35TH ANNUAL
&
1st INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF LINGUISTIC SOCIETY OF INDIA (ICOLSI)
November 27-29, 2013

Second Announcement and Call for Papers

We are pleased to announce that the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore (India) will host the 35th Annual and the 1st International Conference of the Linguistic Society of India (ICOLSI-1).

Keynote Speaker

- Prof. S.N. Sridhar
  SUNY Distinguished Service Professor State University of New York, Stony Brook. USA.

Plenary Speakers

- Prof. Rajend Mesthrie, University of Cape Town, Cape Town. South Africa.
- Prof. Claus Peter Zoller, University of Oslo, Oslo. Norway.
- Prof. Rakesh Mohan Bhatt, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA.
- Prof. Christiane Pilot Richoor, CNRS. France.
- Prof. Ajit K. Mohanty, Retired Professor, JNU, India.

Special Sessions:

There will be two special sessions:
1. Language Documentation and Description of Less-Explored Languages
2. Communication, Cognition and Cybernetics

Invited Colloquia:

The conference will include two invited colloquia (1 hour and 40 minutes each).

1. Language and Mind in Autism (Lead Speaker, Prof. Parasuram Ramamoorthi)
2. Classifiers in Indian Languages (or) Language Conflict and Resolution Studies (To be confirmed)

Paper Topics:

Abstracts are invited for oral presentations on substantial, original and unpublished research on all aspects of theoretical and applied linguistics, with particular focus on languages and linguistic applications relevant to South Asia.
The areas of interest include, but are not limited to, the following (alphabetically sorted):

Anthropological Linguistics; Clinical Linguistics; Cognitive Linguistics; Computational Linguistics; Corpus Linguistics; Discourse Analysis; Ethnolinguistics, Historical Linguistics; Indian Grammatical Tradition; Language Planning; Language Teaching, Language Testing; Language Contact and Language Change; Language Endangerment and Language Documentation; Language Technology; Lexicography; Lexicology; Linguistic Typology; Machine Translation; Morphology; Natural Language Processing; Phonetics; Phonology; Pragmatics; Psycholinguistics; Semantics; Sign Language; Sociolinguistics; Stylistics; Syntax; Translation.

Abstract Submission guidelines:

Please note the changes in the abstract submission guidelines.

Abstracts should be submitted in English and should be sent by September 30, 2013 using the EasyAbs System at http://linguistlist.org/easyabs/LSI2013.

Authors may submit no more than one individual or one joint (co-authored) proposal (ONLY ONE ABSTRACT PER AUTHOR). The abstracts should be anonymous, and fit on at most 2 pages including examples, tables/figures and references (using 12-point TIMES NEW ROMAN with reasonable margins).

Queries related to Abstract Submission may be addressed to Dr. Uma Pappuswamy at 35aicl@gmail.com

Conference Information Pages

Please check out the pages at


Important Dates:

Abstract submission deadline: September 30, 2013
Notification of acceptance: October 15, 2013
Submission of full paper: October 31, 2013
Conference: November 27-29, 2013

Registration Fee:

The registration fee is as follows:

1. Participants from SAARC countries: Rs.1500/-
2. Students from SAARC countries: Rs. 1000/-
3. Students from SAARC countries: Rs. 750/-
   (Without fellowship)
4. All others: USD 75 (Seventy five US dollars)

Registration fee includes conference kit, modest accommodation and boarding facility for SAARC delegates. For other delegates, registration fee includes conference kit and boarding facility only. Delegates
who wish to have hotel accommodation at their own expense may contact the Organizers well in advance at icolsi2013@gmail.com. Modest accommodation will be provided to Paper Presenters on “first-come, first-served” basis (depending upon receipt of the registration fee in advance). A list of hotels and similar facilities (to be booked and paid by the participants on their own) will be uploaded on the Linguistic Society of India web-site (www.lsi.org.in) and the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore website (www.ciil.org) in due course.

Please note the accompanying person(s) will also have to register.

The Conference Registration Form should be sent along with the Fee payment in advance. This is obligatory for all paper presenters. We regret that we will be unable to accept late registrations.

Mode of payment of Registration Fee:

For Paper Presenters:

Last date for paying Registration Fee (by Money Order / Bank transfer / DD): 31st October 2013.

Mode of Payment:

**By Money Order (M.O.):** The payee is: The Secretary, Linguistic Society of India, Department of Linguistics, Deccan College PG & RI, Pune-411006, India. The full name and full postal address of the payer (along with a Memo/message written on the MO form about the purpose of the payment) should be given on the MO form.

**By Bank Transfer:** The fee may be sent by Bank Transfer into the bank account of the Conference.

The details of the bank account of the Conference are:

- Name of the Account: Linguistic Society of India
- Account Number: 1 1 5 6 8 5 0 1 0 2
- Name of the Bank: Central Bank of India, Pune
- Name of the Branch: Central Bank of India, Deccan College, Pune.
- IFSC Code of the Branch: C B I N 0 2 8 4 2 4 4
- MICR Code of the Bank and branch: 4 1 1 0 1 6 0 2 5

**Through Demand Draft (DD):** The fee may be sent through a Crossed Demand Draft that can be realized at a bank in Pune and the payee being: The Secretary, Linguistic Society of India

**For persons coming from abroad:** Registration Fee (in Indian Rupees) may be paid in advance or through bank transfer. It can alternatively be paid in cash (in Indian Rupees) at the Conference Venue.

Conference Registration Form:

The form can be downloaded from www.lsi.org.in and www.ciil.org
Travel:

The participants are requested to make their own travel arrangements and arrange for funding from their respective organizations.

Membership of LSI:

All paper presenters have to be LSI members by the time they register for the conference. Details about LSI membership may be found at: www.lsi.org.in

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