

First Call for Papers

The 6th International Symposium on SLA in China

(October 16-19, 2014 Hangzhou)

The 6th International Symposium on Second Language Acquisition in China is jointly organized by the Institute of Applied Linguistics, Zhejiang University, and Chinese Society of Second Language Acquisition. It aims to provide a platform for academics to discuss and review various issues related to second language learning, teaching, and research in China.

Chairs:

Professor WANG Chuming

Professor HE Lianzhen



Keynote Speakers

- Professor James P. Lantolf, Greer Professor of Language Acquisition and Applied Linguistics, Pennsylvania State University
- Professor Gabriele Kasper, Professor of second language studies, University of Hawaii
- Professor WEN Qiufang, Professor of applied linguistics, Beijing Foreign Studies University

Theme Areas

The general theme of the symposium is *New Developments in SLA Studies in China: Globalization and Technological Progress*. The organizing committee welcomes abstracts of paper presentations, either in English or Chinese, addressing research and pedagogical issues in the following areas:

- SLA studies in China contextualized in globalization
- SLA research and foreign language teaching
- Variability and generality in SLA
- Technological progress and SLA development

Abstract Submissions

All individual presentations will be 25 minutes in length, including 5 minutes' question time. The abstract (in MS Word Version) should be a maximum of 300 words of both English and Chinese (excluding references). Please also include in the abstract: (1) theme area (state one of the above areas), (2) title of the paper, (3) the name and title of the writer(s), (4) the affiliation, and (5) the e-mail address and mailing address.

Each participant can submit only one abstract as the lead author and one abstract as a co-author. Please send submissions to: sla_zju2014@163.com

Important Dates

Deadline for abstract submissions: 30 June 2014

Notice of acceptance: 31 July 2014

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Conference website: <http://www.sisins.zju.edu.cn/sla2014/>

