

CALL FOR PAPERS

LESLLA 2013 Proceedings

We are happy to welcome contributions to the conference proceedings based on presentations given (plenaries, demonstrations, papers, and posters) at the LESLLA 2013 symposium held on August 7-9, 2013, at City College of San Francisco – Mission Campus.

If you are planning to submit an article, the **FIRST STEP** is to submit a title by **November 1, 2013**. This step helps the LESLLA 2013 editorial team estimate the potential review workload and plan the review process.

The (rather tight) schedule for publication is as follows:

November 1, 2013	Deadline to submit title of your paper
January 30, 2014	Deadline to submit full-length manuscript
March 14, 2014	Editorial feedback sent to authors
April 30, 2014	Deadline to submit revised manuscript
May 2014	Editing and layout
June 1, 2014	Manuscript proofs sent to authors
June 15, 2014	Deadline for authors to approve manuscript proofs
July 2014	Printing
August 28-30, 2014	Release of Book Proceedings at LESLLA 2014 (Netherlands)!
September 2014	Proceedings available online

Title Submission Guidelines

Titles do not have a word limit, but it is typical for titles to be 10-15 words long. Be sure that your title uses descriptive terms and phrases that accurately highlight the core content of your manuscript. See this link for useful tips about effective titles:

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To signal your intention to submit a full manuscript, please submit a title for your paper, no later than November 1, 2013, via email to leslla2013@gmail.com.

Manuscript Submission Guidelines

Please submit your manuscript via email to leslla2013@gmail.com, as a Microsoft Word document, no later than January 30, 2014.

Manuscripts can be of several types:

- **Research articles** that feature an empirical study that contributes to the scholarship in the LESLLA field. *Word limit: 5,000 words, excluding references*

- **Review articles** that synthesize or theorize about the existing literature on some issue related to LESLLA research, policy, or practice. *Word limit: 5,000 words, excluding references*
- **“Perspectives from the field” articles** that feature the perspectives of teachers, staff, students, and others who have important knowledge and expertise about LESLLA teaching and learning. These articles focus on what those working in LESLLA classrooms have learned through their everyday practice. Manuscripts should contain detailed and thoughtful reflection, as well as thorough analysis of teaching and learning insights and experiences. *Word limit: 5,000 words, excluding references*
- **Research-in-progress reports** that highlight the rationale, design, and progress of research projects, including reports based on preliminary data. *Word limit: 2,500 words, excluding references*

Submitted manuscripts will be selected for inclusion in the LESLLA 2013 Proceedings based on blind peer review by the LESLLA 2013 editorial team. This means that the LESLLA 2013 editors will not know the identity of the author(s), as any identifying information is removed from the manuscript before review.

Because manuscripts will be blind reviewed, please DO NOT put your name on the manuscript. Instead, include a cover sheet with the following information as a **separate** Microsoft Word document:

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Please follow formatting guidelines from the American Psychological Association (APA) for in-text citations and reference lists.

Please contact us if you have questions (leslla2013@gmail.com). We are looking forward to your contributions!

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