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World Congress of Modern Languages

in conjunction with

Annual Conference of the Polish Association of Modern Languages

*Language education in the times of global change:
The need for collaboration and new perspectives*

June 27-29, 2022, Warsaw, Poland

Call for Papers

The **International Federation of Language Teacher Associations**, the **Polish Association of Modern Languages** and the **Faculty of Modern Languages, University of Warsaw, Poland** invite you to submit a proposal for a presentation or workshop during the World Congress of Modern Languages which will be held in conjunction with the Annual Conference of the Polish Association of Modern Languages in **Warsaw, on June 27-29, 2022**. We are planning for the Congress and the Conference to be a **face-to-face event** and we remain hopeful that this will be possible.

The theme of the event, *Language education in the times of global change: The need for collaboration and new perspectives*, is indeed fitting as it reflects the unprecedented challenges and difficulties that we have had to confront and adjust to in all aspects of our lives as a result of the pandemic, including language education, which for the most part has had to rely on online resources and new technologies.

The Congress will represent a unique opportunity to meet language educators from across the globe and to discuss a wide variety of issues involved in the teaching and learning of second and foreign languages. The event will offer an important forum for disseminating the latest research findings in this area, which is critical for language pedagogy. It will be of relevance not only for academics, researchers, teacher educators and materials writers, but also for language teachers wishing to enhance their instructional practices and strategies.



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The following scholars have kindly agreed to participate in the Congress and deliver plenary talks, all of which will take place in English, French or German:

- Marion Grein (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz, Germany)
- Stéphanie Gobet-Jacob (University of Poitiers, France)
- Mariola Jaworska (University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Poland)
- Katarzyna Karpińska-Szaj (Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland)
- Hanna Komorowska (SWPS University, Warsaw, Poland)
- Terry Lamb (University of Westminster, London, UK)
- Paul Meara (Cardiff University, UK)
- Mirosław Pawlak (Adam Mickiewicz University, Kalisz, Poland)

We welcome contributions in all major world languages as well as Polish related to the broad theme of the conference in the form of papers (20 minutes + 10 minutes for discussion), workshops (60 minutes), and posters which could focus on, but are not limited to the following areas:

- teaching language skills and subsystems;
- new technologies in L2 learning and teaching;
- multilingual education;
- developing intercultural competence;
- individual differences;
- learner autonomy and language learning strategies;
- content and language integrated learning (e.g., EMI);
- classroom interaction and management;
- teachers' knowledge and beliefs;
- teacher education;
- coursebooks and materials;
- syllabus design;
- the CEFR;
- assessing L2 knowledge;
- methodology of research on L2 learning and teaching.

We invite you to submit 150-word proposals by **October, 15, 2021**. Notifications of acceptance will be sent by the end of November, 2021. Please send your abstracts to: kongressfiplv2022@wn.uw.edu.pl

The **World Congress of Modern Languages and the Annual Conference of the Polish Association of Modern Languages: *Language education in the times of global change: The need for collaboration and new perspectives*** are meant as an open forum for sharing knowledge, practices, and projects among all stakeholders in second language education and we look forward to your participation. For more information, please contact: kongressfiplv2022@wn.uw.edu.pl

Detailed information about the fees, registration travel and accommodation will be announced in **October, 2021**.

Please note that organizers will not cover travel and accommodation expenses for selected presenters.