



**Guidelines for Editing of the Proceedings of the
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The full text, excluding the references and tables, should not exceed 4000-5000 words. The Word document must be in A4 page size, in Arial font, single spacing and justified. Please do not insert page numbers or footnotes.

The first page of the document must include in the following order:

Title (Capital letters, Bold, Arial font size 14, center alignment).

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Double space.

Abstract in Greek up to 150 λέξεις in one paragraph (Lower case letters, Arial font size 11, justified).

3-5 keywords

Double space.

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3-5 keywords

Double space.

Main text (Lower case letters, Arial font size 12, justified). First line tab 1 cm. References should be included in the text (e.g., Moje, 2007: 39-42).

References.

Please follow APA style (Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association) (see. **References**).

The text for the Conference Proceedings must be created in Microsoft Word. Please do not submit the full text as PDF or other format as compatibility issues may occur.

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Keywords: 3-5 keywords

INTRODUCTION

Short description of the theoretical background and the purpose.

Main Body

The content of the paper, supported by the theoretical and scientific background, should be developed in detail in the body of the text, subdivided into individual sections. Each suggestion, depending on its type, should include:

- Research Study: purpose, methodology, results, conclusion, discussion
- Classroom practices: purpose, information for the activity, steps of the procedure, evaluation, results, and conclusion.
- Symposium: purpose, description, conclusion
- Workshop: purpose and description

Conclusion

This section is a summary of the results and a recap of the contribution of the paper in the theoretical field of literacy and education and the practical implications in the formal and informal education. Furthermore, future research and ideas are mentioned.

References

The references should be listed in the end using APA style (see section References).

Appendices

The section Appendices (if any) follows the References.

Page formatting

Page size

Page must size A4 (21 x 29,7 cm).

Margins

Upper margin: 3 cm

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Do not include any footnotes or endnotes. In the case that an explanation must be given, please include it in the main text.

Abbreviations and acronyms

Abbreviations and acronyms should be defined in the text summary and, in any case, at the first time they are used in the body of the text.

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It is recommended to use units and subunits. Do not number the headings of the sub-sections in alphabetical or numerical terms.

Format of a section title

Use Arial font, size 12, in bold, without space before or after the paragraph. Align the title to the left.

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Guidelines for references

Guidelines for the text

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In the alphabetical list of references, the names of all authors are recorded.

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References

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Use italics for book titles, titles of academic journals, collective volumes or conference proceedings.

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Academic articles:

Myers-Scotton, C. (1983). The negotiation of identities in conversation: A theory of markedness and code choice. *International Journal of Sociology of Language* 44, 115-136

Web references:

Sorin, N. (2005). Vers une didactique de l'écriture littéraire du récit de fiction au primaire, *Nouveaux cahiers de la recherche en éducation*, 8 (1), 65-7, (Available at: http://ncre.educ.usherbrooke.ca/articles/v8n1/04_Sorin.pdf, retrieved in 12/6/2015)

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