**BWLC Five Preliminary Schedule**

**MORNING SESSION 1B**

**Barbara Eastman and Jan Bernsten**

Women learn to talk shop: Coming into skilled trades at General Motors

**Arlene Oak**

The gender of critique: The nature and impact of gendered talk in the assessment of objects and buildings

**Maria Stubbe**

Striking a balance: Language, gender and professional identity

**4:40**

**Wakako Ozaki**

Gender-appropriate language in transition: The use of final particles in Japanese across generations

**Birch Moonwoman-Baird**

What do lesbians do in the daytime? Recover

10 minute break

**5:20**

**Aneta Pavlenko, Adrian Blackledge, Howard Grabois, Ingrid Piller, Marya Teutsch Dwyer**

Panel: Bilingualism and Gender

**Saturday, April 25**

8:00 Registration and coffee

9:00 **Leslie Milroy**. Women as innovators and norm-creators: the sociolinguistics of dialect leveling in a northern English city.

10 minute break

**MORNING SESSION 1A**

**10:00**

**Marlis Hellinger**

The de/construction of gender roles through language variation and change: International perspectives

**“Ms.”**

**10:30**

**Louise Mary Cunningham**

Gender and dialects: Issues of social change

**Lisa Ann Lane**

Reflections of macro-social change: Linguistic ideological and material orientations of women to their community

10 minute break

**MORNING SESSION 1B**

**Barbara Kelly**

She’s married, she’s divorced, she’s old, she’s gay: A study of folk linguistic attitudes to the female address term

**Rusty Barrett**

The conscious linguistic construction of gay male “circuit” identity

**Lisa Bland and Rusty Barrett**

“Stick your (adj.) (noun) in my (adj.) (noun)!”: Teaching women to ‘talk dirty’
### AFTERNOON SESSION 1A

**4:00** Marjorie Harness Goodwin  
Gender, language, and interactive practice in jump rope

**4:30** Barbara LeMaster  
Teaching preschool children how to participate in structured teacher-student interactions

**5:00** Diane Downer Anderson  
“I call myself Wo-Man” meets “Callie the Torturewoman”: Children naming and renaming across talk and text

**5:40** Deborah Cameron. To Be Announced.

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### AFTERNOON SESSION 1B

**D.K. Ruuskanen**  
The problem of gender in translation

**Anthony Mulac**  
Language in combination — does it happen any other way?: Multiple-variable analyses of gender-linked language differences

**Victoria L. Bergvall**  
Theory into practice: Why theory matters in language and gender research

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### Sunday, April 26

**8:30** Registration and coffee

**9:00** Janice Gould. To Be Announced.

**10 minute break**

### MORNING SESSION 1A

**10:00** Susan Levesque and Susan Ehrlich  
Male perpetrators/Male victims: When epistemology fails: Engendering Exceptional representations of sexual assault narratives and confronting death — a cholera epidemic in Venezuela

**10:30** Mary Talbot  
Choosing to refuse to be a victim: ‘Power feminism’ and the intertextuality of victimhood and choice

**11:00** Rebecca Aviel  
Insidious misinterpretations: A linguistic perspective on date rape

**10 minute break**

### MORNING SESSION 1B

**Charles Briggs**  
When epistemology fails: Engendering narratives and confronting death — a cholera epidemic in Venezuela

**Rosemary G. Beam de Azcona**  
Fieldwork and Women’s Place

**Celia Rothenberg**  
Palestinian village women and their stories of spirit possession

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### MORNING SESSION 2A

**11:40** Leela Bilmes  
The politeness paradigm shift in Britain:

### MORNING SESSION 2B

**Aki Uchida**  
English as a gendered praxis: Japanese
Hall, Norma Mendoza-Denton,  
language and gender research.