

# 2018 Hwa Kang International Conference on English Language & Literature

# **Conference Theme:**

# Innovation in Teaching English Language and Literature

Organizers: Department of English Language and Literature, Language Teaching & Learning Center,

Chinese Culture University

# Date: May 5, 2018

Venue: Chinese Culture University, Hwa Kang, Yangmingshan, Taipei, Taiwan, ROC

#### Website:

https://sites.google.com/a/pccu.edu.tw/2018-hwa-kang-international-conference-on-english-language-and-literature/home

The Hwa Kang International Conference on English Language and Literature is an annual conference organized by the Department of English Language and Literature at Chinese Culture University to encourage intellectual exchanges and academic dialogues between scholars in Taiwan and around the world. In keeping with this year's theme of **"Innovation in Teaching English Language and Literature,"** we invite submissions for the following areas and their relevant topics:

English Teaching & Linguistics	<u>Literature</u>
<ul> <li>Second language acquisition research</li> <li>Teaching English for specific purposes (ESP)</li> <li>Interdisciplinary approaches to TESOL, linguistics, and ESP</li> <li>Corpus linguistics</li> <li>Linguistics research</li> <li>Comparative linguistics</li> <li>Computer-assisted language learning (CALL)</li> <li>Task-based teaching (TBT)</li> <li>Problem-based learning (PBL)</li> <li>Language testing and evaluation</li> <li>Language curriculum analysis and development</li> <li>Vocabulary acquisition</li> <li>Bilingualism</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experimental literature</li> <li>Literature and media innovation</li> <li>Genre innovation</li> <li>Translation and literary innovation</li> <li>Literary creativity</li> <li>New readings of canonical writers/texts</li> <li>Visual poetry in the 21<sup>st</sup> century</li> <li>New ways of teaching literature in college settings</li> <li>Rising stars of the fiction/poetry world</li> <li>New dramatic works and playwrights</li> <li>The fantastic in literature</li> <li>Adaptations and rewritings of literary works</li> </ul>

• Opportunities and challenges facing the	
teaching profession	
• Teacher education for new and prospective	
English teachers	
• Student engagement in language learning	
Lesson planning theory	
• Innovative and effective methods for	
language teaching	
• TESOL off and on line	
Issues in TESOL methodologies	
Culture and language	
• Content and language integrated	
learning(CLIL)	
• Diversity, multiculturalism and TESOL	
• Teacher training and TESOL	
• Teaching English in diverse settings	
• Research related to any aspect or segment of	
TESOL, linguistics or ESP	
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# **Important Deadlines**

Conference Date: May 5, 2018

Submission of abstracts: December 31, 2017 (Extended to January 31, 2018)

Notification of acceptance of abstracts: March 8, 2018

# **Submission Guidelines**

- 1. Presenters should download and complete two forms available from the conference website: the "Contributor Data" Form and "Abstract Submission" Form (both forms can be found in the Submission section).
- 2. Both forms should be emailed to <u>eng\_conf@pccu.edu.tw</u>.
- 3. All submissions will be refereed using a *double-blind* peer review process.
- 4. Full paper submissions are not required. However, presenters may submit the full text of their presentations to the *Hwa Kang English Journal*. Please visit the journal website for further information: <u>https://sites.google.com/a/pccu.edu.tw/hkej/</u>

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