PROGRAM FOR CHEIRON 1989

Thursday, June 15th

3:30- 5 pm Work in Progress Chair: James Capshew (University of Maryland)

"Psychological Testing in the Canadian Army During WWII: A Critical Analysis" by Katalin Dzinas (York University)

"The Early History of the 'Ego' Concept" by Arthur Scott Greer (York University)

"Helen Bradford Thompson Woolley" by Katharine S. Milar (Earlham College)

"The Pleasure of Serendipity in Historical Research: On Finding 'Stereotype' in Morier's (1824) Hajji Baba" by Floyd W. Rudmin (Queen's University)

7:30 Cash Bar and Informal Reception

Friday, June 16th

7:45-8:30 am Breakfast

9-10:45 am Paper Session: Conflict, Success, and Failure

Chair: Laurel Furumoto (Wellesley College)

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The Rise and Fall of the Downey Will-Tempermament Test: 10-10:30 Forgotten Chapter in the Development of American Personality Research" by James D. A. Parker (York University)

Discussant: Deb Coon (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute) 10:30 .

10:45 11:15am -12:30 Invited Address

Chair: Michael Sokal (Worcester Polytechnic Institute)

"Science, Politics, and the Cold War" by Greta Jones (University of Ulster, Jordanstown)

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Friday, June 16 (cont'd)

12:30-1:30 Lunch

2:00-4:30 Symposium: L.S. Vygotsky: Some Aspects of His Importance

Chair:

Ian Lubek (University of Guelph)

Organizer:

Douglas A. Bors (University of Toronto)

Participants: Douglas A. Bors

Milos Duranyik (Ontario Institute for

Studies in Education)

Dmitry A. Leontiev (Moscow State University)

Serge Netchine (CNRS) Gaby Netchine-Grynberg (CNRS)

5:15 Boat Excursion and Dinner

Saturday, June 17th

7:45-8:30 am Breakfast

9-10:45 am Paper Session: Experimental Psychology

Chair: John Mills (University of Saskatchewan)

"Species Nonidentifications Within Titles as a Tool to Understand the Growth of Comparative Psychology" by Jeanne M. Slattery (Slippery Rock University) and Randall M. Potter (Clarion University)

"Hull and His Critics: The Reception of Clark Hull's Behavior Theory, 1943-1960" by Sandra Webster (Univ. of New Hampshire)

"Robert S. Woodworth's Experimental Psychology: The Columbia Bible" by Andrew S. Winston (University of Guelph)

Discussant: Franz Samelson (Kansas State University)

11:15 am -12:30pm Paper Session: Diagnosing the 'Subnormal' Mind

Chair: Raymond Fancher (York University)

"The Binet-Simon Scale of Intelligence: Text and Context" by John Carson (Princeton University)

"Mental Deficients Fighting Fascism: The Unplanned Normalization of World War II" by Steven Gelb (York University)

Discussant: Leila Zenderland (California State University, Fullerton)

12:30-1:30 Lunch

2-3:45 Paper Session: War and The History of Psychology

Chair: Richard T. von Mayrhauser (Slippery Rock University)

"Fighters of the Word: The Ideology of German Psychologists in WWI and Its Effect on Postwar German Psychology" by Eckart Scheerer (University Bielefeld)

"Psychology and The Military: A Historical Comparison" by Kurt Danziger (York University)

"Drives Toward War" by Nancy K. Innis (Duke University)

4:15-5:30 Ancient and Medieval Approaches to Psychological Phenomena

Chair: Elizabeth Scarborough (SUNY College at Fredonia)

"Psychological Concepts Under Changing Social Conditions in Ancient Egypt" by Noel W. Smith (SUNY at Plattsburgh)

"The History of Explanations of the Moon Illusion" by Helen E. Ross (University of Stirling) and Cornelius Plug (University of South Africa)

7:00 Banquet

Sunday, June 18th

7:45-8:30 am Breakfast

9-10:45 am Paper Session: Border Crossings -- National, Disciplinary, Etc.

Chair: Horace Marchant (Westfield State College)

"George Herbert Mead: Psychologist or Sociologist? (The Implications of a Mislabeled Scholar)" by Ty Callahan (Kansas State University)

"Wilhelm Von Humbolt and North American Ethnolinguistics, Boas to Hymes" by E. F. Konrad Koerner (University of Ottawa)

"William Stern's Impressions of Psychology in America, 1909 and 1929" by Wilfred Schmidt (University of Alberta)

11:15-12:15 Business Meeting

12:30-1:30 pm Lunch