

Call for Papers

International Transdisciplinary Conference at the University of Pannonia, Veszprém October 15-16, 2024

Interkulturelle Begegnungen – Intercultural Encounters Languages and Literatures in Intercultural Context

The transdisciplinary conference organized by the Institute of German and Translation Studies at the University of Pannonia, Veszprém, aims at discovering and investigating linguistic, cultural, and literary aspects and phenomena of inter- and transculturality. The conference mainly focuses on intra- and intercultural relations in Central Europe as reflected in diverse sorts of texts (essays, articles, declarations, critical reviews, literary works, manuscripts, and so on) of modernity (from the 18th to the 21st century). Analyses of linguistic, cultural, and literary phenomena and mutual influences at the crossroads of cultures, reflecting the diversity of (mainly German, English, Hungarian, or other) texts, are welcome.

Papers in German, English, or Hungarian should approach Central Europe's language(s) and culture(s) in their interrelation and mutual influence from linguistic, cultural, literary, scientific, and transdisciplinary perspectives. Submissions should avoid ideologies and be as objective as possible while showing different (national) perspectives and interpretations of certain social-cultural phenomena and the variety of discourses in the chosen texts.

Contributors are invited to investigate different forms of discourses, debates, and stereotypes by linguistic, literary, and translation scientific means, using a large text corpus such as newspaper articles, essays, speeches, literary texts of different sorts, legal articles, and debates. Texts that reflect linguistic or literary influences are preferred.

Papers related to methods of translational science (translation studies), Hungarian translations of German or English texts, including essays and articles published in the given period and related to cultural phenomena of Central Europe, may also be presented.

Paper proposals (in English or German) related to the above issues in the form of abstracts of max. 500 words are expected on the email addresses below by **April 29, 2024**, at the latest. You will be informed about the acceptance of your paper within a few days following the deadline. We are planning for presentations of 20 minutes, as well as a digital publication of the selected papers.

The conference has no participation fee; however, travel and accommodation costs cannot be reimbursed.

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