

2018 International Conference on European-Asian Languages
A Euro-Asian Overlook on the Innovation and Development of
the Teaching of European Languages and Literature

Call for Papers

Taiwan, located in the emerging Asia of the 21st century, finds itself at the hub of the humanities and social sciences. In the new century, both tuition in European languages and European studies are facing challenges from drastic metamorphosis and innovation. Over the past five decades, the College of European and Asian Languages (CEAL), Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages, has devoted itself to the studies and promotion of European literature, culture, language teaching and the European Union. A forward-looking research into how the languages and their cultures can be further cultivated is a vital field where scholars around the world can plough more deeply in the future.

With the said perspective in mind, CEAL will hold an international conference on the theme of ‘An Euro-Asian Overlook on the Innovation and Development of the Teaching of European Languages and Literature’, in which scholars and experts from Euro-Asian countries/areas focusing on various strands in French, German and Spanish are invited to deliver a wide range of talks on related topics. The overall intention behind is to best explore European literature, cultures, languages, as well as the innovation and development of the social studies. With this intention in mind, we hope to discuss all of the associated themes with a panoramic vision to foster more academic exchanges of ideas between scholars from within and without Taiwan. The conference is a one-day event. By way of a dialogue between European and Asia, the discourses on Europe in Asian areas/countries may be broadened and multi-faceted.

Topics for discussion include:

1. Inter-disciplinary research in the teaching of European languages and cultures.
2. Instruction and digital technology in the teaching of French, German and Spanish.

3. Research in cross-cultural communication and pragmatic skills in the classroom.
4. Asian discourse on the teaching of European languages and cultures.
5. Cultivation of talents for European languages and the development international mobility.
6. New trends in the studies of European humanities and social sciences.
7. Other related issues (studies on language, culture, teaching or translation)

Organisers: College of European and Asian Languages (CEAL), Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages (WZU)

Co-organisers: Department of French, Department of German, Department of Spanish, Graduate Institute of European Studies, EU Centre, WZU

Venue: Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages

Date: October 6, 2018 (Saturday)

Languages for presentation: French, German, Spanish, English and Chinese

Important Dates:

Deadline for abstract submission: **June 8, 2018**

Notification of acceptance: June 15, 2018

Submission details:

Please fill in the Registration Form (see attachment) and email it with your abstract (in 500 words, in French, German, Spanish or English) to wz_ceal@mail.wzu.edu.tw by **June 8, 2018**, with the subject entitled 'Submission to 2018 International Conference on European-Asian Languages'. All submissions will be refereed using a double-blind peer review process. Notification of acceptance will be sent to you by June 15, 2018.

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Please confirm that all the information you have provided with us here is correct, and that your paper have not been submitted to other conferences or journals. The presenter himself/herself should be solely responsible for any violation of academic ethics and copyright.

Notice:

1. We are not in charge of hotel booking/reservation. For information about local accommodations, please refer to the links provided on the conference website.
2. We will compile the papers and get them published. After the conference, we will inform you by email about the monograph. We will send a standardised format to any presenter who wishes to publish his/her paper with us.

Warm Regards,

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