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Venice-Tempe Vietnamese Language Teaching Symposium 2026

CALL FOR PAPERS

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the **Venice-Tempe Symposium on Vietnamese Language Teaching 2026**, dedicated to Vietnamese as a Second Language.

Building on the success of the first two symposia, this event continues to provide a dynamic international forum for instructors and researchers of Vietnamese from institutions worldwide.

This symposium welcomes theoretical, empirical, and practice-based contributions that address the pedagogical, technological, and cross-cultural dimensions of teaching L2 Vietnamese. We especially encourage presentations that connect classroom practice with broader multilingual, transnational, or digital contexts.

SUBMISSION LINK

<https://forms.gle/Wq46K173UHbiF7Nz9>

Suggested Themes (but not limited to):

- **Pedagogical Innovations:** New strategies, task-based learning, and learner-centered approaches
- **Textbook Design and Evaluation:** Development, adaptation, and critical assessment of Vietnamese language textbooks
- **Technology in Language Education:** Digital tools, online teaching platforms, and tech-enhanced learning
- **Cross-Cultural Competence:** Teaching Vietnamese in culturally diverse contexts
- **Assessment and Proficiency:** Evaluating language progress and adapting proficiency models
- **Literature in Instruction:** Using texts and stories in language teaching
- **Heritage Learners:** Teaching Vietnamese to second-generation or diaspora learners
- **International Collaborations:** Experiences with COIL and inter-university programs
- **Language Maintenance:** Promoting Vietnamese within diaspora communities
- **Linguistic Variation:** Regional dialects, tone challenges, and grammar acquisition
- **Learner Profiles:** Adapting instruction for students from Korean, Japanese, Chinese, or other linguistic backgrounds

IMPORTANT DATE



30 APRIL, 2026

Abstract submission deadline



15 MAY, 2026

Acceptance notification



28 JUNE, 2026

Virtual Conference