

6th Annual ucLADINO Judeo-Spanish Symposium
Community and Continuity
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University of California, Los Angeles

Keynote Speakers:
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CALL FOR PAPERS
Deadline: December 31, 2016

Now in its sixth consecutive year, this conference is the country's foremost space for students, scholars, and community members to connect and share original research on a variety of linguistic, literary, cultural, and historical approaches to Judeo-Spanish.

This year we will explore the ways in which communities and individuals utilize, identify with, and develop connections to Judeo-Spanish, as well as the ways its speakers and others understand and act on issues of continuity with regard to the language and culture. It will examine the way Ladino has worked to inform and constitute different kinds of communities, as well as how the language has been positioned regarding transmission, survival, and intergenerational issues. Possible topics include, but are not limited to:

- Judeo-Spanish across generations
- Sephardic communal identity and language
- Judeo-Spanish in American, Israeli, French, and other communities
- Relations between Judeo-Spanish- and Spanish-speakers
- Education and pedagogy
- Language revival, renewal, documentation, and preservation
- Judeo-Spanish in Hispanic, Jewish, Semitic, Romance, Turkish, and Slavic language studies
- Transmission, inheritance, tradition, and heritage
- Theorizing and situating Judeo-Spanish in Jewish, Sephardic, Iberian history and narrative
- Connections between professional and community scholarship

Please feel free to examine topics pertaining to any time period, region, or academic discipline. Submissions by students (graduate or advanced undergraduate) and junior faculty are highly encouraged.

Abstract Submission Guidelines

- 200 words maximum, in addition to selected references
- Must be submitted through Easy Abstracts: linguistlist.org/easyabs/ucladino2017
- Deadline for receipt of abstracts: December 31, 2016
- Notification of acceptance will begin: January 9, 2017

Please contact ucLADINO director Max Daniel at ucladino@yahoo.com with any questions, and visit our website for additional information about our past events: <http://www.ucladino.com>

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