

The First International Conference **Terminology - Heritage and Modernity**

The school of Georgian terminology has a long history and a rich terminological heritage (church and theological, philosophical, grammatical, mathematical and other types of Georgian terminology date back to the VII-X centuries). However, recently in almost every branch of science in Georgia, terminological diversity has ballooned. Problems in terminology hinders the development of bilingual Lexicography in some way.

In order to solve this problem, the Department of Scientific Terminology and Bilingual Dictionaries of Arnold Chikobava Institute of Linguistics at TSU has since 2013 organized a local annual conference **Scientific Terminology**, and publishes the scientific journal **Terminological Issues**. Recently, this department founded the Vukol Beridze Association of Terminology of Georgia (GTA). This association has already been accepted as a member of the European Association for Terminology (EAFT). This year, we are extending the format of our annual conference by expanding to an international audience. Welcome participants to the first international **Terminology - Heritage and Modernity** conference.

Conference Dates:

14-16 September 2018

Venue:

Tbilisi, Georgia

Keynote Speakers:

Mzekala Shanidze – Professor Emeritus at Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, Correspondent Member at the Academy of Science

Henrik Nilsson – President of European Association for Terminology (EAFT)

Albina Auksoriute – President of Infoterm, the International Information Centre for Terminology

Damana Melikishvili – Professor Emeritus at Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University.

The topics of the conference include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Specialized Terminology
2. Problems of Modern Terminology
3. History of Terminological work
4. Problems of Bilingual Lexicography
5. Bilingual Lexicology (history, modern studies)
6. Other related topics.

Persons with academic degree, as well as with Master's degree and Doctor's degree are allowed to participate in the conference.

Official languages of the conference: Georgian and English

Submission information:

- Deadline for abstract submission **15 June 2018**
- Notice of acceptance by **25 June 2018**

Abstracts of 400 words as Word (doc, docx, in Sylfaen) accompanied by the personal information of the participant (name, affiliation and phone number) must be mailed to geoterms.ge@gmail.com

Conference fees:

Fees include conference materials, lunch and refreshments for conference days, but not accommodation:

- Active participants 70 EUR; reduced fee for students: 40 EUR upon presentation of a valid document at registration
- Participants without presentation 30 EUR; reduced fee for students: 20 EUR upon presentation of a valid document at registration
- Conference dinner 30 EUR (not included in the conference fee)
- Excursion (not included in the conference fee)

Organizers:

TSU Arnold Chikobava Institute of Linguistics

European Association for Terminology (EAFT)

Georgian National Academy of Science

State Language Department

Georgian Technical University

The National Parliamentary Library of Georgia

Vukol Beridze Association of Terminology of Georgia

European School

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