



# 6TH BIENNIAL CLIL SYMPOSIUM:

NEW PERSPECTIVES IN INTERCULTURAL EDUCATION AND ASSESSMENT

SEPTEMBER 9 - 10, 2016 UNIVERSIDAD DEL NORTE - BARRANQUILLA, ATLÁNTICO

The Universidad del Norte, the Universidad de La Sabana, and Pearson Colombia would like to invite you to attend the 6th Biennial CLIL Symposium, to be held at the Universidad del Norte campus in Barranquilla, Colombia on September 9-10, 2016.

This year's symposium focuses on assessment and interculturality in the CLIL classroom, including issues in the teaching of intercultural competencies and contents, assessing of and for learning, and innovative practices and solutions for the CLIL classroom.

We are very fortunate to have experienced keynote speakers in the field of CLIL from Finland, Spain, and the USA confirmed thus far: David Marsh, Phil Ball, Mary Schleppegrell, and Deborah Short. We are, as ever, committed to bringing the latest CLIL knowledge and trends to the people who require it most— the teachers in schools, language institutes and universities across the country.

We look forward to your participation in the 2016 Biennial CLIL Symposium. Please find below more information on how to submit a proposal, as well as information regarding prices, dates, and how to register. We are looking forward to seeing you there! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us via the email address [clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com](mailto:clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com).

Sincerely,

The 2016 CLIL Symposium Committee



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## IMPORTANT DATES

1st call for papers deadline.	March 28th
2nd call for paper deadline.	May 31st
Final confirmation of participation.	July 15th
Early bird registration deadline.	July 31st
Pre-registration ends.	September 8th
5th CLIL Symposium.	September 9th and 10th

## PRICES AND PAYMENTS

Type of registration	Registration period	Colombian Pesos (COP\$)
Individual Registration	Early Bird Before July 31st	\$255.000
	Until September 8th	\$295.000
Groups of 3-5 people from the same institution	Early Bird Before July 31st	\$210.000
	Until September 8th	\$250.000
Groups of 6 or more people from the same institution	Early Bird Before July 31st	\$190.000
	Until September 8th	\$230.000





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## Presentation categories

Proposals can be submitted for either 50 minute or 20-minute presentations:

- **50 minute presentations:** 40 minutes presenting & 10 minutes for questions
  - *Research Report:* One or more presenters share their original research on a relevant topic.
  - *Awareness Session:* One or more presenters address the audience on relevant topic. Content should provide specific implementation ideas.
  - *Workshop Session:* One or more presenters conduct a hands-on workshop to allow participants to experience implementation. Workshop should allow time for participants to debrief and provide feedback.
- **20 minute presentations:** 15 minutes presenting & 5 minutes for questions
  - *Hot Topic Session:* A brief oral summary of an innovative or successful teaching experience or research related to the CLIL classroom. These sessions should be succinct & to the point. Presenters are not expected to implement any activity with the audience.

## How to submit your proposal

Submit your proposal to [clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com](mailto:clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com). An e-mail acknowledging receipt will be sent to you within 2 days of submission. Please check your spam filter if the e-mail notification does not reach you.

## Format of abstracts

All submissions must include an abstract of 150-250 words, excluding the title, names and affiliations. Do not include charts, tables, images, or bibliographical references in the abstract. You must also provide 3 or 4 keywords to help place your proposal in the appropriate category, as well as not more than 100 words of biographical data for each presenter. Before submitting your abstract, check the number of words and for typing errors using a word processor. Please ensure that you do not use your name or refer to your home institution in the abstract itself, otherwise your proposal will be automatically rejected. These details should be provided in the Biography section of the submission form.





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## PRESENTATION PROPOSAL FORM

(Prior to filling in this form, please consult the guidelines on the website)

<b>Personal Information</b>		
Name of presenter(s):		
Institution/Affiliation:		
Address:		
Telephone:	Home/Work	Cell
Email: <i>(for each presenter)</i>		

**Title of Presentation:**

**Key Words:** *(you should provide 3 or 4 keywords in order to help us place your abstract into the appropriate category)*

**Main Topic**  
(Place  next to one primary appropriate selection)

<input type="checkbox"/> Research addressing assessment or intercultural elements of CLIL	<input type="checkbox"/> Practical CLIL practices or applications	<input type="checkbox"/> CLIL curriculum development & assessment
<input type="checkbox"/> Culture and/or interculturality through CLIL	<input type="checkbox"/> Innovative CLIL solutions or practices	<input type="checkbox"/> CLIL teacher development
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		

**Abstract** (min 150, max 250 words)  
*Be sure you consult the submission guidelines prior to writing your abstract!*

**Biographical Information of Presenter(s):**  
*(Please write one complete paragraph, using complete sentences. Describe degree(s) earned and where, current position and duties, and research interests. Also, any relevant publications or other work may be included.) (max 100 words for each presenter)*





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<b>Type of Presentation</b> (Place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> next to appropriate selection)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Research Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Workshop
<input type="checkbox"/> Awareness Session	<input type="checkbox"/> Hot Topic

<b>Target Audience</b> (Place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> next to appropriate selection)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle	<input type="checkbox"/> High
<input type="checkbox"/> University	<input type="checkbox"/> Teacher Trainers	<input type="checkbox"/> Administrators
<input type="checkbox"/> Curriculum Designers	<input type="checkbox"/> Researchers	

<b>Target Content Area</b> Please briefly describe the target content area of the proposal. If it crosses into several, please specify them:

<b>Equipment Request</b> (Place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> next to appropriate selection)		
<input type="checkbox"/> White Board	<input type="checkbox"/> Video Projector	<input type="checkbox"/> DVD Player
<input type="checkbox"/> CD Player	<input type="checkbox"/> TV	<input type="checkbox"/> VCR
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer w/ Internet	<input type="checkbox"/> Speakers	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: (please specify)

<b>Presentation repeat:</b> Are you willing to repeat your presentation during the symposium if necessary?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

## COPYRIGHT PERMISSION

Please X the following the statements if you agree to them.

\_\_\_\_\_The submission has not been previously published, nor is it in consideration for publication elsewhere.

\_\_\_\_\_I, the presenter/author, certify that all work is original and my own and that any referenced information has been properly cited.

\_\_\_\_\_I understand the proposal guidelines set forth by the organizers of the 2016 CLIL Symposium and give them permission to publish my text in the *2016 CLIL Symposium Handbook & Abstracts*.

Proposals must be emailed by March 28th, 2016 to: [clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com](mailto:clilsymposiumcolombia@gmail.com)

