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The Consortium for Translation Education Research (CTER)

kindly invites academics and teachers of translation to an international conference:

Complexity and Dispersion in Translation Pedagogy

2nd CTER Congress 2019

Kraków, 14th-15th March, 2019

(held with the endorsement of the **European Society for Translation Studies**)

Conference venue:

Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Auditorium Maximum, Krupnicza 33

The Consortium for Translation Education Research has been established to consolidate the experience and achievements of individuals, bodies and institutions that focus on translator education. Relying on local pedagogical traditions, but reaching out for more experience and expertise beyond local contexts, it aims to elevate the academic status of Translation Studies in the area of Translation Pedagogy from a marginalized position to that of a fully professional and academically acknowledged field. CTER is open to a wide range of approaches - historical, epistemological, sociological, linguistic, professional, practical and others, and its aim is to enquire into Translation Pedagogy as a modern sub-discipline of Translation Studies.

The 2nd CTER Congress will be an opportunity to reflect on the current state of affairs in translator education and translation pedagogy and delve into the possible dimensions of complexity and dispersion in the field. Therefore, we invite translation scholars and researchers, translation teachers, TS doctoral students involved in various research

programmes and professional translators to participate in the event and contribute to the discussions.

Conference topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Translation education practice trends and issues;
- Complexity theories;
- Complexity and dispersion in Translation Studies and in Translation Pedagogy;
- Pedagogical innovations in translator training;
- TS research and methodologies in Translation Pedagogy;
- Conceptualisations of translator and translator educator competence; 21st century skills;
- Academia vs. Industry; professionalisation and employability;
- Curriculum and course design;
- Specialised translation;
- Modes of specialisation (by types of translation, by translation problems);
- Directionality and language pairs in teaching;
- Translation assessment;
- Professional and pedagogical assessment;
- Evaluation of curricula and courses;
- Technologies in translator education;
- E-learning and telecollaboration;
- Problem-solving and decision-making;
- Creativity and critical thinking.

The Congress will host

- **a general meeting of CTER members** and
- an international **panel discussion** on “Complexity and Dispersion in Contemporary Translation Pedagogy”

Plenary speakers:

Professor **Don Kiraly**, School of Translation, Linguistics and Cultural Studies of the University of Mainz, Germany

Professor **Gary Massey**, ZHAW School of Applied Linguistics Translation and Interpreting, Switzerland

Guest speaker:

Professor **Łucja Biel**, Secretary of the European Society for Translation Studies, Institute of Applied Linguistics (ILS), University of Warsaw, Poland

Presentations: The standard length for conference paper presentations will be 30 minutes (20 minutes for presentation plus 10 minutes for discussion).

The language of the conference is English. Paper presentations in Polish are also possible and they will be interpreted into English.

Submission of proposals

If you wish to deliver a presentation, please prepare a 200-300 word abstract of your paper and submit it on registration by **December 15th, 2018**. A notification message on abstract approval or rejection will be sent to every author by January 15th, 2019.

Registration

A link to the registration platform in English for both participants and speakers will be available from **mid-November** at <http://cter.edu.pl/en/registration-4/> (please use the language switcher on the CTER website to register in Polish).

Conference fee

The conference fee is 550 PLN (120 EUR) and covers participation, conference materials, coffee breaks and official conference dinner on Thursday 14th March.

NB: Travel and accommodation costs are to be covered individually by each conference participant. Information on recommended hotels is available on the conference website.

Important Dates

Closing date for submission of abstracts:	December 15th, 2018
Abstract acceptance notification:	January 15th, 2019
Deadline for the registration fee:	February 1st, 2019

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