe 5670’.

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 16:00 Practical session: writing a joint paper on linguistic properties of Soninke manuscripts. Planning for the next year.

Discussants to include: Artem Davydov • Tatiana Nikitina • Henning Schreiber • Lameen Souag