General Meeting Information

Registration
Registration for the LSA and Sister Society meetings will take place in the Plaza Foyer on the second floor of the hotel during the following hours:

- Thursday, 8 January  1:00 – 7:00 PM
- Friday, 9 January      8:00 AM – 7:00 PM
- Saturday, 10 January    8:00 AM – 7:00 PM
- Sunday, 11 January     8:30 – 11:00 AM

Exhibit
The exhibit hall, including the LSA Joint Book Exhibit, is accessed through the Ballroom level. Complimentary hot beverages will be served in the exhibit hall during exhibit hours, and complimentary hors d'oeuvres on Friday and Saturday at 3:00 PM. The exhibit hall will be open during the following hours:

- Friday, 9 January      10:00 AM – 5:30 PM
- Saturday, 10 January    10:00 AM – 5:30 PM
- Sunday, 11 January     8:30 – 11:00 AM

Job Information Desk
On Friday, 9 January and Saturday, 10 January the job information desk will be set up in the Plaza Foyer, near the LSA registration counters, from 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM. The Sunday hours will be 9:00 – 11:00 AM. Lists of job openings will be available, and applicants may leave copies of their CVs for employers who plan to interview at the Meeting. It is incumbent upon employers to retrieve any CVs left for them at the job information desk, to contact any candidates they wish to interview at the Meeting, and to arrange with LSA staff for interview room space, if available. The job information desk will not have duplication facilities; the hotel’s Business Center may be used for this purpose.

Open Committee and SIG Meetings
- African American Linguistics SIG: Saturday, 10 January, Cabinet Room, 9:30 – 10:30 AM
- LSA Executive Committee: Thursday, 8 January, Skyline 3, beginning at 9:00 AM
- Committee on Endangered Languages and their Preservation (CELP): Sunday, 11 January, Skyline 3, 8:00 – 9:00 AM
- Committee of Editors of Linguistics Journals (CELxJ): Sunday, 11 January, Executive Room, 8:00 – 9:00 AM
- Committee on Ethnic Diversity in Linguistics (CEDL): Friday, 9 January, Executive Room, 8:00 – 9:30 AM
- Committee on Public Policy (CoPP): Saturday, 10 January, Cabinet, 2:00 – 3:00 PM
- Committee on the Status of Women in Linguistics (COSWL): Saturday, 10 January, Senate Room, 2:00 – 3:00 PM
- Committee on Student Interests and Concerns (COSIAC): Friday, 9 January, Senate Room, 3:30 – 5:00 PM
- Language in the School Curriculum Committee (LiSC): Sunday, 11 January, Senate Room, 8:00 – 9:00 AM
- Linguistics in Higher Education (LiHE): Saturday, 10 January, Cabinet Room, 8:00 – 9:00 PM
- Program Committee: Sunday, 11 January, Cabinet Room, 8:00 – 9:00 AM
- Publications Committee: Sunday, 11 January, Executive Room, 9:30 – 11:00 AM
- Public Relations Committee, Saturday, 10 January, Studio Suite, 8:00 -9:00 AM

Office Hours
- CoLang 2016: Friday, January 9, Cabinet Room, 4:00 – 5:00 PM
- Editor of Language (Greg Carlson): Saturday, 10 January, Senate Room, 9:00 – 10:30 AM
- Editor of Semantics and Pragmatics (Kai von Fintel): Saturday, 10 January, Skyline 4, 8:00 – 9:00 AM
- Endangered Language Fund:
  Open Annual Meeting: Friday, 9 January, Senate Room, 8:30 – 9:30 AM
  Office Hour: Friday, 9 January, Senate Room, 9:30 – 10:30 AM
- LINGUIST List: Saturday, 10 January, Cabinet Room, 2:00 – 3:30 PM
- 2015 Linguistic Institute, University of Chicago (Alan Yu/Karlos Arregi): Saturday, 10 January, Skyline 4, 9:00 – 10:30 AM
- National Science Foundation: Saturday, 10 January, Executive Room, 8:00 – 9:30 AM
Special Events

Thursday, 8 January
- **ANS Executive Committee Meeting**: Salon Ballroom II, 3:00 – 6:00 PM
- **ADS Executive Council Meeting**: Skyline 2, 1:00 – 3:00 PM
- **ADS Business Meeting**: Skyline 2, 3:00 – 3:30 PM
- **ADS Word of the Year Nominations**: Skyline 2, 6:15 – 7:15 PM
- **LSA Minicourse – Praat Scripting**: Galleria I, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- **LSA Minicourse – Python**: Galleria II, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- **LSA Minicourse – Thriving as an Early Career Faculty Member**: Galleria III, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- **LSA Welcome**: Grand Ballroom I, 7:15 PM
- **LSA Invited Plenary Address**: Grand Ballroom I, 7:30 – 8:30 PM. Bruce Hayes (University of California, Los Angeles), “Phonological Acquisition is Not Always Accurate: Extending the Kiparskyan Research Program.”
- **LSA Special Film Presentation – The Race to Save Cherokee**: Pavilion East, 5:30 – 7:00 PM
- **LSA Special Film Presentation – The E Word**: Pavilion East, 8:30 – 10:00 PM
- **Sister Society Meet-and-Greet Reception**: Porto Terra Lounge, Executive Tower, 8:30 – 10:00 PM
- **TALE – ILER ILER Tutorial**: Salon Ballroom I, 1:00 – 5:00 PM

Friday, 9 January
- **ADS/ANS Word of the Year/Name of the Year Vote**: Skyline 1, 5:30 – 6:30 PM
- **ADS Bring Your Own Book Reception**: Skyline 2, 6:45 – 7:45 PM
- **ANS Name of the Year Discussion and Balloting**: Salon Ballroom II, 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM
- **LSA Invited Plenary Address**: Grand Ballroom I, 12:45 – 1:45 PM. David Poeppel (New York University): “Three Challenges for the Neuroscience of Language: The Maps Problem, the Mapping Problem, and the Timing Problem”
- **LSA Business Meeting and induction of 2015 Class of LSA Fellows**: Pavilion East, 6:30 – 7:30 PM
- **LSA Invited Plenary Address**: Grand Ballroom I, 7:30 – 8:30 PM: Carmen Silva-Corvalán (University of Southern California): “Early Bilinguals and Adult Heritage Speakers: What Are the Links?”
- **LSA Panel on Careers in Linguistics Outside of Academia**: Pavilion East, 8:30 – 10:00 PM
- **Student Mixer (sponsored by Sona Systems)**: Rock Bottom Restaurant and Brewery, 206 SW Morrison, 10:00 PM – 12:00 AM

Saturday, 10 January
- **ADS Annual Luncheon**: Skyline 4, 12:15 – 1:45 PM
- **ANS Annual Business Meeting and Awards Presentation**: Salon Ballroom II, 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
- **ANS Executive Committee Meeting**: Salon Ballroom II, 5:45 – 6:45 PM
- **ANS Conference Dinner**: Mother’s Bistro and Bar, 212 SW Stark St., 7:30 – 10:00 PM
- **NAAHoLS Business Meeting**: Studio Suite, 3:30 – 4:30 PM
- **SPCL Plenary Speaker and Lifetime Achievement Award Presentation**: Skyline 3, 4:00 – 5:15 PM. Mervyn Alleyne (University of Puerto Rico): “The Naming of the ‘New World’: Interrogating the Creole Concept”
- **LSA Awards Ceremony**: Grand Ballroom I, 5:30 – 6:00 PM
- **LSA Presidential Address**: Grand Ballroom I, 6:00 – 7:00 PM. Joan Maling (Brandeis University): “A Syntactic Rubin’s Vase: The Inherent Ambiguity of Non-promotional Passives and Unspecified Subject Construction.”
- **LSA Presidential Reception**: Pavilion East/Pavilion West/Plaza Foyer, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
- **LSA Roundtable for Department Chairs and Program Heads**: Skyline 4, 2:30 – 4:00 PM
- **SSILA Special Film Presentation**: The Race to Save Cherokee: Forum Suite, 3:30 – 5:00 PM