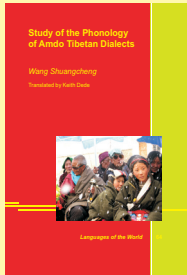


## Study of the Phonology of Amdo Tibetan Dialects

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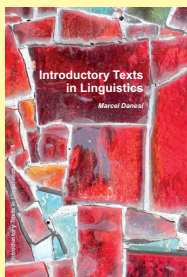
Based on the first-hand investigation, the book—*Study of the Phonology of Amdo Tibetan Dialects* systematically studies the modern phonology of Amdo Dialects and their developments. Its major contribution lies in the following aspects:

1. It is the first academic work to comprehensively study the phonology of Tibetan Amdo dialect.
2. It puts forward a new view on the internal classification of Amdo dialects;
3. It solves some problems on aspirated fricative, uvular consonants and nasal consonants through analysis of them, thus providing reference for the study of the relationship between Chinese and Tibetan in history;
4. It discovers suprasegmental phonemes in Maduo dialect in transition zone of Amdo and Kham Tibetan areas, which is of great significance for further understanding of tones in Tibetan.

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## Parerga Baltica

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Im vorliegenden Band werden dem interessierten Publikum Texte zu verschiedenen baltistischen Fragen angeboten. Der Verfasser untersucht die angeblich polnischen und litauischen Wörter im altpreußischen Vokabular Simon Grunaus und die Frage der lexikalischen Pruthenismen im Litauischen.

Aus historisch-vergleichender und typologischer Perspektive werden der Dual und das Genus im Baltischen betrachtet. Behandelt werden der Ursprung und die Entwicklung des Komparativs im Lettischen und des verbalen Ausdrucks der Possessivität in den baltischen Sprachen. Ferner wird die Frage der grammatischen Entlehnungen im Baltischen berührt. Schließlich schreibt der Verfasser über die Beziehung Louis Hjelmslevs zu den baltischen Ländern und denkt über einige Aspekte der Entwicklung der litauischen Schriftsprache nach.

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## Breve introducción a la literatura española

Libro de texto para estudiantes de español como lengua extranjera

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Este libro de texto ofrece una breve introducción a la literatura española desde sus orígenes hasta el siglo XX. Además del texto completo o amplios fragmentos de obras literarias representativas de cada movimiento literario, este manual ofrece una visión general de cada período, una biografía de los autores, así como una amplia selección de actividades para el análisis de todas las obras.

Las obras literarias contenidas en este libro de texto son el poema épico *Cantar de Mio Cid* (anónimo), las novelas *El Lazarillo de Tormes* (anónimo) y *Don Quijote de la Mancha* (Miguel de Cervantes), los poemas *Mientras por competir con tu cabello* (Luis de Góngora) y *Miré los muros de la patria mía* (Francisco de Quevedo), así como la obra teatral *La casa de Bernarda Alba* (Federico García Lorca). Con la excepción del *Cantar de Mio Cid* y *Don Quijote de la Mancha*, las demás obras se ofrecen íntegramente.

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## Portrayal of Dalit Experiences in the Select Dalit Autobiographies: A Study

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Autobiography, one of the emerging genres of Dalit writings, emphasizes on the authenticity of experiences. In spite of various supporting and opposing theories on the origin and development of the caste system in India, it is true that India's 3,500-year-old caste system remains a stigma on humanity. Even after seventy years of independence, Dalits continue to suffer by the effects of evil caste system. They are physically, socially, mentally, economically, politically and religiously experience humiliating conditions in India. Literature, as a mirror to the society, inalienably reflects its happenings through various genres and still stands as a truth across the centuries.

Dalit autobiographies record these experiences as sufferings and agony of the vulnerable people with plea to look in to the truth and come with a compassionate solution to the problem. The present research titled *Portrayal of Dalit Experience in the Select Dalit Autobiographies: A Study* is aimed to study five well-known autobiographies written by various authors namely Bama's *Karukku* (1992), Om Prakash Valmiki's *Joothan* (1997), Aravind Malagatti's *Government Brahmana* (2003), Y.B. Satyanarayana's *My Father Balaih*(2017), and Narendra Jadhav's *Outcaste: A Memoir* (2003).

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Agreement is a phenomenon that spans multiple areas of linguistic theorizing. On the one hand, agreement has been regarded as purely syntactic/morphological phenomenon because it has no clear contribution to meaning. However, this clashes with the observation that agreement may also influence interpretation in subtle ways, allowing languages to express nuances in meaning that would otherwise get lost. The book addresses the phenomenon of agreement and its place in the grammar from multiple linguistic perspectives. The individual chapters in this book investigate the question what we can learn about the general process of agreement based on the detailed study of its syntax, semantics and morphology, including its production/processing by the human brain.

**Contents:** Acknowledgements – Introduction – I The morphology of  $\phi$ -agreement – Pavel Caha: *The layered structure of concord* – Daniar Kasenov: *Third person-sensitive allomorphy of accusative case of possessed nominals in Balkar and Kumyk* – Michal Starke, Maria Cortiula and Lucie Taraldsen Medová: *Straightening up the Czech 3.PL suffixes* – Tarald Taraldsen: *Tense-sensitive vs. tense-neutral  $\Phi$ -suffixes* – II Beyond  $\phi$ -agreement – Alexander Letuchiy: *Identity approach to absolute tense* – Pavel Rudnev: *The Anaphor Agreement Effect as epiphenomenon* – Natalia Slioussar: *Syncretism in sentence processing*.

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### English Phonetics and Phonology A Course for Arab Students

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This book is an outcome of teaching phonetics and phonology to graduate and postgraduate students in different universities in the Middle East for more than twenty years. During this time, the students and the author have felt the need for a coursebook in phonetics and phonology with an eye of comparison between the two languages, Arabic and English. To deeply understand how English and Arabic work in segmental and suprasegmental levels, different topics in phonetics and phonology syllabus are discussed in this book. In order to separate segmental and suprasegmental levels, the book is divided into two sections: Phonetics & Phonology. In the phonetics section, the book discusses the definition of phonetics, vocal organs, and detailed description of English consonants and vowels with a comparison between Arabic and English consonants and vowels.

In the phonology level, the book defines phonology and draws clear distinction between phonetics and phonology. It also discusses phonemes and allophones with examples from Arabic and English. Extensive exercises on broad and narrow transcription are provided. The prosody of English and Arabic has been discussed in terms of syllable structure, phonological processes, stress and intonation. The theory of Distinctive Features are presented with extensive tasks and exercises. Each chapter is followed by extensive T/F, MCQs and direct questions exercises. Phonetic symbols used in this book are based on the International Phonetic Alphabet Chart (IPA).

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### An English-Arabic Glossary of Ecocritical Terminology

Mohamed Kamel Abdel-Daem  
Revised by Sanad Motlaq Al-Sobaie

Ecocriticism is the scrutiny of literary output and ecology on a cultural level of interdisciplinarity hence the various scientific fields harmoniously integrate to study ecology and suggest potential views in order to combat the current ecological challenge.

This work purports to provide the Arabic-speaking reader with an English-Arabic glossary of the main terminology of

ecocriticism as well as a big number of terms that belong to a variety of fields of cognition: science, sociology, psychology, ecology, politics, philosophy, etc. Giving these numerous scientific terms along with the ecocritical ones emphasizes and illustrates the interdisciplinary nature of ecocriticism: one day the ecocritic might work collaboratively with the politician, the scientist, the philosopher, the linguist, etc. Finally, the terms 'environment' and 'ecology', their inflections, and their Arabic equivalents, are often used synonymously in this English-Arabic dictionary.

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### A Grammar of Lhowa

Dan Raj Regmi, Ambika Regmi & Janyang Gelek Gurung  
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This grammar, within the framework of adaptive approach, describes and analyzes phonological and grammatical codes in Lhowa, a southern Tibetic language, and compares them with those in Lhasa Tibetan and other Central Bodish languages from typological perspective. Lhowa, a tonal language, exhibits high-front and mid-front rounded vowels, murmured plosives and voiceless lateral. Typologically, it is an agglutinating and consistently ergative language. Nouns are not marked for grammatical gender and number for agreement in the complex of the verbs. However, they are marked for three numbers (viz., singular vs. dual vs. plural) and twelve case-roles. Lhowa distinguishes personal pronouns in terms of social standing (viz., ordinary vs. honorific) and clusivity (viz., inclusive vs. exclusive) in the first person plural. Adjectives, numerals and quantifiers follow the nouns whereas demonstratives and possessive pronouns precede the nouns.

In Lhowa, tense markers interact with aspect, modality and evidentiality. Besides, Lhowa presents a verb agreement system which is closely related to conjunct-disjunct distinction. Especially, egophoricity (viz., marking distinctly for the first person) in the past tense is governed exclusively by volitionality. Egophoricity is also evident in essential and existential copulas. Like in Tibetan, tense is deduced from the general context of the text. Lhowa, a dependent marking and extremely nominalizing language, registers non-promotional type of passive.

As a Tibetic language, Lhowa shares a number of phonological and grammatical coding devices with Lhasa Tibetan and languages belonging to gTsang cluster of

Central Bodish. However, due to inter-language contact, Lhowa exhibits some contact induced changes in the phonological and grammatical coding devices which Lhasa Tibetan and other members of gTsang cluster do not normally display.

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### Sociocritique du texte africain subsaharien Poétique. Herméneutique. Éthique

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Dans le domaine de la sociologie du champ littéraire, la démarche sociocritique adresse tout projet de recherche visant à disséquer le diptyque Histoire-écriture dans la fiction littéraire, grâce aux présupposés heuristiques qui l'articulent. Théorisée par Claude Duchet et Edmond Cros depuis les années 1970, cette grille d'analyse revalorise constamment son code herméneutique.

Toutefois, le mode opératoire qu'elle charrie s'avère ondoyant d'une Ecole à l'autre et d'un sociocriticien à un autre. La sociocritique laisse ainsi chez certains non-initiés la désolante impression d'un outil de travail ésotérique. D'autres lui opposent de ne point dévoiler clairement sa mécanique, c'est-à-dire les principaux mécanismes de décodage du sens qui l'imprègnent. Autant donc reconnaître qu'une réappropriation plus accrue de ce référentiel d'analyse s'avère opportune pour le commun des mortels. Quels axes stratégiques recèle-t-elle en filigrane pour la démystification efficace et pertinente de l'œuvre littéraire ?

Sans être une publication pionnière dans la vulgarisation de la théorie sociocritique en Afrique subsaharienne, le présent ouvrage scrute les nouvelles perspectives qu'elle polarise et exhibe comme lecture à ras-le-texte de l'Histoire, partant du modèle de Pierre Barbéris à sa pratique dans le texte. L'ouvrage de critique littéraire qui en résulte cristallise un argument décisif : la sociocritique n'est qu'une sémiotique.

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### Genre, rupture idéologique et autonomisation du personnage féminin dans les littératures d'Afrique et de la Caraïbe

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Le sujet féminin reste une préoccupation majeure dans les Sciences Humaines et Sociales, en dépit des acquis manifestes des femmes dans l'organisation sociale. La littérature, de ce fait, réinvestit le paradigme du genre en redéfinissant les rapports sociaux de sexes qui se déploient comme des constructions de la société. Le présent ouvrage décrypte à cet égard les configurations que revêt le sexe social dans les fictions caribéenne et africaine du XXI<sup>e</sup> siècle.

Axé autour de trois pôles sémantiques, il interroge les mécanismes de narration des genres et décode les stratégies d'autonomisation de la femme dans le vaste projet séculaire de déconstruction du phallogocentrisme. La peinture caricaturale du personnage masculin, l'examen typologique des figures féminines, de même que la stylisation de la révolte scripturale, constituent les ressorts essentiels de la réflexion ainsi amorcée sur la caractérisation de l'être féminin nouveau.

Il s'agit de revisiter l'esthétique littéraire inscrite dans les textes romanesques en vue de mettre en lumière le recouplement idéologique des auteurs(es) d'Afrique et des Amériques noires à travers la postulation d'une approche négro-africaine du genre dans un monde en proie à des mutations multiformes.

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### Manual of Hebrew Syntax

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In the treatment of certain chapters I have thought it necessary to work independently for reasons which on comparison would be obvious. This applies in the first place to my treatment of the infinitive and participle of the verb. As I could not accept the existing opinions concerning them, I have preferred to adopt a simpler theory arising from their unique twofold character of verbum and nomen. Further, in the manner of dealing with the status constructus, e.g., certain alterations seemed to me desirable.

The terminology, moreover, for naming the cases, such as we find in the classic and modern languages, has in so far as it was possible been intentionally avoided. This plan I adopted, because in Hebrew scarcely any trace can be found of the so called flexion of the nomina, by which the various cases are expressed. The status constructus which most of all would remind us of them, on the one hand differs from them because of the alteration of vowels, and the abbreviation instead of prolongation of words, and on the other hand it is capable of



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expressing so many cases, that it cannot well be identified with one or more of them.

Finally, it should be observed that I have ventured to divide this Manual in a manner different to that usually adopted, by first considering the different parts of the sentence, and then its construction (adopted from the author's preface).

**Contents:** Part I: Nomen (the noun, determination of the noun, pronouns). Part II: Verbum (the verbal forms, the nominal forms). Part III: The particles (adverbs and adverbial expressions, interrogative particles, the remaining particles). Part IV: Construction of the sentence (nominal sentences, verbal sentences, the influence of the subject upon the predicate as regards gender and number, sequence of the different parts of the sentence).

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### A Grammar of Koyee

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This grammar attempts to analyze the forms and functions of different grammatical categories in Koyee at both the sentence and discourse levels and compare them with other Tibeto-Burman languages from the typological perspective.

There are 12 oral vowels and 26 consonants in the Koyee language. Gender is not grammatical in this language. It exhibits three categories of numbers: singular, dual, and plural. It is a morpho-

logically split ergative language. The nominals in Koyee are inflected for a number of cases which are marked in two ways: case clitics, and postpositions. Mostly the adjectives in Koyee are derived from verbs, nouns, and copulas. A number of adjectives in Koyee are borrowed from Nepali.

Since Koyee is one of the agglutinating languages, number, person, tense and aspect in the Koyee are overtly realized in the affixation. There are various types of verbs like verbs 'to be', benefactive verb, reflexive, reciprocal verbs, existential, identical and motion verbs. Tense, aspect, modality and mood in Koyee tend to appear as the complex category. Tense, aspect and modality interact intensively in Koyee. There are eight types of basic clauses in the language.

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The Central Numic branch of the Numic language family of the Uto-Aztecan stock comprises three closely-related languages Timbisha, Shoshoni, and Comanche.

Timbisha and Comanche are spoken by less than a handful of L1 speakers each in eastern California and southwestern Oklahoma. Shoshoni is spoken by fewer than a

dozen L1 speakers scattered across Nevada, Utah, Idaho, and Wyoming.

All three languages are still spoken in parts of the regions where they lived at the time of contact. A very rough estimate of the time depth of Proto-Central Numic is about a millennium. Timbisha and Shoshoni have an underlying obstruent system which consists of voiceless stops /p, t, k, kw/, two voiceless fricatives /s, h/, and a voiceless affricate /ts/, but a surface phonetic system that includes voiced and voiceless stops, fricatives, and affricates in all the places of articulation of the underlying stops and affricates. This system of underlying and surface obstruents has been partially restructured in Comanche.

John E. McLaughlin, Associate Professor of English at Utah State University, has published on the Central Numic languages since 1980.

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### Literary Research: The Arts in Language, Communication, Culture and Society

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The interaction between local Nigerian languages with modern European languages such as English and French occupy considerable space. In the area of communication researchers looked at the relevance of artistic designs, theatre and theories, in conveying messages that are educative and in the end transforming society's mindset. On the cultural aspects scholars have extensively discussed the traditional barriers often created by shortsighted vision to religion, intellectualism and society that resulted into indecent interaction between the subjects.

On the research study in society the scholars have in more details discussed the dual function of society, where the same can be used in the process of destruction and reconstruction. Thus, on the use of drama, they were able to address social vices and the gradually returning peace to insurgent zones of Niger-Delta and Boko Haram in Northeast Nigeria.

**Contents:** Umar Hussaini, Abubakar Bukar & Abubakar Abba Kaka: *Comparative Analysis of Affixation and Stress change Processes in English and Fulfulde* - Jidda Hassan Juma'a & Mohammed A. Muazu: *Effects of Migration on Minority Languages: the case of Kilba and Shuwa Arabs in the Northeast* - Mohammed Gambo: *Language prestige: A factor of Language Endangerment in Gulak, Madagali Local Government of Adamawa State* - Usman Adamu & Ajid Lawan Saleh: *A Descriptive Analysis of Bura-pabar Pronouns* - Kucheli Balami Barkakisi: *A Morpho-Semantic Study of Selected Bura Place Names* - Mohammed A. Muazu, Abdulkarim M. Yola & Maryam Goni Askira: *A Comparative Analysis of Fulfulde and French Affixes* - Joel Avaungwa Fanyam: *A Stage Design and Decoration Pathways: An Appraisal of Theatre* - Terseer Paul Ikyagh: *Toward Enhancing Community Participation in Theatre for Development (TFD) on the Field: A Pictographic Analysis of the Web and Magic Three Games* - Muhammad Mallam Modu: *A Multimodal Stylistic Study of Selected Cover pages of the News watch Times Magazine – Focus on Colour and Image Symbolisms* - Mohammed Umar Gadaka & Muhammad Mallam Modu: *Selection and Integration of Theoretical Framework in Literary Research* - Zalikha'u Bello Ahmed: *Women Education: Overcoming the Challenges of Accessibility* - Bode Ojoniyi: *An African Critic's Voyage in the Western Myths of Post-Author Literary Criticism* - Jacob Shimrumun Ioraa: *The Place of Drama in the Fight against Social Problems in Nigeria: A Study of Femi Osofisan's who is Afraid of Solarin? And Frank Ogebeche's Harvest of Corruption* - Haruna Tsingari

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Born in 1759 to a prestigious literary family, Yi Bingheogak was a female Korean writer. Yi's life was fully encompassed by the mid-late Joseon dynasty, a period gripped by a fervour for tightening Neo-Confucian ideology and in which women were scarcely permitted an education stretching to literacy, let alone the opportunity to become published writers. Yi's master work, *Gyuhab Chongseo* (A Women's Encyclopaedia of the Inner Chamber), written in 1809, is a compendium of instructions and advice for women. The work is divided into five sections which focus on food and alcohol preparation, making and mending clothes and dishware, gardening and tending to livestock, childrearing and medicine, and the folkloric methods of maintaining spiritual equilibrium within one's household. Yi is one of only a small handful of women to have been published in Joseon dynasty Korea, and as such, this work is widely considered to be a crucial source in reflecting the daily duties of yangban women as well as the state of women's educational literature at the time.

In this book, it has been chosen to isolate and delve into the first volume of *Gyuhab chongseo* which centres on food and drink, presenting a translation of some selected chapters of the work, alongside a commentary and analysis of its contents and their wider implications concerning the position of women at the time. This book demonstrates how Yi, and several other women like her, heralded a new era for women's literary production and consumption, carving out a world of domestic literature through which women could share not just their expertise, but also their own conceptualisation of what being a Neo-Confucian woman meant to them.

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### La pandémie de la COVID-19: Discours, représentations et impacts socioculturels

Lozzi Martial Meutem Kamtchueng, Achille Komguem Kamsu, François Guebou Taduidje (eds.)  
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Cet ouvrage collectif analyse dans une perspective pluridisciplinaire les discours, représentations et impacts socio-culturels de la Covid-19 en Afrique et ailleurs.

Les articles qui y sont contenus portent sur les axes suivants : Covid-19 et expérience dans l'enseignement et l'apprentissage, Covid-19 et discours de la presse numérique, de la presse écrite et des réseaux sociaux, Covid-19 et choix des langues de communication, Covid-19 et créativité linguistique, Covid-19, conceptualisations, perception et attitudes, Covid-19 et réponse des acteurs sociaux, de la société civile, de la communauté, des gouvernements et des ONG, Covid-19 et vie en communauté, Covid-19 et diffusion de l'information, Covid-19 et les industries de la culture, Covid-19 et représentation artistique, Covid-19 et normes sociales et éthiques, Covid-19, les minorités et les couches sociales vulnérables.

## LINCOM Studies in Asian Linguistics

### Advances in South Asian Linguistics

Ghanshyam Sharma & John J. Lowe (eds.)

INALCO, Paris; Oriental Institute, Oxford

South Asian linguistics is a growing and rapidly advancing field, where sophisticated linguistic analysis of well-studied languages sits alongside ongoing description and initial linguistic study of previously undescribed languages. The rich diversity of the South Asian linguistic area offers up a constant source of new linguistic data, including new challenges to existing theoretical linguistic analyses which have been developed on the basis of typologically very different European languages. This volume consists of a select set of research papers on South Asian linguistics, several of which were presented at the 35th South Asian Languages Analysis in Paris, in October 2019.

These papers, written by leading scholars in South Asian linguistics, attest a diverse range of theoretical perspectives and analytical frameworks, while focusing on important issues in South Asian linguistics, showcasing the breadth of research currently being undertaken in the field. The contributions to the volume range from syntax, semantics and phonology to language description and areal typology, and cover a wide range of languages, from well-studied Indo-Aryan languages such as Hindi and Bangla, through the Dravidian language Tamil to the understudied Tibeto-Burman language Baram.

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### Qur'anic Semantics Corpus and Lexical Behavior

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Qur'anic semantics is concerned with: (i) lexical occurrence, (ii) lexical behavior, (iii) word order, (iv) discourse semantics where the purposeful selection of a specific word is interrelated to discourse discursive semantics, (v) lexis meaning which is motivated by discourse ideology, ideological connotative meanings, and (vi) the semantic analysis of the text mood and diction. Qur'anic seman-

tics shows the reader: (i) the number of times a word occurs in the whole text, (ii) how the meaning of the word changes according to the context in which it occurs, and (iii) why a given grammatical structure occurs rather than a different one.

Qur'anic semantics examines the semantic aspects which have impact on meaning on the word and sentence levels. These aspects are: (i) content words (verbs, nouns, nominalized nouns, active/passive participle nouns, adjectives), (ii) function words such as the additive conjunctions such as (thumma – and) and (wa – and), (iii) tense (pre-sent, past, future), (iv) marked (unusual) / unmarked (usual) word order, and (v) no-main-verb nominal or main-verb sentences.

Qur'anic semantics is of value to Qur'anic corpus linguistics, lexicographers, Qur'anic linguistics, and translation studies.

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### Qur'anic Stylistics A Linguistic Analysis

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Stylistic variation is the colourful manifestation of language. It is an intriguing linguistic phenomenon that can take place at different levels of language as it has been found in Qur'anic genre. Stylistic shift can occur within the sentence boundary at both the micro and the macro levels.

In the micro text, stylistic variation occurs at the morpheme, word, and sentence levels. However, in the macro text, stylistic change can occur at the macro textual level beyond the sentence boundary. In other words, stylistically different sentences are found at different texts far away from each other. Stylistic variation mirrors language behaviour and the manipulation of the linguistic tools and strategies available to the text producer. Stylistic variation in Qur'anic Arabic occurs for a good reason and is context and co-text sensitive. Context and co-text are the linguistic habitat for stylistic shift. The surrounding grammatical, semantic, and phonetic environment has a direct impact upon the linguistic behaviour of Qur'anic genre. This is due to the fact that the text unfolds in a given context of situation.

Therefore, the distinctive stylistic patterns are influenced by the contextual and co-textual factors. A linguistic-stylistic exploration of sentence patterns illuminates the reader's appreciation of the grammatical and semantic subtleties underpinning the distinct meanings of two stylistically different but structurally identical sentences. A linguistic investigation of the stylistic patterns of language also uncovers the underlying signification of two stylistically distinct sentences. The present analysis attempts to provide an insight into the resourceful stylistic and linguistic strategies of Arabic.

The book sharpens up the reader's awareness of the exotic stylistic patterns that are semantically-oriented. These stylistic structures can be realized through various linguistic processes that are specific to Arabic. The resourceful mechanism can be a useful linguistic tool to achieve various communicative functions with different semantic significations. The present account of Qur'anic genre explores how grammatical acceptability and semantic syntax are interrelated to stylistic variation in Arabic. This work provides an in-depth explicated analysis of stylistic variation in Qur'anic genre.

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### Arabic Translation Practice A Coursebook

مقرر الترجمة التطبيقية  
انجليزي - انجليزي عربي

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Arabic Translation Practice: A Coursebook is a valuable translation pedagogy and a thorough practice-based academic resource book for English-Arabic-English translation

and contrastive linguistics at the syntactic, semantic, and stylistic levels of analysis. It provides practical translation strategies to the translation student and to the translation teacher. It is concerned primarily with practical translation training and is a rich resource for an English-Arabic-English intensive translation training program. The book provides the student with an insight into translation skills at the full-stop, conjunctive particle, word, phrase, sentence, paragraph, and text levels.

The present book is to do with transferable practical translation skills. Each English or Arabic text is divided into segments such as the headline, sub-headlines, captions, and the individual subsequent sentences of the whole text. Each segment of the ST is followed by its translation and critical translation quality assessment. Then, the translation strategy is explained for each individual segment of both the ST and the TT. The book explains how a text segment is translated and how a translation problem is solved. The punctuation, cohesion, grammatical, and stylistic idiosyncrasies of both the ST and the TT are discussed thoroughly.

Arabic Translation Practice: A Coursebook also provides an overview of useful theoretical problems in Arabic translation. Fifteen translation approaches are discussed. Brief details of major translation strategies are provided to guide the student to what is required or how a translation problem is accounted for during the translation process.

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### The rating of class essay's written by students of English as a second language: A qualitative study of criteria and process

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This study concerns a neglected aspect of L2 English writing research: teachers' processes when rating essays written by their own students for class practice, not exams, with no imposed rating/assessment scheme/rubric. It draws on writing assessment process research literature, although most work has been done on scoring exam writing, using a set scoring rubric, where all raters rate the same essays.

Eight research questions were answered from data gathered from six teachers, with a wide range of relevant training, but all teaching UK university pre-sessional or equivalent classes. Instruments used were general interviews, think aloud reports while rating their own students' essays, and follow up immediate retrospective interviews. Qualitative coding was undertaken using NVivo.

Teachers reported similar perceptions of 'good writing', and all used a form of analytic rating, achieved in three broad stages, drawing in part on information beyond that just in the essay text. However, they varied in what criteria they prioritized when actually rating essays, and in the scales, they used to summarize evaluations, ranging from IELTS scores to evaluative adjectives. Most claimed to use personal criteria, and showed concern for the consequential pedagogical value of their rating more than achieving a test-like reliable score.

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### Differently Literate: Vernacular Medium Learners and the Teaching of English in Telangana

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This book makes a case for "differently literate" vernacular medium (VM) learners in the context of Telangana State (TS), India. It argues that learners are differently literate and bring different skill sets into a classroom. This, the book contends, may be



considered as an advantage rather than a hindrance in the teaching-learning environment. Using the context of VM learners in select schools of TS, it claims that the concept of “differently literate” allows the teaching-learning of English to begin from a more constructive starting point, rather than viewing them as weak or poor in English proficiency. Such a perspective, the book suggests, may help teachers and policymakers to improve the teaching methodology of English. The book accomplishes this through an exploratory study of English language learners from English medium (EM) and VM high schools in TS. All these factors—influences, attitudes, aspirations, motivation levels—that impact the skill levels, learning strategies, etc. that learners bring to the classroom make them, it is argued, “differently literate”.

The book is divided into 5 chapters, Chapter One presents the introduction locates the context of the research in terms of a brief history of language education in the state of TS, particularly English. Chapter Two establishes the theoretical framework for the study. Chapter Three puts forward the rationale of the study, its nature and design. Chapter Four describes the methods of data analysis and interpretation. Chapter Five presents a summary of the findings.

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## Reflective Practice: A Professional Learning of English Teachers

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Research on reflective practice is prevalent in school level and not so much in university level. Therefore, this research entitled *Reflective Practice: A Professional Learning of English Teachers* is an attempt to find out if university teachers specifically of Tribhuvan University practice reflective practice in their classrooms and to unwrap university teachers' experience on reflective practice with the help of stories. Two university teachers from Tribhuvan University, Central Department of English Education, Kirtipur, were purposefully selected. Non-random purposive sampling procedure was used to select the university and the teachers. Interview guidelines were used to collect the data and stories of the university teachers were recorded.

The findings of the study showed that teachers of Tribhuvan University practice reflective practice on their own efforts which has helped them in their professional learning. They shared their reflective experiences to students or expressed through journal publication. Although the university was not found to have any programs for the teachers to practice reflective practice, these intrinsically motivated teachers have practiced it in their own ways.

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## Bashō's Ethnography of Communication in 'Narrow Road to the Deep North'

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Bashō's last masterpiece of 'Narrow Road to the Deep North' is written as the outcome of his long journey to the North-East remote areas in the deep northern areas in Japan. Spending six months walking, the purpose of the journey was to find the way to discover a better scope for the Genroku haiku schools, which were wanting poetic truth, that is, inherent elegance from the ancient waka poetry.

Haiku poetry, derived as the shortened form waka, has become too farce-oriented, losing its thematic richness and the aesthetic beauty woven into waka traditions. The time and the place of socio-economic status was changing at the Tokugawa period (1603-1867). The samurai and aristocratic dominant society shifted to the common people, such as rich farmers, industrial

factory owners, and businessmen. Naturally, the genre of poetic literature was responding to the socio-economic change of the time. Bashō's poetic soul yearned for the poetic elegance of beauty seen in classics. The elements of wabi, sabi, and mono no aware were pushed away.

Bashō's journey to the deep north is his Way of looking into and directly investigating what may happen in his own poetic soul; he follows the footsteps of his beloved mentor poets who had lived and died on their journeys. He visited Utamakura, which were places where those great ancient poets walked and composed their poems. This is Bashō's Ethnographic basis and his Ethnographic scope has three spheres: life with nature, men, and spiritual beings.

The other study, 'Time and Space in Bashō, Buson, and Issa', discusses their haikus to explain Bashō's influence on Buson and Issa, who came to create their own styles later in their forties.

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## Interventions in Translation Culture, Ideology, Power

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Intervention in the translation process is not new as was enacted more excessively in the past than today. Three issues that intervene in the process of translation are namely ideology, culture, and power. The most dangerous interventions are caused by ideology in totalitarian regimes. Ideological orientations interfere with power relations and cultural items as well as literary production and translation. However, ideology is hidden in any language use, its meaning is embedded in any text or discourse, and its manipulative power has been enacted at any level in the process of translation. In the 50s and 60s, translators began to evaluate the techniques to affect the target audience through translation. They began to consider how to ideologically manipulate the texts to achieve this goal. Referring to Lefevere's (1992) view, by a means of translation it is possible to motivate a nation's ideological dogmatism or racism, and to engage the world in an ideological battle since as a main policy, ideology exists at any level of translation.

The ideological translation can be seen as a threat to the national identity, culture, and power in society. To cope with such a problem in translation, power controls the filtering process by all means. Yet it not only controls the linguistics property of the text but the cultural/ideological aspects of the text and the sociopolitical situation in which the text is produced and comprehended.

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## Tamil Folklore and its Related Fields

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The present volume explains how Tamil Folklore is related to the fields of Psychology, Sociology, History and Semiotics. Among its functions folklore provides a socially sanctioned outlet for the expression of what cannot be articulated in the more usual, direct way. It is precisely in folktales, folksongs, proverbs etc., that anxieties can be vented. Psychoanalysis of folksongs, folktales and proverbs is the first part of the volume. In part two, *Sociology and Folklore*, some of the important theories of two eminent scholars namely Emile Durkheim and M.N.Srinivas are taken up for application of analysis in Tamil folklore. They are 'Social facts' from Durkheim and 'Sanskritisation' and Social change etc., from Srinivas.

Part three, *History and Folklore*, conveys the idea that written history of a country or community is not complete without its oral history. Myths, legends, songs etc., are the source materials for knowing the history of a given people, as

told and believed by them, and thus these folk genres become the counterparts of the written historical records. Part four, *Semiotics and Folklore*, communication models and theories developed by great scholars namely Ferdinand de Saussure, C.S.Peirce, Roman Jakobson and J.L.Austin have been taken up for application of analysis in oral literature.

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## A Descriptive Grammar of Ollari Gadaba

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Ollari Gadaba is a Central Dravidian language and has less than ten thousand native speakers. The language has various other names such as Gadaba, San Gadaba, Sano Gadaba, Pottangi Ollar Gadaba, Ollara, Hallari, Allar, and Hollar Gadaba. There is another Gadaba language called Gutob Gadaba that belongs to the Munda family of languages. Speakers of both Ollari Gadaba and Gutob Gadaba are similar in culture but different in linguistic affiliation. As a result, both the languages are categorized under a common or generic name prevalent in the respective areas.

The present work mainly focuses on the aspects of phonology, morphology, basic syntax and convergence features of Ollari Gadaba. It also highlights the ethno-linguistic background of the language and discusses the convergence features i.e. how Munda and Indo-Aryan languages have influenced this language at various levels. The grammar is based on the field data collected from the native speakers of Pottangi, Semiliguda and Nandapur blocks of the Koraput district. Due to the influence of Odia the official language of the Odisha State, this language has lost many lexical items and grammatical features and this is dealt with detailed and ample examples.

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*Teaching Sociolinguistics* is an introductory level 1 textbook in sociolinguistics. The textbook comprises sixteen units. The organization of the textbook into sixteen units has been done thematically so that the learners are able to access the key topics in a

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The textbook discusses the following terms, which are also the key terms: variable, variant, lexical variation, phonological variation, morphological variation, syntactic variation, linguistic politeness, style, regional dialect, social dialect, gender, social class, social network, communities of practice, language contact, multilingualism, language attitudes, speech community and research methods. The textbook can be used by young researchers and also students from the area of linguistics. Since this is a standalone textbook that requires no prerequisites, students from other disciplines can also use it and extend the applications in their respective fields.

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## Interactive Sociolinguistics

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The textbook discusses the following terms, which are also the key terms: dialect, dialect geography, social class, caste, research questions, language change, literature review, dissertations, theses, summary writing, data analysis, questionnaire, synchronic and diachronic linguistics, generational change, lifespan change, age-graded variation, direct and indirect elicitation frames, display map, semi-foreign language, mutual intelligibility, and dialect myths.

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## L'italiano con l'acqua Livello avanzato

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### Manual práctico de español como lengua extranjera

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## Antología de la literatura de la Edad de Oro española

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