



The main aims of ASFLA are to:

- promote scholarship and research in SFL
- disseminate the results of research in SF linguistic theory
- organise national conferences around SF linguistic theory and related fields
- support appropriate SFL teaching activities
- maintain the relationship with the International SFLA.

ASFLA Website: www.asfla.org.au



The Australian Literacy Educators' Association is an organization dedicated to the improvement of literacy development and English language learning at all levels. It provides support and professional development to educators and others interested in literacy through international, national, state and regional conferences, workshops and seminars, journals, position papers and other publications.

ALEA Website: www.alea.edu.au

**** PROPOSED PROGRAM ****

Tuesday 26th September

5.30pm-7.00pm: Welcome Reception

Wednesday 27th September

9.00am-5.00pm: Opening, Plenary Keynote, Parallel Papers

Thursday 28th September

9:00am-5.00pm: Plenary Keynote, Parallel Papers, Workshops

5:00pm-5:45pm: ASFLA AGM

7:00pm: Conference Dinner

Friday 29th September

9:00am-5.00pm: Plenary, Keynote, Parallel Papers, Workshops

CALL FOR PAPERS

Submission of abstracts are invited for papers (40 minutes) and workshops (90 minutes). Papers and Workshops addressing some aspect of the conference theme are encouraged but papers dealing with any aspect of systemic functional linguistics or multimodal semiotics as well as those dealing with various dimensions of literacies education will be very welcome.

Abstracts of up to 200 words should be submitted online by April 7th, 2006 at

www.une.edu.au/campus/confco/asfla2006

Alternatively, abstracts can be emailed as an attachment to confco@une.edu.au.

Please include the following:

Title of up to 20 words;

Specify Paper or Workshop;

Request for paper to be refereed by peer review.

Author(s);

Contact Details including email, mail address, phone and fax.

Abstract submissions will be automatically acknowledged by return email and acceptances will be communicated by May 1st, 2006.

Those wishing to have their papers refereed by peer review will need to submit the completed paper by May 31st, 2006. Please see author guidelines on the website.

Remote Area Teacher Travel Sponsorship:

ASFLA will subsidise the travel costs (up to \$400 or the cost of the cheapest return air fare) for 4 teachers from remote areas according to the following criteria: The teachers are financial members of ASFLA (or join with conference registration); submit high quality abstracts; be accompanied by at least one other teacher/participant in their school or local region who has registered for the conference; and present an argument outlining how their participation in the conference will benefit their school. Applications are available from the conference website.

Postgraduate Student Travel Sponsorship:

ASFLA will subsidise the travel costs (up to \$400 or the cost of the cheapest return air fare) for 2 postgraduate students who are financial members of ASFLA (or join with conference registration); who submit high quality abstracts. Applications are available from the conference website.

IMPORTANT DATES

Deadline for Abstracts - April 7th, 2006

Abstract Acceptances - May 1st, 2006

Refereed Paper Deadline - May 31st, 2006

Early Bird Registration - July 1st, 2006

CONFERENCE VENUE IN ARMIDALE

The conference will be held in the Faculty of Education, Health and Professional Studies building which is located on the Eastern side of the University of New England Campus. It is a short walk from the preferred on campus accommodation at Mary White College, The Booloominbah Collection (conference dinner venue) and the Union Bistro. The UNE campus is itself about 4km from the centre of Armidale.

CONFERENCE DINNER - September 28th

The conference dinner will be held on campus at The Booloominbah Collection on Thursday evening. As a setting it is unmatched with sweeping lawns, gardens and majestic trees surrounding the historic Booloominbah homestead. Cost for the dinner is **\$66.00 per person**. Partners and friends are most welcome to join us. Bookings must be made on the Registration form.

Please register online at:

www.une.edu.au/campus/confco/asfla2006

Alternatively, please complete the registration form overleaf and fax or post with payment to:

Conference Secretariat, UNE Conference Company, University of New England, ARMIDALE NSW 2351 [ABN 75792454315]

T'phone: (02) 6773 2154, Fax: (02) 6773 3766

Email: confco@une.edu.au

Registration Cancellation Policy: All cancellations must be made in writing to the UNE Conference Company. Cancellations before August 25th, 2006 will forfeit \$55.00 of registration fee to cover administration costs. No refunds will be made after August 25th, 2006 but substitute delegates are acceptable.

Disclaimer: Conference host body and organising committee reserves the right to make changes to the conference program if necessary. Information is accurate at the time of printing.

Privacy Policy: Relevant details will be incorporated into a delegate list for the benefit of all delegates (name and organization only), and may also be made available to parties directly related to the conference including venue and accommodation providers.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

(PLEASE PRINT)

Registrations Close September 15th, 2006

All fees are in AU\$ and include GST

Title_____ Family Name_____

First Name_____

Name for Badge_____

Institution_____

Address_____

_____ Postcode_____

Phone_____ Fax_____

Email_____

Special dietary requirements or other needs:

ESTIMATED ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES

(We are hoping to meet you at the airport and transport you to your hotel/motel or college)

Arrival Date _____ Time_____

Flight No. _____

Depart Date _____ Time_____

Flight No. _____

ON CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION

I wish to stay on campus at Mary White College @ \$60.00 per person per night.

In Date_____

Out Date_____

No. Nights_____ No. Persons_____

Please visit the conference website for further information about the conference including off campus accommodation options and visitor information.

www.une.edu.au/campus/confco/asfla2006

REGISTRATION RATES

Please select options below

Column A. Early Bird Rates (on or before July 1 st)		
Column B. Standard Rates (after July 1 st)		
	A.	B.

Full Registration (3-days)

<input type="checkbox"/> ASFLA/ALEA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$350.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$390.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$440.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$275.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Non-Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$295.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$345.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Welcome Reception, 5.30pm Sept 26 th (complimentary with Full Registration)		

Single Day Registration

<input type="checkbox"/> ASFLA/ALEA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$165.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$215.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$180.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$230.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$140.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$190.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Non-Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday	<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	<input type="checkbox"/> Friday
If you are not a member of ASFLA or ALEA we invite you to join below. This will entitle you to register at the Member Rates above.		

New Membership of ASFLA

<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Full	\$40.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Student	\$25.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr School	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Life	\$250.00

New Membership of ALEA

<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Individual	\$82.50
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Student	\$38.50
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Family	\$93.50
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-yr Institution	\$132.00
Conference Dinner	\$66.00 per ticket

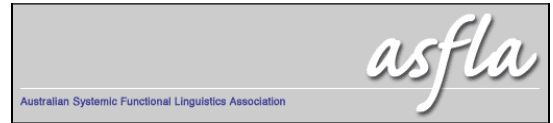
Registration Fee Due: \$ _____
 New Membership Due: \$ _____
 Conference Dinner Due: \$ _____
 Mary White College Due: \$ _____
TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

Cheque (payable to UNE Conference Coy)
 Mastercard Bankcard Visacard
 Cardholders Name: _____

Card No: _____

Total Amount: _____ Expiry ____/____

Signature: _____



**MULTIMODAL TEXTS & MULTILITERACIES:
 Semiotic Theory and Practical Pedagogy**

**Australian Systemic Functional
 Linguistics Association
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PLENARY SPEAKERS

- Professor Theo van Leeuwen**
(University of Technology, Sydney)
- Professor Jim Martin**
(University of Sydney)
- Professor John Stephens**
(Macquarie University)
- Professor Peter Freebody**
(University of Queensland)
- Dr Mary Macken-Horarik**
(University of Canberra)

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

- Dr Louise Ravelli** (University of NSW)
- Dr Clare Painter** (University of NSW)
- Dr Angela Thomas** (University of Sydney)
- Associate Professor Jane Torr**
(Macquarie University)
- Professor Claire Wyatt-Smith**
(Griffith University)

27-29 September 2006

**School of Education
 University of New England
 Armidale NSW Australia**

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