

Dear ENGAGE students,

we cordially invite you to participate in the student conference Current Trends in Linguistics (CuTLi) with the theme *Multilingual Development and World Englishes* that will take place from March 28 to 29, 2019.

This conference includes academic talks and posters presented by graduate students, PhD students and renowned linguists working in the fields of second and third language acquisition, varieties of English, and related areas.

Participation can be two-fold:

(1) ENGAGE students, enrollment before summer term 2017:

You are invited to present a poster or to give a short talk during the conference. The call for papers and posters is out and already available on LinguistList (<https://linguistlist.org/issues/29/29-3223.html>). This is a great opportunity for you to get feedback on your current projects, future term papers, or your MA thesis.

In addition, you have the chance to help organize the conference which can be a very interesting and useful experience for you. You will not receive official credits for it, but you might nevertheless consider this as an additional qualification that you could add to your CV.

(2) ENGAGE students, enrollment summer term 2017 or later:

You are invited to become organizers of this conference as part of the module ENGAGE-M01b (15 Credits). This is a valuable experience for your future careers as you will acquire new skills that you can add to your CV.

In winter term 2018/2019 you will be planning the conference during regular meetings (Monday from 2 to 4 pm, every two weeks, starting 22.10.2018). The conference will take place from March 28 to 29, 2019.

You will be guided by Prof. Siemund, Prof. Fuchs, Richard Bonnie, Lijun Li, Eliane Lorenz, and Sharareh Rahbari.

This conference will be similar in spirit to the two previous CuTLi conferences that were hosted by our institute at the beginning of this year and last year:

<https://cutli2017.wordpress.com/>

<https://cutli2018.wordpress.com/>

We look forward to your contribution and we encourage you to contact us for further information. We would be grateful if you could give us a short notice whether you are interested in participating or not.

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