

Call for Abstracts: Central Kentucky Linguistics Conference (CKLiC) 2025

The 13th annual Central Kentucky Linguistics Conference (CKLiC) will be held in-person February 28 and March 1, 2025. Hosted by the University of Kentucky's Linguistics Graduate Student Association (LGSA), we are excited to invite submissions from undergraduate and graduate students engaging in linguistics and language-based research.

We are currently soliciting abstracts for posters and presentations, as well as workshop proposals with a **deadline of January 12th, 2025**, at 11:59 PM.

Abstracts may be submitted here – <https://forms.gle/odDWNPeYanbxWwP5A>

Workshop proposals may be submitted here – <https://forms.gle/EccVhS18Jjv7vWdr8>

Abstract Submission

Submitted abstracts should contain the following information:

- title of your presentation
- descriptive abstract of your project presentation (no more than 400 words, with up to one additional page of references or figures).

Abstract review will be a double-blind review process.

For this reason, your abstract should not include your name or any other identifying information.

Final decisions will be communicated by January 29th, 2025.

Abstracts may be submitted after the January 12th deadline; however, late abstracts will not be reviewed blind.

Submission Types

We plan to accept three types of submissions for the conference:

Traditional Presentations (15-minute presentation + 5-minute Q&A)

- may be project proposals or completed projects

Poster Presentations

- may be project proposals or completed projects
- posters will be presented digitally. **You do not need to print a poster for this conference.**

Workshops (90-120 minutes)

We would be delighted to host a linguistics research workshop – please see the following page with descriptions to learn more about proposing “Data/Methods Workshops”

Meeting Location:

This year’s conference will take place in-person at the University of Kentucky.

Meeting Dates:

February 28 and March 1, 2025

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Contact:

Please visit our web page for more information, or contact us with any questions at the following email address: cklic@uky.edu

Data/Methods Workshops

We are excited to host workshop sessions as a part of the conference. Workshops can be submitted for a 90 or 120 minute time slot within the conference. A proposed workshop should showcase something you or your department excels at and should share perspectives or tools of inquiry and analysis that attendees can bring back to their own departments and use to enrich their research.

Proposed workshops should be interactive, and hands-on where applicable, and may be student-led or faculty-led. While certain aspects can be specific to your own department, they should not be bound to specific locations or resources, and should include software, methods, or equipment that are reasonably replicable for all participants, should they be interested in applying these new skills to their research.