

# 5TH International ALES Congress 2025:

“Towards the inclusion and promotion of diverse literacy practices”

The Latin American Association of Writing Studies in Higher Education and Professional Contexts **ALES** is pleased to announce that the 2025 ALES International Congress will be held from **4 – 8 November 2025**, at Universidad del Norte in Barranquilla, Colombia.

## Congress activities:

- Plenary speeches, papers and thematic roundtables.
- Pre-congress workshops
- Best paper awards
- ALES board meeting
- Conference dinner and cultural events
- Book release
- Thesis presentation

## Participation modes:

- Face-to-face presenter: 20 minutes + 10 Q&A.
- Round table: three 20-minute presentations or four 15-minute presentations on shared theme.
- Poster: 20 minutes.
- Virtual presenter: 20 minutes.
- Attendee.



## Topics:

- Reading, writing and inclusion in higher education
- Writing Across the Curriculum and Writing in the Disciplines
- Reading and writing in bilingual and multilingual contexts
- Professional reading and writing
- Reading and writing in teacher education
- Reading and writing across the lifespan
- Reading and writing as social practice
- Writing centers, programs, and policies
- Methodology in reading and writing research
- Assessment in reading and writing instruction
- Links between school and university writing
- Speaking in academic and professional contexts
- Discourse analysis of written registers in academic and professional contexts

Abstracts should be between 300 and 500 words and indicate the objective, theoretical framework, methodology, results, and conclusions of the work presented. **Please submit your abstract through the following pre-registration form [click here](#)**



## Important dates:

**November 1 to February 28:** Pre-registration and submission of abstracts.

**March 1 to April 30:** Evaluation of abstracts.

**May 1-15:** Delivery of acceptance letters