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**MONOGRAPH on *The Language of Sports and Adventure Tourism***

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*Alicante Journal of English Studies* is currently preparing a **Special Issue on the Language of Sports and Adventure Tourism** to appear at the end of 2019.

It invites **contributions on a variety of aspects of the language of sports and adventure tourism**: lexis, semantics, stylistics, discourse analysis, language contact, etc. Contributions should focus on the English language, either in itself, related to, or in comparison or contrast with other language(s).

The notion of **"sports"** is here to be interpreted as activities in which athletes, players or teams compete against each other, typically involving physical effort. Examples include athletics, boxing, gymnastics, tennis and wrestling, as well as basketball, football, floorball, ice hockey and volleyball (but not billiards, darts, shooting, etc.). By **"adventure tourism"** we understand outdoor activities relying on features of the natural terrain, and generally requiring specialized equipment (cf. Buckley 2006). Such activities are illustrated by rafting, kayaking, diving, surfing, snowboarding, ice climbing, mountaineering, horse riding as well as various aerial adventures.

In addition to scholarly articles, proposals for book reviews of recent publications related to the field of sports and adventure tourism language are also welcome.

Submissions will be submitted to a double-blind peer-reviewed panel.

**Abstracts** outlining problematization, methodology and potential conclusions (approx. 400 words, not including bibliographical references) should be submitted before **December 31th, 2018** to [balteiro@ua.es](mailto:balteiro@ua.es)

Summary of relevant dates:

September, 2018: First CfP

November 17, 2018: Second CfP/Reminder

December 31, 2018: Deadline for submission of abstracts

January 15, 2019: Notification to authors

May 30, 2019: Deadline for submission of full papers

July 15, 2019: P2P reviews

From September 1 to October 1, 2019: Deadline for submission of final revised papers

From October 1 to October 31, 2019: Editors working on the final version of volume