



# Call for papers for ALES roundtable in WRAB 2023

# Call for papers in English

The Latin American Association of Writing Studies in Higher Education and Professional Contexts (ALES) in partnership with the International Society for the Advancement of Writing Research (ISAWR) invites ALES members to submit abstracts for our special roundtable to be held in the Writing Across Borders Conference (WRAB) 2023.

This ALES roundtable will be a space for international exchange where Latin American researchers will share timely regional work of global relevance with colleagues across borders. Presentations should address issues and challenges culturally and historically situated in Latin America which are globally relevant for a cross-border conversation on research writing and theory.

### Language

ISAWR and WRAB organizers recognize the value of linguistic diversity. Accordingly, we invite researchers to submit original research papers in English, Spanish and Portuguese. Still, note that the working language of the conference is English, so presentations should be delivered in English or in any other language with accommodations for English listeners (interpreters, translated slides, etc.)

#### **Submission guidelines**

This call for papers will follow the same procedures and criteria as the WRAB regular call, except that papers in Spanish and Portuguese will be accepted here even without an English translation.

- We invite theoretical or empirical papers on writing development at all stages of life, accordingly to the topic of the conference: From early literacy learning to writing in professional life.
- Submissions should include:
  - A title indicating the topic and the field of work
  - The research problem, question, or objective of the study including a succinct description of the knowledge contribution of the current study
  - The study design, which should include information about:
    - Participants or other data sources (e.g., corpuses)
    - Analytical strategies, including information on how data were collected and analyzed

- The most important results, achievements, and limitations
- Abstracts should not exceed 650 words (excluding references and tables)
- Abstracts should not contain names, affiliations, or other information that may identify the author(s).

## **Review process**

A special ALES scientific committee will examine the abstracts anonymously. You and your eventual co-authors will stay anonymous, but the ALES-WRAB committee needs to know who you are.

#### SUBMISSIONS

Submissions will be received through this form until the 29th of August 2022