The general topic of the 19th ICL is The Language-Cognition Interface, aiming to address the more currently strategic topics developed in the last decades at the interface of Linguistics and Cognitive Sciences and to show the various contributions of linguistics to our knowledge of human cognition.

This Congress, one hundred years after Ferdinand de Saussure’s death, in his town and his University, will assess the results of one hundred years of scientific work and draw the perspectives for future developments.

Chair of the LOC: Jacques Moeschler
Chair of the SC: Stephen Anderson

Expected contributions and calls for papers

Up to 750 papers (parallel sessions and workshops) and posters are expected. The first call for papers aims at soliciting workshop organizers and at initial submission of papers offered for the parallel sessions or the poster sessions.

➡ First call: May 2011
➡ Second call: November 2011
➡ Third call: March 2012
➡ Deadline for submission: September 2012
➡ Find all the information on our website

Keynote speakers

Peter Auer (University of Freiburg), Karen Emmorey (San Diego State University), Giorgio Graffi (University of Verona), W. Tecumseh Fitch, University of Vienna), Liliane Haegeman (University of Ghent), Mark Johnson (Macquarie University, Sydney), Angelika Kratzer (University of Massachusetts, Amherst), Philippe Schlenker (Institut Jean Nicod, Paris, University of New York)

Parallell sessions and organizers

Saussure and his legacy (Frederick Newmeyer), Origin of language and human cognition (Anne Reboul), The life, growth and death of languages (Claire Bowern), Phonology and Morphology (Marc van Oostendorp), Theoretical and comparative syntax (Luigi Rizzi), Semantics-pragmatics interfaces (Kai von Fintel & David Beaver), Psycholinguistics (Ulrich Frauenfelder), Sociolinguistics and multilingualism (Edgar Schneider), Experimental and computational approaches to language and linguistics (Eric Wehrli & Paola Merlo), Varia (Stephen Anderson)

Special events: Latsis lectures

Latsis Guest Lecturer
Noam Chomsky (MIT)

University of Geneva Latsis prize lecturers
A. Bellètti (Siena), J. Moeschler (Geneva), G. Puskas (Geneva), I. Roberts (Cambridge), L. de Saussure (Neuchâtel & Geneva), V. Seretan (Geneva)

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