



Workshop Proposal

International Legal Linguistics Workshop (ILLWS20)

The third **International Legal Linguistics Workshop (ILLWS20)** will be organised by the Austrian Association for Legal Linguistics (AALL).

The focus of the workshop is legal linguistics. It will primarily address, but is not limited to, questions such as:

- How can theoretical and applied legal linguistics contribute to solving linguistic challenges in legal and business contexts?
- Which arenas of cooperation and conflict exist for lawyers and linguists?
- How can a multi-layered approach to discourse analysis be related to language practices in sensitive human rights contexts?
- Which impact does computational creativity and emotional artificial intelligence have on language use in the legal system?
- How can the study of metapragmatics in legal contexts contribute to identifying indexical and ideological phenomena?
- Which role do research associations play in the promotion and development of legal linguistics across the globe?
- Is legal linguistics undergoing a process of fragmentation in Europe?
- What are the effects of the SARS-CoV-2 ('Corona') outbreak on medico-legal communication? Which role do text trajectories play in emergency and intensive medical care settings?
- Can legal linguistics contribute to legal language teaching in law schools? If so, how?

Duration: 1 day

Range of expected contributions: 10 – 20

Organising team: The workshop is hosted by the Austrian Association for Legal Linguistics.

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