

World Oral Literature Project

voices of vanishing worlds

Accession Form for Individual Recordings:

Collection / Collector Name	Molly Loomis
Tape No. / Track / Item No.	
Length of track	2:49 minutes
Title of track	LN Loss of Language.wav
Translation of title	
Description (to be used in archive entry)	Lakpa Norbu Sherpa discusses some of the differences in Sherpa dialect; how an increasing number of Sherpa are only speaking and learning Nepali; how his children's inability to speak Sherpa makes him feel.
Genre or type (i.e. epic, song, ritual)	Conversation
Medium (i.e. reel to reel, web-based file, DVD)	.wav file
Related tracks (include description/relationship if appropriate)	All tapes of Lapka are included in the folder, 'Lakpa Norbu Sherpa.'
Name of recorder (if different from collector)	
Date of recording	April 2011
Place of recording	Mount Everest Base Camp, Nepal
Name(s), age, sex, place of birth of performer(s)	Lakpa Norbu Sherpa, 31, Jiri
Language of recording	English
Performer(s)'s first / native language	Sherpa
Performer(s)'s ethnic group	Sherpa
Musical instruments and / or other objects used in performance	
Level of public access (fully closed, fully open)	Fully open
Notes and context (include reference to any related documentation, such as photographs)	Lakpa Norbu Sherpa helps run Everest E.R. located at Mount Everest Base Camp.