

MINSK STATE LINGUISTIC UNIVERSITY  
DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND INNOVATION ACTIVITIES

**INFORMATION LETTER NO. 1**



**Dear colleagues!**

We invite researchers in the field of experimental and generative linguistics, applied and computational linguistics, digital linguodidactics to participate in the International Scientific Conference "**Language in the Age of Digital Transformation and Artificial Intelligence Development**", which will be held on **October 23–24, 2024** at Minsk State Linguistic University.

Doctoral students, postgraduate students and graduate students are also invited to participate.

**The following topics for discussion are suggested:**

- corpus studies of language and speech;
- artificial intelligence technologies for solving linguistic problems;
- speech technologies and artificial intelligence;
- language training in the digital educational space;
- psychological and pedagogical aspects of the digital transformation of language education;
- multimodal communication in virtual space;
- computational lexicography;
- digital technologies in translation and translation education;
- interdisciplinary research based on textual data analysis;
- neural networks and generative artificial intelligence in media;
- digital technologies in intercultural communication;
- automatic natural language processing: experience and prospects.

**Working languages of the conference:** Russian, English.

**Form of participation:** face-to-face and live online participation. The conference is planned to be held in a combined format.

The collection of conference articles will be published in electronic form before the start of the conference and placed in free access in the MSLU repository, in the Scientific Electronic Library elibrary.ru (Russian Federation) with further processing by the Russian Science Citation Index (RSCI).

On the days of the conference, a professional development program "Digital Technologies as the Newest Educational Tool" can be held at the participants' request. The participants of the program will receive a certificate of the established standard. Additional conditions will be communicated in the information letter No. 2.

### **Terms of participation**

To participate in the conference it is necessary to fill in the application form and send the electronic version of the article to <https://forms.gle/BLz87T9Grp4Y4KpX8> by **June 30, 2024**. The name of the file/files should consist of the author's surname and the title of the document, for example: "Ivanov\_name of article.docx".

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to select articles to include in the conference program. The collection will include articles with text originality not lower than 70%, not previously published anywhere and performed within the framework of the actual directions of the problem field of the conference.

The registration fee is 35 Belarusian rubles for citizens of the Republic of Belarus / 1000 Russian rubles for citizens of the Russian Federation / 80 Chinese yuan for citizens of other countries.

Authors of the articles approved to participate in the conference will receive the program, invitation, and details for paying the registration fee by e-mail no later than **October 10, 2024**.

### **Guidelines for submitting articles**

1. The volume is **at least 5 pages**.
2. The article is formatted as follows:
  - Text editor - MS Word, font - Times New Roman, size (keg) - 14 pt.
  - Margins - 2 cm on all sides.
  - Line spacing is single.
  - Paragraph indent - 1 cm .
  - The Universal Decimal Classification (UDC) index is italicized in the upper left corner of the page.
  - Before the title of the publication in Russian and English (in two columns) should be indicated:
    - Surname (last name) and patronymic in full form (in bold upright font. Surname, last name and patronymic should be separated by a continuous space (Ctrl + Shift + space));
    - Academic degree;
    - city and country of residence (in parentheses);
    - place of employment;
    - Position;
    - e-mail address (in italics).
  - The title of the article in Russian is indicated in capital letters across a blank line in the center.
  - The title of the article is followed by a brief (1000-1500 characters) abstract in Russian, spaced at the beginning of the line in 12 pt font.

- On the next line after the title *Keywords* in 12 pt font, the key words (5-7 words) in Russian are separated by semicolons.
- The same information in English (title of the article in capital letters, abstract, keywords) is given across the blank line.
- The text is typed on a blank line with a paragraph indent with mandatory width alignment and automatic hyphenation. Pages are not numbered.

Examples in the text (in any language) are italicized, translations of examples **are** (is) obligatory in single quotes, e.g. *a table* 'table'. Dictionary definitions are double-quoted "...".

- An unbroken space shall be placed between the letters of initials, between initials and surname, as well as before the dash.
- It is advisable to avoid page-by-page footnotes in the text of articles.
- In-text citations are placed in square brackets indicating the source and page number, e.g. [1, p. 12] or [2, p. 15].
- After the text of the article, the LITERATURE section is indicated through a blank line (capital, centered); a list of literature is given through a blank line after it, which is ranked in the order of their appearance in the text, and numbered. The bibliographic data is formalized according to the [SIBID standard "Bibliographic reference"](#) according to the following model:

#### **1, 2, 3 authors**

Ladd R. Intonational phonology. Cambridge : Cambridge Univ. Press, 2001. 334p.

Semenov A. V., Semenova T. G. Abstracting and annotation in Russian and Chinese languages. V. V., Semenova T. G. Abstracting and annotation in Russian and Chinese languages. M. : Chance, 2019. 295 c.

Shevchenko T. I., Romanova E. Ju. Word stress mosaic of Global English: placement and perception variance // Russian Linguistic Bulletin. 2021. № 3 (27). P. 96-101.

Tarasova M. V. V., Ogorodov M. K., Petrova M. L. Types of dialogism in French newspaper discourse // Philological Sciences at MGIMO. 2019. № 4 (20). C. 56-63.

#### **4 or more authors**

Using the method of infotainment in the practice of modern Russian television / I. I. Karpenko, L. Yu. Ivanova, M. V. Kyuseva, M. V. Tarasova // Scientific Vedomosti BelGU. Ser. Humanities. 2017. № 28 (277). C. 97-105.

The Effects of Chinese Learners' English Acoustic-prosodic Patterns on Listeners' Attitudinal Judgements / H. Chen, Q. Wang. Wang, Y.L. Li, W.-D. Wu // The Southeast Asian Journal of English Language Studies. 2018. Vol. 22, № 2. P. 91-108.

#### **Dissertation for the academic degree of**

Bartosh N. N. Functioning of the null article in being statements of modern French : dissertation .... Cand. philol.nauki : 10.02.05. Minsk, 2019. 164 л.

#### **Electronic resource (Electronic/Online resource)**

##### **(no DOI)**

Vasilieva V. V. Relaxation aspect of entertainment journalism // Modern problems of science and education. 2012. № 2. URL: <http://www.science-education.ru/102-5907> (date of address: 11.07.2020).

Novikau S., Saal Y. von. Gebremstes Gedenken in Belarus [Electronic resource] // Osteuropa. Berlin, 2020. H. 10/11. S. 399-418. URL: <http://elib.mslu.by/handle/edoc/5845> (accessed: 19.12.2021).

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DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/19463014.2018.1485589>

### Example of article design

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### ARTICLE TITLE IN RUSSIAN

Abstract in Russian.

*Keywords: keyword; keyword.*

### ARTICLE TITLE IN ENGLISH

Abstract in English.

*Key words: key word; key word.*

Publication text

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