

First Call for Papers

**12th NEW ZEALAND
LANGUAGE & SOCIETY
CONFERENCE**

Auckland
22 - 23 November 2010

Hosted by
Institute of Culture, Discourse and Communication,
AUT University
Auckland, New Zealand

Abstract Submission Deadline: 31 July 2010

Keynote Speakers

Janet Holmes, Victoria University of Wellington
Felicity Cox, Macquarie University, Sydney

Themes

Abstracts are invited for presentations in all areas of sociolinguistics, and from any region or language of the world. Papers should contain both a social and a linguistic dimension.

Appropriate themes include:

Anthropological linguistics	Language policy and planning
Bilingualism	Language style
Code switching	Language variation
Dialects in contact	Multilingualism
Ethnographic sociolinguistics	Perceptual dialectology
Language accommodation	Performance language
Language and cultures	Social and geographical dialectology
Language and ethnicities	Social and linguistic aspects of conversation analysis
Language and genders	Social and linguistic aspects of discourse analysis
Language and identities	Social and linguistic aspects of pragmatics
Language and media	Social psychology of language
Language and social networks	Sociolinguistic methodologies
Language attitudes	Sociolinguistic theory
Language change	Sociolinguistics of NZ English
Language choice	Sociolinguistics of other NZ languages
Language contact	Sociolinguistics of Pasifika languages
Language endangerment and death	Sociolinguistics of pidgins and creoles
Language ideologies	Sociolinguistics of te reo Maori
Language maintenance and shift	

Submission Guidelines

All sessions will be 30 minutes long, with 20 minutes for presentation and up to 10 minutes for discussion.

Please submit abstracts by email no later than 31 July 2010 to languageandsociety@aut.ac.nz. In the body of the email, include:

- title of the paper
- name(s) and affiliation(s) of the author(s)
- indication of which author(s) will present the paper
- name of contact author, with email address, postal address, phone and fax numbers.

Attach to the email a separate Word or PDF document containing the title and abstract of the paper (but no identification of authorship). Abstracts should be no more than 250 words long.

Abstracts will be reviewed anonymously by the Programme Committee, and evaluated on grounds of their scope and quality. Authors will be notified of the outcome of their submission by 20 August 2010.

Important Dates

Submission deadline date: 31 July 2010

Abstract notification date: 20 August

Registration early bird rates close: 23 September

The conference will begin at approximately 9.30am on Monday 22 November, and close at approximately 5.30pm on Tuesday 23 November. There will be a conference dinner on the evening of Monday 22nd.

Registration

Opens on 1 June 2010.

Earlybird registration will close on 23 September.

Conference Committee

Allan Bell (chair), Andy Gibson, Darryl Hocking, Bronwen Innes (University of Auckland), Pat Strauss, Catherine Watson (University of Auckland), Kristie Elphick (administrator)

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