

A CALL FOR PAPERS:

2ND ANNUAL OKLAHOMA WORKSHOP ON

Native American Languages

APRIL 18-19, 2009

Northeastern State University | Tahlequah, OK

Join NSU's Center for Tribal Studies for the **2nd annual Oklahoma Workshop on Native American Languages**. OWNAL focuses on descriptive studies of indigenous languages of the Americas.

The workshop is held at the end of the **37th Annual Symposium of the American Indian (April 15-18, 2009)** and is located in the historic Bacone house, site of the first Indian university west of the Mississippi. Dr. Marianne Mithun will deliver the keynote address.

SYMPOSIUM HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

- ♦ "The Cherokee Language and Its Relations," a talk given by Dr. Wallace Chafe
- ♦ Presentation by Dr. Marianne Mithun
- ♦ Language revitalization workshop led by Dr. Akira Yamamoto
- ♦ Cherokee Language forum conducted entirely in Cherokee
- ♦ Presentations by students from Northeastern's Cherokee language program
- ♦ Saturday powwow featuring well-known fancy dancers

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS IS JAN. 30. Talks are limited to 20 minutes in length, followed by 10 minutes for questions. Abstracts must be 500 words or less and include contact details, institutional affiliation, and title (professor, student, or independent scholar.) Graduate students are encouraged to submit papers. The presentation schedule will be announced no later than February 20. Abstracts and questions can be submitted to Brad Montgomery-Anderson at montgomb@nsuok.edu.



Registration is \$40, \$20 for students. This fee is primarily a fundraiser for the symposium (it also pays for refreshments and a catered lunch). Make checks payable to NSU with "Center for Tribal Studies-OWNAL" in the memo. Submit to: Northeastern State University, C/o Center for Tribal Studies-OWNAL, 600 N. Grand Ave., Tahlequah, OK 74464.