



# Mountain Interstate Forum on Languages & Cultures CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Elon University, NC | Oct 1-3, 2026



## Submission Form

- Electronic submission of 250 word abstracts
- Papers are limited to no more than 15-18 minutes (8 double-spaced pages)
- Papers of authors in absentia will not be read
- To propose a panel please submit such on the Abstracts Submission Form
- For accessibility purposes, it is preferable for papers to be delivered in English. If you choose to present in a language other than English, please note that your audience may be smaller.

Questions? Email [mifc2026@elon.edu](mailto:mifc2026@elon.edu)



## This year's central question is:

How do we effectively leverage language, literature, and culture as a proficiency-based system to lead students towards intercultural and global learning?

- American Sign Language and Deaf Culture
- Asian Studies
- Classical Studies
- Community-based Learning
- English as Other Language
- Film Studies
- Francophone Studies
- German Studies
- Hispanic Studies
- Indigenous Studies
- Italian Studies
- Jewish Studies
- Latin American Studies
- Latin@/x/e Studies
- Linguistics
- Literature and the Arts
- Luso-Brazilian Studies
- Middle Eastern Studies
- Language, Culture and Literature Pedagogy
- Slavic Studies
- Study Abroad
- Translation and Interpretation
- Women, Gender and Sexualities Studies

**Submission Deadline: April 30, 2026**