

Call for Papers

ITAP Annual Conference

Pragmatics across different educational stages (Infant, Primary, Secondary, Adult)

The International Association for Teaching Pragmatics (ITAP) is pleased to announce the **ITAP Annual Conference 2024** which will be held in **blended format (online and at Universitat de Barcelona)** on **June 21, 2024**.

The main theme of the seminar will be *Pragmatics across different educational stages (Infant, Primary, Secondary, Adult)*. The following scholars have accepted to be the keynote speakers:

Dr Naoko Taguchi (Northern Arizona University, USA)
Dr Milica Savic (University of Stavanger, Norway)

1. Conference Presentation Types

Presentations must be in English and should address any of the subjects in the list of topics below.

A) Individual oral presentations

These must be 20-minute oral presentations, followed by 10 minutes for questions and discussion. These include research papers or classroom experiences focusing on teaching methodologies. Presentations should be practical-oriented and prepared with the aim of addressing a wide audience.

B) Workshops

These must be 30-minute hands-on sessions which should include a variety of practical activities in order to engage the audience in the session.

C) Ph.D. students' oral presentations

These must be 20-minute oral presentations, followed by 10 minutes for questions and discussion. This time slot will be devoted to Ph.D. students that are currently carrying out their research on pragmatics in different educational stages. In this session students will be able to share their current work and also get feedback from well-known scholars in the field.

2. Conference Topics

The presentations and workshops may include the following topics, but other topics related to the conference's theme will be welcome:

- Classroom studies or teaching practices on learners' L2 pragmatic awareness in infant/primary/secondary/adult education.
- Classroom studies or teaching practices on learners' L2 pragmatic production in infant/primary/secondary/adult education.

- Effects of methodological proposals for teaching L2 pragmatics in infant/primary/secondary/adult education.
- Studies or teaching practices on the implementation of resources for teaching L2 pragmatics in infant/primary/secondary/adult education.
- Teacher education studies in infant/primary/secondary/adult instructional contexts.

3. Submissions

All proposals should be submitted via email: itap.association@gmail.com

Please make sure that your submission includes the following information:

- Abstract no longer than 300 words. Please name this file "Abstract_Surname" (format Word/pdf file, Times New Roman 12).
- Data file containing the Author/s' name(s) and affiliation(s), the title of the paper, the type of submission (individual oral presentation, workshop or PhD presentation), the e-mail address(es), and equipment required if the presentation is intended to be at the University of Barcelona premises. Please name this file "Data_Surname" (format Word/pdf file).

4. Important dates:

- ONLINE ABSTRACT SUBMISSIONS: DEADLINE March 15th, 2024
- Notification of acceptance: April 15th, 2024
- Registration: From April 15th to May 15th, 2024

5. Registration fees:

	In person	Online
Presenter (general fee)	30 euros	20 euros
Presenter (student fee)	15 euros	10 euros
Attendee (general fee)	15 euros	Free (only ITAP members)
Attendee (student fee)	10 euros	Free (only ITAP members)

We look forward to meeting you all at the ITAP Annual Conference 2024.

The ITAP Team