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The 2022 NAAHoLS meeting will again be held in conjunction with the Linguistic Society of America, and also with the American Dialect Society. (We note that several of the other affiliated “sister societies” have decided to meet virtually this year.) Featured plenary speakers at the LSA meeting include Michel DeGraff (MIT), Julie Hochgesang (Gallaudet University), and Tracey Weldon (University of South Carolina).

The NAAHoLS Annual Meeting will be held at the Washington Hilton from 6-9 January 2022. Further details about the meeting (including registration and accommodation) will be available in the coming months.

As in the past, we invite papers relating to any aspect of the history of the language sciences. All presenters must be members of the association (contact the NAAHoLS Secretary for details). Papers will be 20 minutes, with 10 minutes for discussion. Abstracts should be submitted as file attachments (preferably in Word). The abstract length should not exceed 500 words – upon acceptance, a shorter (100-word) abstract will also be requested for the LSA meeting handbook. **The deadline for NAAHoLS abstracts is 1 September 2021.**

Abstracts should be sent to: David Boe, Department of English, Northern Michigan University, Marquette, MI 49855; (906) 227-2677; dboe@nmu.edu

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**Linguistic Society of America
96th Annual Meeting
6-9 January 2022 (Washington, DC)**

Previous message from the Director of the LSA Annual Meeting:

May 2021

Dear Colleagues,

The LSA invites current and prospective members to submit abstracts for papers and posters to be presented at its 2022 Annual Meeting. [Read the call for abstracts](#) for more details about how to prepare and submit your abstract.

Abstracts will be accepted through late June. Please contact mjolsavsky@lsadc.org or phone 202-835-1714 for assistance. [Note that NAAHoLS abstracts are due, as usual, by September 1st.]

We ask abstract submitters to complete [this brief survey](#) to gauge the likelihood that you will attend the Annual Meeting virtually or in person if your abstract is accepted.

If your ability to collect data has been affected by local, institutional, or national restrictions with regard to the novel coronavirus pandemic, we encourage you to submit your abstract anyway. In this case only, you may use one paragraph on a second page (no more than half a page) to briefly describe how your research has been affected and to provide a timeline for data collection and analysis. For example: "Due to the coronavirus pandemic, data for this study have not yet been collected. Data collection will start immediately after restrictions are lifted. We expect to collect data from the planned 14 participants within two weeks, and to complete data labeling and analysis within two months."

We encourage those considering a submission to view our [model sample abstracts](#), revisit our recent webinars on "[How to Submit an Abstract for the LSA Annual Meeting](#)," and "[Abstract Writing: How to Convince in a Page](#)," and [read more about the 2022 Annual Meeting](#).

We'll provide more information about the meeting as it gets closer, including many opportunities for student members of the LSA to volunteer in exchange for complimentary registration.

Sincerely,

Mary Jo Olsavsky
Meetings Manager
Linguistic Society of America

Information on the LSA website (as of late summer) regarding the annual meeting:

“A note on meeting format and planning: We are continuing to monitor the situation with regard to COVID-19 and will provide updates here as the situation changes. We are currently planning to offer the bulk of the annual meeting content in person. Attendees who are unable or unwilling to attend the in-person meeting will be offered a virtual alternative. Registration will open in September, 2021.”

Upcoming Conferences

International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences (ICHoLS) Online/Virtual (23-27 August 2021)

The Fifteenth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, **ICHoLS XV**, originally scheduled from August 24 to August 28, 2020 in Milan, due to the ongoing global Covid-19 crisis, after having been postponed to August 2021, from 23 to August 27, at the same locations in Milan, **moves online**.

Since 1978, ICHoLS conferences have brought together specialists in the discipline every three years. Previous conferences have been held in Ottawa, Lille, Princeton, Trier, Galway, Washington, Oxford, Fontenay-St Cloud (Paris), São Paulo & Campinas, Urbana-Champaign, Potsdam, St Petersburg, Vila Real, and Paris. They gather together proposals (for workshops, papers, or posters) concerned with the history, epistemology, or historiographical problems of the language sciences.

ICHoLS program: <https://convegni.unicatt.it/ichols-program-and-workshops-program>

Keynote speakers:

Giovanni Gobber, Konvergenz und Divergenz im Sprachwandel. Zum Beitrag der italienischen Sprachforschung, mit besonderer Berücksichtigung der Auffassungen von Vittore Pisani, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milano, Italy.

Giorgio Graffi, Can Linguistics and Historiography of Linguistics Profit from Each Other?, Università di Verona, Italy.

Marco Mancini, Gli albori dell'iranistica in Italia: fra esotismo e scienza, The rise of Ancient and Middle Iranian Studies in Italy, Sapienza Università di Roma, Italy.

Patrick Sériot, Type or descent? The Philosophical, Romantic, and Biological Sources of Typology in Soviet Linguistics of the 1920s-1940s, Université de Lausanne et de Saint Petersburg, Switzerland/Russia

Additional information (including registration link): <https://convegni.unicatt.it/ichols>

- * Conference registration fees for authors, academics, researchers: 60,00 Euro
- * Conference registration fees for Ph.D. or Ph.D. students: 30,00 Euro
- * Conference registration fees for students: 20,00 Euro
- * All participants are required to register via the online conference system.

Upcoming LSA/NAAHoLS Annual Meeting locations/dates:

2023 → Denver, Colorado (Hyatt Regency Denver), 5-8 January

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NAAHoLS 2021 DUES

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