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LSA Update
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Early Bird Meeting registration ends 9/30

September 30 is the last day to take advantage of discounted "early bird" registration rates for the 2016 LSA Annual Meeting.

Registration for minicourses and hotel accommodations is also open.

LSA seeks Publications Coordinator

The LSA is accepting applications for the newly-created position of Publications Coordinator.

The Publications Coordinator will manage the administrative and technical aspects of the LSA's publishing program. Knowledge of OJS is strongly preferred.

September Member Spotlight: Kai von Fintel

MIT's Kai von Fintel, founding co-editor of Semantics & Pragmatics and member of the newest class of LSA Fellows, is our Member Spotlight for September 2015.

Read our interview with Dr. von Fintel to learn about his work with the LSA, his advice for those submitting papers...
LSA Events: Hill Suite rededication, Linguistics Beyond Academia meeting

LSA members in the Washington, DC area are invited to an open house and reception in celebration of the rededication of the Archibald A. Hill Suite. The rededication will take place Wednesday, September 30, from 4:30 to 6:30 PM at the LSA's new headquarters at 522 21st St. NW, Suite 120, in Washington, DC. Please RSVP here.

Additionally, the LSA's Linguistics Beyond Academia SIG is holding a regional meeting and linguistics career panel in Washington, DC on September 24 at 6:00 PM. Interested members may also join online.

LSA names CoLang Advisory Circle representative

The LSA has appointed Keren Rice, Chair of the Linguistics Department at the University of Toronto, as the LSA representative to the Advisory Circle of CoLang, the Institute for Collaborative Language Research.

Prof. Rice served as President of the LSA in 2012 and was recently elected to the American Academy of Arts & Sciences. Read more about the LSA's ongoing partnership with CoLang.

Linguistics In The News

Some of the most popular recent articles on linguistic topics:

- "A few minutes with... a linguist who loves to LOL" (Detroit Free Press)
- "Partictrousers of the revolutionary movement" (Language Log)
- "Ig Nobel prize for MPI researchers" (Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics)

Other LSA Resources

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

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.

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