Fellow Nominations, Abstract Deadlines, and More!

LSA Update

News from the Linguistic Society of America

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Promote Your Conference Here!
The LSA will promote your conference here for the low introductory rate of $25/month (two LSA updates).

Slate of Candidates for Upcoming LSA Elections
The Slate of Candidates for LSA Officers and Executive Committee members and Editor of Language is now available. LSA members have until July 5 to propose modifications; instructions are available at page linked above. Elections will take place from September through November 2016.

Abstract Submissions Due July 31
LSA members may submit abstracts for the 2017 Annual Meeting through July 31. The full Call for

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Abstracts is available here. Abstracts may also be submitted for a new plenary event, "The Five-Minute Linguist."

Minicourses at LSA Annual Meeting

Four Minicourses will be given at the LSA's 2017 Annual Meeting, three on research tools:

- Big Data: Complex Systems and Text Analysis
- Computing Sentiment, Emotion, and Personality
- Praat: Beyond the Basics

and one on professional development:

- Innovative Pedagogy in the Language Classroom

Minicourses will be held on Thursday morning, January 5 and will end before the regular 20-minute paper sessions begin at 4:00 PM that afternoon. A fee of $30 will be charged for the first three minicourses, and $5 for the fourth. Read more here. More information, complete schedules and registration links will be posted later this summer.

News from CoLang 2016

CoLang 2016 workshops get underway this Solstice week with 165 attendees arriving from 6 continents under the midnight sun of the University of Alaska Fairbanks. The LSA is proud to be a permanent co-sponsor CoLang, the Institute for Collaborative Language Research.

(Left): Led by Heather Powell, Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian attendees chant at opening ceremonies. (Right): Evan Peter, University of Alaska Fairbanks Vice Chancellor of Rural, Community and Native Education, welcomes CoLang attendees on Day 1.

Linguistics In The News

Some of the most popular recent news articles on linguistic topics:

- "Why don't we say what we mean?" (University of California, Santa Cruz)
- "A brain injury transforms Italian man into bonjour-shouting 'caricature' of a
Other LSA Resources

The LSA maintains listings of jobs, conference announcements, grant opportunities, in memoriam notices, and other news items of interest. Submit a conference listing or contact the LSA with news or other information.

LSA members can cause a portion of any purchase they make on Amazon.com to be donated to the LSA. Learn more, or make a tax-deductible donation.

Visit the LSA website for information on other LSA resources, including:

- Taking Linguistics to the Public: An Outreach Guide
- Women in Linguistics Mentoring Alliance (WILMA)
- Linguistic Academic Depository
- LSA Jobs Center

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