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Wefla-Secan, 2020

April 28-30, 2020

Pre-conference workshops April 27, 2020

OBJECTIVE:

To foster international cooperation in the field of second and foreign language teaching, communication and cultural issues, as well as in Canadian Studies, through the presentation of research findings and the discussion of experiences and best practices.

TOPICS: include (but are not confined to) the following areas:

Wefla 2020

- Foreign Language Pedagogy
- Teacher Training and Teacher Development
- Translation and Interpretation
- Linguistics and Applied Linguistics
- Literature
- Language, Education and Culture

Secan 2020: Canada, managing social and cultural diversity

- Cuba-Canada relations
- History and Politics
- Language and Literature
- Society, Culture and Identity
- Aboriginal Studies
- Community Development
- Caribbean Canada Relations
- Contemporary Issues

SUBMISSION & DEADLINES

The Academic Committee invites established academics and early-career scholars as well as students, to submit proposals for:

Keynotes (45 mns)
Papers (20 mns)
Panel, Round tables (1 h)
Posters and exhibitions.
Pre-Workshops (4 hs)

FORMAT (Mandatory)

Title in <u>15 words</u> or less, capital letters.

Abstract: in less than 250 words including problem, objective, methodology and results + 3-5 key words.

Full paper: Papers presented will be submitted to a blind review process using standardized criteria by external readers for inclusion in the Conference Proceedings 6-10 pages. (To participate it is not mandatory to submit paper for publication). Arial 10 points, 1.5 space, margins: upper and bottom 2.5 cms.; right and left, 3 cms.; letter format, Word processor MSWord/OpenOffice. References following APA 2016, citation index.

DEADLINE

Abstracts: February 15, 2020 **Notification of acceptance:**

February 28, 2020

Full paper (for publication): March 15, 2020

Send your proposal to:

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or go to the website www.wefla.org and follow instructions

LANGUAGES

Spanish, English and French. Portuguese is also accepted. The proposal should be submitted in the language it will be presented. Proposals submitted in languages other than Spanish, a summary in Spanish should be included. Proposals submitted in Spanish, French o Portuguese, a summary in English should be included. Interpretation from Spanish to English will be provided in plenary sessions only.

REGISTRATION FEE (CUC*) Before January 20/2020

Professor: 150.00 CUC* Student/ Retired: 100.00 CUC Participant (No paper): 80.00 CUC

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Professor: 170.00 CUC Student/ Retired: 120.00 CUC Participant (No paper): 100.00 CUC CUC*: Cuban Convertible Peso

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Your registration fee will cover welcome cocktail, participation in all sessions, opening/ closing activities, Gala, portfolios/bag with all documents, certificate of participation/ publication, credential, and a CD/DVD with the Conference Proceedings.

VERY IMPORTANT!

All participants (presenters, panel members and observers) must register to have access to the conference rooms.

For more information about the Conference organization, fees and last minute tips, contact: https://wefla.org/

https://www.eventos.uho.edu.cu

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

will be taught by well-known specialists from Cuba and from other countries. Indicate in your registration form if you are interested in taking any of the pre-conference courses and workshops. The list of courses and workshops will be posted in the Conference Website by February 28.

A certificate of completion will be awarded for these ONE (1) credit workshops.

LODGING

The Organizing Committee recommends participants to book rooms at the Conference Site: Hotel Club Amigo Atlántico-Guardalavaca, located at Guardalavaca Beach (***All inclusive)

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