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The *LSA Update* is a periodic electronic newsletter for LSA members, featuring news and information about current activities, programs, publications, resources, and other items of interest to the membership. Please see the most current reminders and updates following the announcement below from e-mail sponsor Maney Publishing.

Renew your own membership or recommend a colleague

There has never been a better time to join the LSA, so be sure to renew your membership or recommend a friend now. Student memberships start as low as \$40. See a full listing of member benefits [here](#).

Special Offer from Maney Publishing

From 1 January to 15 February Maney Publishing are lifting all access restrictions on all 2010-2012 Names journal content online to make it available to you completely free of charge. To access all of this free content simply fill out the form at <http://maneypublishing.com/index.php/journal-of-the-month-nam>, click 'submit' and receive log in details to view the last three volumes of the journal instantly and completely free.

Linguistic Institute Fellowship Applications Open through February 7

Online applications for fellowships for the [2013 Linguistic Institute](#) are available online to LSA student members through February 7, 2013. A description of the application requirements and of several special "Named Fellowships" is available [here](#). To apply, student members of the LSA should log in to the LSA website and click on the large green "Submit Fellowship Application" button at the top of the page.

Other Linguistic Institute 2013 Updates

- The course schedule for the 2013 Institute is now available at <http://lsa2013.lsa.umich.edu/course-schedule>.
- The link to on campus housing for participants is also available,

at <http://www.housing.umich.edu/conferences/linguistics>. Note that actual reservations will not be available until March.

- The Institute's Facebook page is regularly updated with spotlights of Institute faculty and testimonials. Be sure to "like" it at www.facebook.com/2013lsa so as to get the most recent updates.

University of Chicago to Host 2015 Linguistic Institute

The LSA is pleased to announce that the University of Chicago will serve as the host campus for the biennial Linguistic Institute, to be held in the summer of 2015. As the long-time sponsor of the prestigious Linguistic Institute, the LSA looks forward to partnering with the University to continue this important scholarly tradition. Professors Alan Yu and Karlos Arregi of the Linguistics Department will serve as the co-directors of the Institute. This premier gathering of linguists from around the world will feature a full roster of dynamic courses, lectures, workshops and social events. Student fellowships will be awarded by the LSA and other sponsors on a competitive basis. As further details become available, the LSA will post updates in the "[Future Institutes](#)" area of its website.

Followup to 2013 Annual Meeting

Over 1150 LSA members, Sister Society members, and friends attended the 2013 Annual Meeting in Boston. A few follow-up notes:

- Minutes from the LSA's Annual Business Meeting, which took place on Friday evening, January 4, may be found [here](#). Items covered in the minutes include discussion of changes to the LSA's publishing program, the Secretary-Treasurer's report, election of Honorary Members and induction of the 2013 class of LSA Fellows.
- If you attended the Annual Meeting but did not complete the exit survey, we encourage you to do so [here](#). Your responses will assist us as we plan the LSA's future meetings.
- Watch the LSA website for a call for Satellite Workshop proposals for the 2014 Annual Meeting, which will be issued within the next few days.
- Extended abstracts of research presentations from the meeting will be available via eLanguage beginning in mid March. Watch the LSA website for further details.
- Photos from the 2013 Annual Meeting may be viewed at <http://www.flickr.com/photos/lingsocam/>.

Preview of Recently Approved Changes to the LSA's Publishing Program



The Executive Committee has approved changes to *Language*, the LSA's flagship journal. A few major points:

- Stan Dubinsky (University of South Carolina) has been appointed Executive Editor of *Language*.
- *Semantics and Pragmatics* is to become second free-standing journal of the LSA.
- *Phonological Analysis* to be a new section of *Language*.

Look for more details in a special message coming soon from LSA President Ellen Kaisse.

Making the Most of the New LSA Website



The LSA's new website debuted in early October 2012. A number of features found on the old site have recently been updated, including the [Linguistic Academic Depository](#) and the [Book Exchange](#). The [Online Directory of Linguistics Departments and Programs](#) has also been updated, with greatly enhanced functionality.

Click [here](#) for helpful tips on logging in, optimizing your browser, leaving comments, and more.



-Other LSA Resources-

The complete contents of the LSA Archives, stored at the University of Missouri at Columbia, is searchable online. More information on these and on archives of LSA publications is available [here](#).

LSA members interested in serving on any of the [LSA's open committees](#) may contact the relevant committee chair at any time during the year.

The LSA Ethics Discussion Blog provides an opportunity for you to contribute to the ongoing discussion on this important topic. Check out this blog and the LSA's other interactive resources [here](#).

The LSA accepts job advertisements online, in print, and at the Annual Meeting. If you are interested in advertising a job position, please e-mail [Rita Lewis](#) .

The LSA maintains listings of conference announcements, grant opportunities, in memoriam notices, and other news items of interest. [Submit a listing](#).

Be sure to visit the LSA website for the most current information on:

[Other meetings and calls for papers](#)

[Jobs](#)

[Grants, fellowships, and awards](#)

["In Memoriam"](#) listings for recently deceased LSA members

