

55th Annual Conference of the
International Linguistic Association
&
American Dialect Society
(NORTHEAST REGION)

April 15 – April 17, 2010
State University of New York at New Paltz
New Paltz, New York

The theme of the conference is

“DIALECTS”

Invited plenary speakers:

Dr. Joan Houston Hall (DARE-University of Wisconsin)

“Who Needs DARE”

Professor Dennis R. Preston (Oklahoma State University)


“Dialects and regard: What linguists don't know (or pretend not to)”

Professor Walt Wolfram (North Carolina State University)

“Taking American Dialects Public: Principles and Programs”

Professor John M. Lipski (Pennsylvania State University)

“Afro-Bolivian Spanish and Palenquero: is decreolization reversible?”

 **PLUS a special Q&A about dialect resources**
(Saturday: 11 a.m.)

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