



**PCLA Conference 2015**  
**COGNITIVE LINGUISTICS IN 2015**  
**JĘZYKOZNAWSTWO KOGNITYWNE W ROKU 2015**

**Call for Papers**

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Polish Cognitive Linguistics Association in collaboration with Department of Cognitive Linguistics, Department of Cultural Linguistics, and Department of Applied Linguistics of Maria Curie-Skłodowska University (UMCS), Lublin, Poland are pleased to launch a Call for Papers for the **2015 annual PCLA conference**.

When: **September 24-26, 2015**

Where: Faculty of the Humanities, **UMCS, Lublin, Poland**

Conference languages: English and Polish

### PLENARY SPEAKERS

Prof. Barbara Lewandowska-Tomaszczyk (University of Łódź, Poland)

Prof. Suzanne Kemmer (Rice University, Houston, TX, USA)

Prof. Christopher Hart (Lancaster University, UK)

Prof. Jerzy Bartmiński (UMCS, Lublin, Poland)

### SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

Please send in your doc or docx abstract of no more than 300 words (plus 3-4 keywords and References, if any), to the conference e-mail [jk2015@umcs.eu](mailto:jk2015@umcs.eu) by **February 21, 2015**. Your abstract should clearly state the scope and aims of your research, the methodology applied, the expected results, etc. Above all, it must be evident that your research lies within the cognitive linguistics enterprise, e.g. (the list is obviously open-ended and should only be treated as a set of general guidelines):

- cognitive semantics
- linguistic categorization
- metaphor and metonymy

- conceptual blending
- force dynamics
- embodiment (including extended and/or social embodiment)
- cognitive sociolinguistics
- cognitive linguistics and translation
- cognitive cultural linguistics/ethnolinguistics
- cognitive approaches to discourse
- cognitive text linguistics
- cognitive poetics
- perspectivization
- language and the brain
- cognitive linguistics from the pedagogical perspective

Please include your name and affiliation in the abstract – these will subsequently be removed for the purpose of the anonymous review process. Therefore, avoid making any direct references to your own previous work or indicating the authorship of the abstract in any other way. If you need to refer to yourself, please use “AUTHOR” instead of your name.

You will be notified of the results of the abstract evaluation procedure by **May 10, 2015**.

## THEME SESSIONS

You're welcome to organize your own theme session within the conference. The procedure is as follows:

1. Send a proposal to the conference e-mail **jk2015@umcs.eu** with the names and affiliations of the session organizers, the session's theme, a description in prose of no more than **600 words**, and the expected number of participants, by **January 18, 2015**. (Note: theme sessions usually last one morning or afternoon, which allows for probably up to six papers to be delivered. A longer session is possible but will have to be negotiated with the conference organizers.)
2. You will be notified of the acceptance/rejection of the session by **February 8, 2015**. If accepted, feel free to advertise it through your own chosen channels. Abstracts should be submitted to and evaluated by the session organizers (not by the conference organizers or the conference Scientific Committee) in the manner they see fit. Please send us the details of the procedure (abstract requirements, important dates, contact information, etc.) so we can also make them known through our website.
3. Send us the programme of the session (names, titles, chairs, discussants, etc.) by **April 30, 2015**, together with a short description of the session to be included in the conference programme.

## CONFERENCE FEE

### Faculty:

- early-bird (by June 1, 2015): 350 PLN / 90 EUR
- regular (by June 30, 2015): 450 PLN / 115 EUR

### Ph.D. students:

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