

1st INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SOCIOLINGUISTICS: Insights from Superdiversity, Complexity and Multimodality

1-3 September 2016, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest

Final Call for Papers

We are delighted to inform you that the **1st International Conference on Sociolinguistics (ICS-1)** will take place **1-3 September 2016** at **Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest**, Hungary.

We invite contributions which address current sociolinguistic issues from a **great variety of perspectives** including **superdiversity, complexity and multimodality**. Accordingly, possible topics include but are not limited to the following:

- Language variation and change
- Language and mobility
- Language as a local practice
- Multilingualism/Polylinguaging and superdiversity
- English as a Lingua Franca in the polylingual world
- Language and class
- Language and gender
- Linguistic landscape
- Multimodality
- Identity practices in the social media
- Style
- Language in the media
- Language and advertising
- Language and economy
- Language ideologies
- Dialectology
- New developments in pidgin and creole sociolinguistics
- Language policy, language planning
- Sociolinguistics of language education
- Forensic sociolinguistics
- Critical Discourse Analysis

Confirmed keynote speakers (in random order):

Professor Sirpa Leppänen (University of Jyväskylä)
Professor Barbara Seidlhofer (University of Vienna)
Professor Peter Maitz (University of Augsburg)
Associate Professor Janus Spindler Møller (University of Copenhagen)

One or two peer-reviewed selected papers volumes are planned to be published with an international publisher.

Our conference is **accessible**, with registration fees at 80 EUR for all the participants.

Workshop submissions with 6-10 papers are also invited. Workshop organisers are requested to submit to ICS-1 a workshop package by the normal abstract deadline below, containing a short workshop proposal, a list of participants and the abstracts they have previously collected via their own submission channels.

Paper presentations will be allocated 20 minutes plus 10 minutes for questions. The language of the conference is English.

Abstracts of max. 300 words in MS Word including references should be submitted to the e-mail address ics1.budapest@gmail.com **by the extended deadline 15 February 2016.**

Formatting: 12 Times New Roman, margins at 2.5 cm. The title of MS Word file should include (first) author's first name, surname and the exact title of paper in this order. The abstract should include (1) the name of every author, (2) the affiliation of every author and (3) the paper title.

Notifications of acceptance will be communicated by **15 February 2016.**

For further information please visit the **conference website** at <http://ics1.elte.hu> and

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