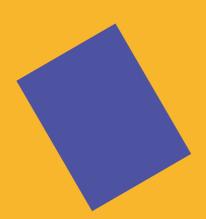
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## **Foreword**

This volume of the International Christian University Working Papers in Linguistics (ICUWPL) contains the first collection of ICU Language Database pertaining to Drenjongke (Bhutia), a language spoken in Sikkim, India. The nine parts of ICULD cover the following topics: syllabary, words in isolation, words in a frame sentence, vowels, fricatives, voiceless nasals, intonation, nursery rhymes, and words representing the sound system.

Each database in this volume consists of citation methods, basic information, and a list of items that can be downloaded from the archive.

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