

Department of English and American Studies
Translation and Interpreting Section
Faculty of Arts, Palacký University Olomouc, Czech Republic

is pleased to invite you to the

Translation and Interpreting Forum Olomouc 2019
"Teaching Translation vs. Training Translators"
November 15–16, 2019

Since 2011, when it was held for the first time, the Translation and Interpreting Forum Olomouc has established itself as an open platform which is not limited only to an academic exchange within translation and interpreting studies research but embraces discussion with all players in the field of cross-language communication.

The 2019 conference theme **"Teaching Translation vs. Training Translators"** revisits the topic of education and training of translators/interpreters. The featured guest speakers for TIFO 2019 are **Luc van Doorslaer** (University of Tartu / KU Leuven) and **Chris Durban** (freelance financial translator, Paris). We welcome proposals addressing, without limitation, the following topics:

-) teaching translation and interpreting: theory and practice
-) balancing translator competences – language, thematic, etc.
-) fitness for market as the ultimate goal?
-) translating into L2: a market need or a forbidden path?
-) changing role of the interpreter: implications for the classroom
-) technologies in the classroom and in the field
-) translation in language teaching – the fifth skill
-) CPD – university degree awarded, professional development started
-) translation as a labour of love or source of income?

We welcome BOTH papers presenting results of academic research AND contributions by professionals in the field.

The invitation to participate is extended to all parties concerned: academics (teachers and students), professional translators and interpreters, trade organisations and professional institutions, publishing houses, agencies providing language services, "in-house" language departments of transnational corporations, companies developing support tools and technology, et cetera.

It is possible to apply with a paper, presentation or poster. **To accommodate numerous requests, we are making a 2nd call for papers with the deadline for abstracts extended to September 30, 2019.** Notifications of acceptance will be sent out by October 15, 2019. For further details refer to the registration form that can be downloaded at the conference website <http://tifo.upol.cz>.

Selected papers are to be published in a peer-reviewed thematic volume. More details will be provided in due course.

Programme Outline:

Friday November 15, 2019

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

7:00 pm

1st day of conference

Social evening

Saturday November 16, 2019

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

2nd day of conference

For participants arriving on Thursday there will be an evening guided tour around Olomouc historical inner city and a welcome drink.

Venue:

The conference will take place at Palacký University Olomouc. The venue will be specified later.

Registration:

Please fill in the electronic registration form that can be downloaded at the conference website <http://tifo.upol.cz> and send it by e-mail to tifo@upol.cz. The conference fee is 50 EUR / 1,300 CZK.

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