LECTURES AND COURSES IN 1970

1. Elementary phonetics courses

One-semester courses (two hours a week) in elementary phonetics (intended for all students of foreign languages except French) were given by Hans Basbøll, Kirsten Gregersen, Steffen Heger, Hans Peter Jørgensen, Mogens Baumann Larsen, and Nina G. Thorsen. There were 2 parallel classes in the spring semester and 13 in the autumn semester (about 350 students in all).

Two-semester courses (two hours a week) in general and French phonetics (intended for all students of French) were given through 1970 by Ole Kongsdal Jensen, Karen Landschultz, and Oluf M. Thorsen. There were 9 parallel classes in the spring semester and 7 in the autumn semester (on an average 175 per semester).

2. Practical training in sound perception and transcription

Courses for beginners as well as courses for more advanced students were given through 1970 by Hans Peter Jørgensen, Jørgen Rischel, and Oluf M. Thorsen. (The courses form a cycle of three semesters with two hours a week.)

3. Instrumental phonetics

Courses for beginners as well as courses for more advanced students were given through 1970 by Børge Frøkjær-Jensen. (The courses form a cycle of three semesters with two hours a week.)

4. Phonology

Courses for beginners as well as courses for more advanced students were given through 1970 by Hans Basbøll and Jørgen Rischel. (The courses form a cycle of three semes-
ters with two hours a week, the subject of the three semesters being elementary phonological method, trends in phonological theory, and generative phonology.)

5. Other courses

Carl Ludvigsen and Eli Fischer-Jørgensen lectured on psychological acoustics and auditory phonetics through the autumn semester.

Carl Ludvigsen gave a course in mathematics and electronics in the autumn semester.

Hans Basbøll gave a course in Danish phonology in the spring semester.

Hans Peter Jørgensen and Niels Davidsen-Nielsen gave courses in the phonetics of German and English, respectively, in the spring semester.

Oluf M. Thorsen gave a course in French phonetics in the autumn semester.

Moreover, the students followed Henning Spang-Hanssen's course in statistics for linguistic purposes through the spring semester.

6. Seminars

The following seminars were held in 1970:

Professor Eli Fischer-Jørgensen and amanuensis Hans Peter Jørgensen: Loose and close contact.

Professor I. H. Slis (Eindhoven): Durational and electromyographic measurements on force of articulation.

Dr. S. O. Siemssen and speech therapist A. Boberg presented a film showing tongue movements during speech articulation and swallowing, and a film showing speech rehabilitation after total paresis of the tongue.

Professor G. Ungeheuer (Bonn): Über den Begriff der phonetischen Information.
Nina G. Thorsen presented her study on voicing in English (see below p. 1ff).

Børge Frøkjær-Jensen demonstrated the glottographs of the Institute.

7. Participation in congresses and lectures at other institutions by members of the staff

Eli Fischer-Jørgensen and Hans P. Jørgensen lectured on "Loose and close contact" at the Laboratory of Speech Transmission of the Royal Technical High School in Stockholm.

Børge Frøkjær-Jensen visited the institutes of phonetics in Amsterdam, IPO Eindhoven, Bruxelles, Bonn, Köln, Hamburg, Essex, Leeds, Colchester, and Praha, Die technische Hochschule, Dresden, University College, London, and the Institute of African and Oriental Studies, London. The expenses were covered by a grant from the University of Copenhagen.

Børge Frøkjær-Jensen participated in the "Symposium on Intonology" in Praha.


Hans Basbøll and Jørgen Rischel participated in the Second Scandinavian Summer School of Linguistics in Stockholm.