

## AMAZONIAN LINGUISTICS SUMMER SCHOOL

*Location: Lima and Ucayali (Amazon), Peru*

- This course offers a space for learning and exchange for students, professors, researchers and speakers of Peruvian native languages. It focuses on professionals' training and prepares them for language documentation and collective creation of an academic work that can be publicly disseminated at the end of the experience. All this within a framework that offers an overview of the Peruvian linguistic diversity –through Amazonian and Andean linguistics, sociolinguistics and language planning courses- and approaches the field work practice from a reflective and critical perspective.

## SESSION DATES

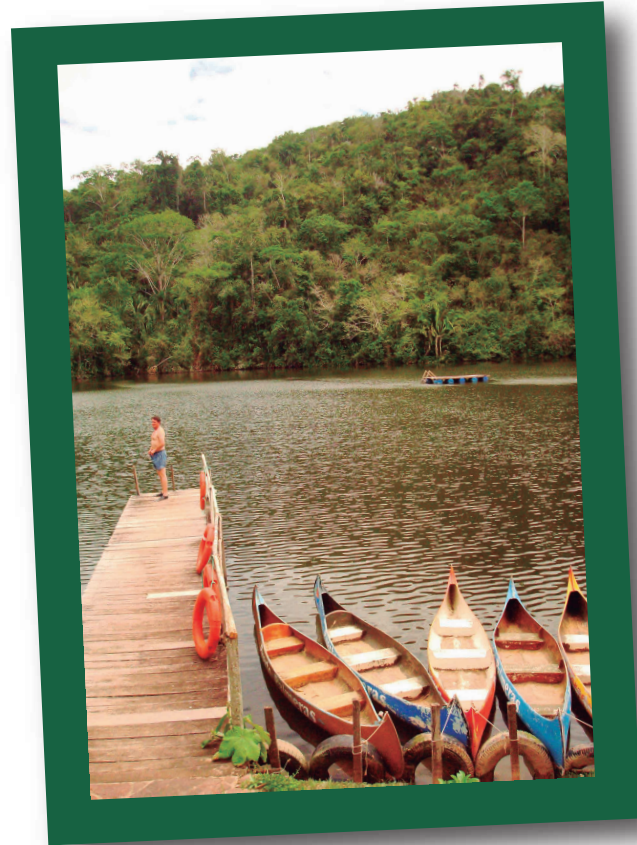
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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- **Application fee:** \$ 150.00      **Credits:** 3
- **Program fee:** \$ 3800.00

The course addresses the various areas involved in the process of documenting and describing a little-known language. To achieve this purpose students will visit a native community located in Pucallpa –the Peruvian Amazon rainforest- to study the Kakataibo, a Panoan language spoken in the Peruvian regions of Huanuco and Ucayali. Here, students will be introduced to a current research project conducted by the university and they will have to collaborate on it through well-defined tasks related to the different aspects of the linguistic research such as the collection, processing and analysis of data.

In addition to this, the course will include the use of digital audio and video recording equipment, the analysis of linguistic structures of different levels (phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics), the theory of transcription, the design of alphabets and the use of linguistic software.



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# PROFESSOR: ROBERTO ZARIQUIEY



Roberto Zariquiey is PhD in Linguistics by the Research Centre for Linguistic Typology at La Trobe University (Melbourne, Australia) and professor and researcher at PUCP. His specialty focuses on the documentation and description of Amazonian Languages, in particular of the linguistic family cloth, but has also done fieldwork in the Peruvian Andes. He has published books and scientific articles in Peruvian and international journals.

## SCHEDULE

### Week 1

Introduction to the Peruvian linguistic diversity: Students will receive an introduction to the Peruvian linguistic diversity. It will comprise three modules:

- Module 1: Introduction to Andean languages, Linguistic history of the Andes
- Module 2: Introduction to Amazon languages. Structural diversity of the Peruvian Amazonian languages
- Module 3: Introduction to Peruvian Spanish. Policies and education in indigenous languages in Peru: problems and perspectives.

### Week 2

Introduction to fieldwork: Students will receive an introduction to fieldwork and linguistic documentation in the amazon, working with informants from Shipibo community in Lima. It will comprise three modules:

- Module 1: Fieldwork: practical and ethical aspects.
- Module 2: Data collection: transcription and recording methods.
- Module 3: Data analysis (phonetics-phonology, morphology, syntax). Data processing: linguistic documentation (software: ELAN, Toolbox, Lexique Pro, Praat.)

### Week 3

Students will travel to the city of Pucallpa in the Peruvian amazon to start the data collection with the community of Yamino, and the data processing where they will apply everything they learned in the first weeks.



## COMPLEMENTARY ACTIVITIES

During their stay in the field, students can take walks through the primary forest surrounding Yamino, where they will find birds and animals in their natural state. Students will have the opportunity to take a boat trip to go through areas of great beauty, where the Amazon River habitat can be seen in all its richness and diversity.

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