EGCL 2018

The 23rd Essex Graduate Conference in Linguistics. 26th March 2018 University of Essex, Colchester, UK

Dear Students,

The Department invites abstracts of papers and posters to be presented at the annual **EGCL** (Essex Graduate Conference in Linguistics). This will take place on the **26th of March 2018**. EGCL is a yearly one-day conference exclusively for students in the language and linguistics department at Essex. It is an important part of research training for attendees and presenters alike, giving an opportunity for students to experience an academic conference format, and to meet with other students in the department.

All postgraduate students who are undertaking research projects (whether completed or not) are encouraged to submit an abstract, which is an excellent opportunity to get conference practice in a friendly atmosphere.

Reports of **research projects at any stage of development** may be submitted, such as: reports of planned research projects, work-in-progress reports and papers reporting completed research.

Proposals from any area of linguistics are welcome.

Type of Presentations

1. Oral presentations

These will be 10-20 minutes long, with 10 minutes for questions.

2. Posters

The poster session will last for approximately 40 minutes. Authors will be expected to be available and answer questions about their posters.

Submission Deadline

Abstracts must be **submitted** <u>https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=23rdegcl2018</u> by **Monday**, **19**th **February 2018**.

Format of Abstracts

All abstracts should be no longer than **250 words** and should include **the name of the student.** Further details are available on <u>https://www.essex.ac.uk/departments/language-and-linguistics/essex-graduate-</u> <u>conference-in-linguistics</u>

If you have any questions about submitting an abstract or giving a presentation you should talk to your teacher/supervisor, or contact us on <u>egcl@essex.ac.uk</u>.

Kind Regards, Sharaf Yassin On behalf of EGCL 2018 Committee