



## CALL FOR PAPERS



**Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research**

**UNIVERSITY OF TLEMCCEN**

**FACULTY OF LETTERS AND LANGUAGES**

**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

**LE LABORATOIRE DE RECHERCHE:**

***“Foreign Languages Policy in Algeria and Teacher Professionalism”***

**(FLPATP)**

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The research laboratory **FLPATP** is pleased to announce the organization of its First International Conference on:

**Applied Linguistics and Foreign Languages Teaching:**

To be held on **12-13 October 2015**.

Venue: University of Tlemcen, Faculty of Letters and Languages, Department of English, Site of “nouveau pole”.

### ***Conference Theme***

The FLPATP conference will provide a venue for scholars, practitioners, educators and students to gather and share their work. Thus, the conference aims at bringing together scholars from different disciplinary backgrounds, especially *language teaching/learning, cross-cultural education and communication research* in order to reach ideas on educational excellence. It supports research

and reflection developing inter and multi-disciplinarity, methodological diversity, inter-professional collaboration, and explores the various relations between language teaching/learning and societal perspectives. More precisely, the FLPATP conference is designed to attract the research communities to promote connections between theory and practice and explore different perspectives on the application of research findings into practice; making use of a wide variety of theoretical frameworks and methodological approaches to address a broad range of language-related issues that affect individuals and society. Therefore, it is expected that FLPATP will attract a significant number of front-ranking academics, professionals and, maybe even, policy makers working in the broad area of language education, foreign language pedagogy, cross-cultural education and language policy and language planning.

Tlemcen University and the FLPATP research laboratory also offer all students who have completed research projects (Literature Reviews or Empirical Studies) during the last year to participate in a poster session. This poster session provides an excellent opportunity to share the results of your research with a varied audience. It also provides a chance to explore research in a variety of disciplines.

The following trends and issues will be of particular interest but are not limited to:

- 1-Language Policy and Language Planning
- 2-Educational National Policies and Foreign Languages.
- 3-Education and Multilingualism.
- 4-Education and Information Technology
- 5-Applied Linguistics and Foreign Languages Teaching.
- 6-Applied Learning in Higher Education
- 7-Educational Media and Technology
- 8-Skills and Competence Development through Language and Communication.
- 9-Innovation in Language Teaching and Learning.
- 10-Inter/Cross-cultural Education.
- 11-Language Curriculum Development.

- 12-Language Teacher Education.
- 13-Language Program Evaluation.
- 14-English for Specific Purposes (ESP).

Please send your abstract (350 words max.) in English or French or Arabic before the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 2015 to the conference committee: **flpatpconference2015@gmail.com** or to: [ambell1971@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ambell1971@yahoo.co.uk)

***Criteria for Acceptance***

All abstracts will be blind reviewed by the Editorial and Advisory Board. Relevance to the themes of the conference and originality of approach are key-considerations in the acceptance of papers. The Board reserves the right to decline paper/workshop/poster proposals without assigning reasons. Presenters of papers, workshops will receive an acceptance letter.

***Equipment***

Video replay equipment, overhead projectors, laptops (with Microsoft Windows XP and Office 2003) and data projectors can be supplied if reserved on the proposal form. Please request equipment when registering for the conference

Each accepted paper should be 15-minutes in length to allow for a 3-minute discussion period.

***Proceedings Submission Deadline***

April 05, 2015	Call for Proceedings Open
May 20, 2015	Abstract Submission Deadline
July 04, 2015*	Full-Paper Submission Deadline
October 17-18, 2015	Conference Session Days
October 13, 2015	Afternoon Tlemcen Trip

The conference registration fee is 50 Euros (5.000 Algerian Dinars) covering access to all sessions, hotel, 2 lunches, 3 dinners, coffee breaks and conference equipments.

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