

# AALL2022

• Frontiers in Legal Linguistics •

## Call for Papers

The second conference of the Austrian Association for Legal Linguistics (AALL) is entitled *Frontiers in Legal Linguistics* and will be held from **24.11.2022** to **25.11.2022** at the **Vienna University of Economics and Business (Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien)**, co-hosted by the AALL and the Institute of English Business Communication (WU).

The conference will cover a wide range of topics within the field of legal linguistics which may include, but is not limited to, the following areas of research:

**Law and language:** Theoretical legal linguistics; applied legal linguistics; legal semiotics, semantics and pragmatics; European legal linguistics; international business communication; statutory interpretation; law and computer-mediated communication; courtroom interpreting and legal translation; asylum procedure and human rights; sign language(s) and the legal system; the philosophy of language and law; linguistic rights and minorities around the globe; gender in legal language; law, language and sexual violence; research ethics in legal linguistics; historical legal linguistics; corpus linguistics and the law; COVID-19 and medico-legal communication; neuro/psycholinguistics and the law; legal and political discourse, arbitration and restorative justice.

**Law and language in education:** Legal language teaching in Europe; legal curricula development; corpus linguistics and legal education; teaching law in the multilingual classroom; multilingualism in legal contexts; legal aptitude testing; learner corpora and moot courts; ethics in legal language teaching; disability and legal education; translanguaging in legal education.

**Forensic linguistics:** Issues in forensic linguistics and forensic phonetics; discourse analysis in forensic settings; authorship analysis and speaker identification; linguistic profiling; corpus analysis in forensic contexts; speaker variation and speaker recognition; language use of defendants, victims and the judiciary; expert testimony and linguistic evidence; expert opinions; plagiarism detection; language and forensic psychiatry.

For a paper presentation of 20 minutes (plus 10 minutes discussion) please submit an abstract of between **200 and 250 words**. Please also include **4-5 keywords** and a short list of **key references**. Submissions may be in English or German. Up to two abstracts may be submitted, provided one of them is co-authored. The abstract(s), along with the speaker's full name and affiliation, should be sent by email to **[aall2022@oegr1.com](mailto:aall2022@oegr1.com)**.

The deadline for submissions is **1st June 2022**. Applicants will be notified of the conference committee's decision by 1<sup>st</sup> August 2022.

For more details, please visit the AALL website: **[oegr1.com](http://oegr1.com)**.

Please send all conference-related questions to **[aall2022@oegr1.com](mailto:aall2022@oegr1.com)**.