

# SECOND CALL FOR PAPERS

# JADIS IX · CIED IV

NONAS JORNADAS INTERNACIONAIS DE ANÁLISE DO DISCURSO  
&  
QUARTO CONGRESSO INTERNACIONAL DE ESTUDOS DO DISCURSO

12, 13 e 14 DE OUTUBRO DE 2022 | FACULDADE DE LETRAS DA UNIVERSIDADE DO PORTO

## PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE: DISCUSSING THE RELEVANCE OF DISCOURSE STUDIES

At present, Discourse Studies presents itself as a multifaceted area, dispersed, fragmented into streams of analysis, schools and theoretical and methodological frameworks that sometimes engage in little dialogue. This situation is reflected, for example, in the area's meetings, where so many different trends come together, such as Critical Discourse Studies, Semiolinguistics, Socio-discursive Interactionism, Textual Linguistics, 'French Discourse Analysis', Argumentation Studies, Semiotic Studies, Dialogic Studies, Analysis of Socioverbal Interactions, to name but a few. Researchers tend to learn and develop their research within specific frameworks, almost "professing" the principles of analysis of a particular school, without establishing dialogue with other ways of looking at *discourse*.

What advantages and disadvantages result from this state of the art?

In the future, can Discourse Studies researchers focus on what unites them, dialoguing more with other currents and trends beyond their own? Will it be possible to build a more cohesive area of studies, more focused on common objectives than on differences in theoretical and methodological apparatuses? Can a more comprehensive vision project a deeper look at the way we humans use language?

It is in this context, with more questions than answers, that JADIS IX and CIED IV chose the theme **Past, Present and Future: discussing the relevance of Discourse Studies**. Assuming itself as broad, the theme favours the dialogue between different currents of Discourse Studies, between different areas of Language Sciences and between different disciplines of Social Sciences, inviting to an integrated reflection on the object *discourse* and its scientific and social relevance.

### PARTICIPATION CONDITIONS

**Plenary sessions** and **Workshops** with invited speakers.

**Parallel sessions:** speakers selected by means of abstract submission. Papers will be allocated 20 minutes plus 10 minutes for questions.

**Thematic panels:** thematic panel proposals should include 4 or 5 speakers (one of them being the coordinator). The coordinator of the panel will be responsible for submitting a theme proposal, the panel abstract, identification of the participants and the abstract of each talk.

**Posters:** poster presentations are also allowed (max. 2 authors per poster)

All the Proposals should include the following information:

**Participation mode. Name of the author(s); Affiliation; Contact information (telephone number and e-mails address); Title of the proposal;**

**Abstract (maximum 300 words including: title, objectives, theoretical basis, methodology, results, essential bibliography (at least 3 references),**

**Keywords: from 3 to 5 keywords);**

Proposals may be written in Portuguese, English, Spanish or French and must be sent to

the following link: <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=jadis2022>

Submission deadline: July 15th

Deadline for acceptance notice: July 30th

A volume with a selection of papers presented in the Conference is planned. More information about the Meeting will be available at <http://web4.letras.up.pt/jadis/>

**Registration with paper - standard rate: 40.00€;**

**Registration with paper - special rate (post-graduate students): 20.00€;**

**Participation as listener: free of charge and free of registration**

The meeting will take place in a face-to-face format at the Faculty of Arts of the University of Porto, between 12, 13 and 14 October 2022.

The meeting foresees the possibility of registering 50 papers in virtual format. The very limited number of papers in this format will favour the selection of candidates from abroad and, within these, of candidates without the possibility of travelling in person to the University of Porto. Participants who intend to present a paper in virtual format should make this explicit in their proposal. The presentation in virtual format will be restricted to only one of the days of the Meeting. The face-to-face meeting will not be broadcasted virtually.

### COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The following events in the area of Language Sciences will also take place in Portugal in October:

XXXVIII ENAPL, to be held on 26, 27 and 28 October 2022 (National Meeting of the Portuguese Linguistics Association);

International Conference on Language MOOCs and OERs: new trends and challenges, 7 and 8 October 2022, at FLUP, <https://www.lmooc4slav.eu/conferences.php>