The 15th Asia-Pacific International Chinese Language Teaching Association Conference

The 15th International Conference of the Asia-Pacific Consortium of Teaching Chinese as an International Language (APC-TCIL15) will be hosted by the Australian Tertiary Chinese Teachers Association and the University of Melbourne from 25^h-26th October 2024. The theme of the conference is "Diversity and Development," focusing on the diversification of international Chinese learners and promoting communication and understanding among countries in the Asia-Pacific region through Chinese teaching and research. Our conference also aims to enhance interdisciplinary research in the broader fields of humanities and social sciences to address the challenges and opportunities of artificial intelligence. We cordially invite faculty members and postgraduate students to submit individual paper/panel proposals for participation in the conference.

Organizers: The Asia-Pacific Consortium of Teaching Chinese as an International Language (APC-TCIL)

Co-organizer: Australian Tertiary Chinese Teachers Association

Asia Institute, University of Melbourne

Themes:

Chinese Languages and Cultures

Chinese Teaching in the Multicultural Context

Localization of Teaching Materials

Chinese Teaching Curriculum Design and Student Streamlining

Chinese Teaching Pedagogy

Design of Chinese Course Assessment

Translation and Cross-Cultural Studies

International Chinese Proficiency Testing

Design of Online Chinese Courses

Localizing Training for Chinese Teachers and Teacher Development

Artificial Intelligence and Language Education

Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language and Chinese Teaching Beyond China

Conference Details:

• Date: October 25th (Friday) - 26th (Saturday), 2024

• Format: On-site meeting

• Venue: Asia Institute, University of Melbourne, Australia

• Conference Language: Chinese/English

• Conference Format: Paper presentation and panel discussion

Submission guidelines:

Submitted papers shall be related to the scope and listed topics of this conference.

Submitted papers should not have been previously published or presented in any form.

Abstracts of submitted papers must include titles, research backgrounds, research methods, and 3 to 5 keywords. The word count should not exceed 250 Chinese characters, or 300 English words.

Each participant can only present one paper. If a participant has more than one abstract accepted, they must choose one and inform the organizer when registering and paying the fee.

Participants must submit abstracts through the provided link; the conference organiser does not accept other forms of submission.

The deadline for abstract submission is 23:59 (AEST) on May 1st, 2024.

The results of abstract selection will be notified by email on May 31st, 2024.

All participants presenting papers must register and pay the conference fee by the required date to confirm their participation.

Conference Registration: After the abstract is accepted, please register and pay the registration fee on the website apc-tcil.com by July 15th, 2024.

Registration Fee: AUD200

Payment Instructions: payment link to be provided on apc-tcil.com

The conference organiser does not provide refund services. Once the conference fee is paid, no refund requests will be accepted.

The conference will use online payment methods and accept credit card.

The conference fee shall be paid in Australian dollars. Please contact the issuing bank for inquiries about foreign exchange transaction fees and currency exchange rates.

If you have any questions, please contact the organizing committee at apctcil15@gmail.com for assistance.

Key Dates:

May 1st, 2024: Deadline for Abstract submission

May 31st, 2024: Notification of abstract selection results

July 15th, 2024: Registration and payment due

October 25th-26th, 2024: Conference dates

Keynote Speakers (To be confirmed)