

The 14th International Conference on Cantonese and Yue Dialects LSHK Award for Outstanding Student Paper on Cantonese Linguistics

The LSHK Award for Outstanding Student Paper on Cantonese Linguistics is an innovative initiative of the Linguistic Society of Hong Kong (LSHK) to promote, recognize, and encourage scholarship by young postgraduate students to conduct research on Cantonese linguistics. Current postgraduate students, registered by the time of submission or by 31 July 2009, are eligible to compete for the Award. Only members of the LSHK are eligible to participate in the competition; non-members must be prepared to join the LSHK at the time of participation.

The competition for the LSHK Award for Outstanding Student Paper on Cantonese Linguistics is held once a year in conjunction with the International Conference on Cantonese and Yue Dialects. A call for papers is issued by the Executive Committee of the LSHK, normally with a deadline earlier than the usual conference abstract deadline. Each participant is required to submit a full paper of not more than 15 pages in length, either in Chinese or in English, to the Executive Committee of the LSHK, attaching a copy of the student identity card. All submissions for the LSHK Award for Outstanding Student Paper must be original papers that have not been published, or accepted for publication, including proceedings. Previous award winners are not allowed to re-enter the competition. Papers that have been submitted to this competition before cannot be re-submitted.

All papers submitted for the LSHK Award for Outstanding Student Paper on Cantonese Linguistics are subject to review by a Review Committee appointed by the Executive Committee of the LSHK. A maximum of 5 (normally 2-4) finalists will be selected and are required to attend the International Conference on Cantonese and Yue Dialects to make an oral presentation before a Panel of Judges at a special session organized for this purpose.** (The Review Committee of any given year reserves the right to make the final decision and may also recommend that no finalist be invited). The author of the best paper selected by the Panel will be honored during the International Conference on Cantonese and Yue Dialects and presented with an Award Certificate and HK\$1,000.

** Please note that no extra subsidy including registration fee, accommodation, and travel subsidy will be provided.

Requirements

- a. Current postgraduate (MA/MPhil/PhD) students, registered by the time of submission or on or before 31 July 2009, are eligible to compete for the Award. Papers submitted must represent original and unpublished research. Papers should not exceed 15 pages and can be in Chinese or English.
- b. Candidates are required to submit one single-authored full paper (without the author's name and in both MSWord and pdf formats) and a separate sheet with the following information: (1) name of the author, (2) institutional affiliation and postgraduate programme, (3) title of the paper, and (4) correspondence and e-mail addresses, together with a scanned copy of document proving your student status (student ID or notification of admission).
- c. Paper submissions, together with the information and document mentioned in (b) above, should reach Dr. Kwok Bit-chee (LSHK) at bckwok@cityu.edu.hk in the form of e-mail attachments **on or before 31 August 2009**. All submissions will be confirmed upon receipt by the Executive Committee of the LSHK via e-mail.

第十四屆國際粵方言研討會 香港語言學學會粵語語言學傑出學生論文獎

「香港語言學學會粵語語言學傑出學生論文獎」，是香港語言學學會（LSHK）為鼓勵研究生從事粵語研究而設的一個獎項。參賽者必須是在報名前已經入學、或將於 2009 年 7 月 31 日前入學的研究生。只有香港語言學學會的會員才有資格參加比賽。非會員的參賽者請準備在赴會時辦理入會的手續。

「香港語言學學會粵語語言學傑出學生論文獎比賽」（以下簡稱「比賽」），是國際粵方言研討會其中一個環節，每年舉行一次。徵稿通知由香港語言學學會的執行委員會（以下簡稱「本會」）發出，截止日期會比一般論文為早。參賽者需要向本會提交一份不超過十五頁的論文全文，中英皆可，以及學生證明文件的副本。參賽的論文，必須是未經出版、或未被接受出版（包括論文集）的論文。以往的得獎者，將不能再次參加比賽。曾提交參加比賽的論文，也不能再次提交。

所有提交論文獎比賽的作品，都經由本會委任的評審專家作評審，選出最多五位（一般是二至四位）的入圍參賽者，並安排在國際粵方言研討會論文獎比賽的環節上、在評判團前對作口頭報告**（評審委員會有作最後決定、以及決定有沒有入圍者的權力）。論文獎得獎者將在大會上宣佈，並頒贈證書及港幣一千元。

** 請注意：參賽者不會收到任何形式的資助，例如註冊費、住宿、交通等資助。

參賽要求：

- a. 參賽者必須為報名前已經入學、或將於 2009 年 7 月 31 日前入學的文學碩士（MA）、哲學碩士（MPhil）或哲學博士（PhD）研究生。參賽的論文必須是原創的和未經發表的研究。論文的長度不能超過十五頁，中英皆可。
- b. 參賽者需要提交一篇單一作者的全文（含 MSWord 檔及 PDF 檔，不要寫上作者的姓名及單位）、以及在另一份文件中提供下列資料的表格：(1) 作者姓名；(2) 所屬單位及所修讀的課程；(3) 參賽論文的題目；(4) 通訊地址及電郵地址。提交論文時，請同時附上學生證明文件的掃描本（學生證或入學通知的複印本）。
- c. 參賽者請於**2009 年 8 月 31 日或以前**用電郵附件的形式把論文和學生證明文件副本交給本會的郭必之博士，電郵地址為：bckwok@cityu.edu.hk。論文後收到後，本會會發出通知以作確認。