ANNOUNCING...

Fifteen-Year Anniversary Virtual Conference for the Doctoral Program in
Applied Linguistics & Technology
Iowa State University
December 3-5, 2020

The faculty and students of the Applied Linguistics & Technology (ALT) program at Iowa State University are happy to announce a virtual conference event recognizing the 15-year anniversary of the doctoral program. The ALT program was approved by the Iowa Board of Regents in May of 2005 in response to the Department of English proposal expressing the need for doctoral studies in applied linguistics with an emphasis on the evolving technologies positioned to transform language teaching, assessment, and research. Today, with successful ALT program graduates across the globe, and more ALT graduates soon to join them, the ALT program has much to celebrate as it enters the 15th year of teaching, learning, research and innovation.

In recognition of ALT program successes, this event was designed to include former students throughout the world who have much to share about their current research, practice, or both. There will be recorded and live sessions available to conference participants arranged in a schedule to allow opportunities for learning, discussing, and connecting with former classmates, faculty, and ALT students present and past.

All past and current students are welcome to participate. So far, we are expecting Adolfo Carrillo Cabello, YunDeok, Elena Cotos, Sarah Huffman, Lea Johannsen, Hyunwoo Kim, Hye-won Lee, Jooyoung, Lee, Yongkook Won, Zhi Li, Edna Lima, Stephanie Link, Hong Ma, Shannon McCrocklin, RaniaMohammed, Anne O’Bryan, Moonyoung Park, Jim Ranalli, Aysel Saricaoglu, Jordon Smith, Russ Suvorov, Sonca Vo, Jing Xu, Hyejin Yang and more!

All former graduate students in TESL/Applied Linguistics and Applied Linguistics and Technology programs are welcome to present. Please enter your information and 250–300 word abstract here: https://iastate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3lqhgSegdiuxWNMh

Former students who have not yet indicated plans to participate are welcome to join.

Conference Organizing Committee

Faculty: Carol Chapelle, Elena Cotos, and John Levis

ALT Students: Fatemeh Bordbarjavidi, Denise Coberley, Haeun Kim, Ananda Muhammad, Taichi Yamashita, and Zoe Zawadzki
Conference Preparation Schedule

September 5: ALT alumni submit a 200-word abstract of 15-minute presentation. The abstract should be submitted here: https://iastate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3lqh5egdiuxWNMh

October 16: Schedule for presentations posted

October 30: ALT alumni submit their recorded presentation.

November 23 - December 5: Asynchronous presentations available to conference participants

December 3-5: Conference dates including discussion of recorded presentations and live sessions.

Questions and Ideas: carolc@iastate.edu