## SUMMER SCHOOL TRIBUTE

## Koyi koyi!

It's been quite a summer, complete and with the

## **GLAMOUR OF GRAMMAR!**

Summer did come to our very own place

Linguistic refinery...theory for seasoned and companionable linguists alike.

We sure needed the intellectual refreshment!

Come with me, to retrace our steps on this eventful journey

Look how far we've come!

From theory to evidence...and don't the linguists here now love LFG?

Phonology simplified,

Bantu in focus, didn't you just love the attention showered on the Bantu?

We have to take even bigger strides!

Let me remind you again of grammars and meticulous analysis, the focus on Constructions, how can I forget grammatical relations?

Role Theory, tell me about it.

Can the markers please emit more ink?

They should hear our plea.

Universal kinship terms... the theta, sigma labyrinth, hold your breath, dreams still come true!

And then we took a radical turn, with Radical Construction Grammar...the controversial Subject-Object relation!

A time to go critical, Discourse can no longer be taken for granted

## Hello CDA!

Hello Ivan and Benjamin!

Frame Semantics!

The profiles, filters...look at the world with eyes of wonder!

And the sweetest of them, SUGAR!

Yes, sugar, the romance, the drama, the food, the fun, the theory!

Hello texts in the language classroom!

Technology!

Forget not to gloss your texts...log on... log in... TypeCraft

And **Toolbox** to fall back on as you document your language.

Time to part, time to put theory to work.

Beware! You don't want to take their path... Kabuusu, or Njabala!

'Beware...nyimbo mbaya haumbembelezewi mtoto'

HURRAY for the Summer School!

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