

CONFERENCE WATCH

Upcoming conferences

The Second International Conference of English as a Lingua Franca

April 6-8, 2009

Department of Modern Languages

University of Southampton, UK

The deadline for submission of abstracts is past.

<http://www.southampton.ac.uk/ml/research/elf.html>

Conference on Laughter and Humour in Interaction

June 24-25, 2009

Huddersfield University

Huddersfield, UK

Deadline for submission of abstracts is December 15, 2008.

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The 11th International Pragmatics Conference

July 12-17, 2009

The International Pragmatics Association

Melbourne, Australia

The deadline for submission of abstracts is past.

<http://ipra.ua.ac.be>

The 18th International Conference on Pragmatics and Language Learning

July 16-20, 2010

Kobe University, Kobe, Japan

<http://www.pragsig.org/pll/>

Summer Institute in Applied Linguistics

2009 Summer Institute in Applied Linguistics

Pennsylvania State University (Penn State), USA

A two-week or four-week summer program offering courses in Applied Linguistics taught by international scholars. Travel awards are available.

First session: June 22-July 3

Second session: July 6-17

<http://outreach.psu.edu/programs/applied-linguistics/course-descriptions.html>