



40th International Conference

‘Exploring the Literacy Landscape: Celebrating 40 years of Research and Practice ’

**Marino Institute of Education, Dublin
September 29th-30th 2016**

CALL FOR PAPERS

LAI invites proposals for papers, workshops and poster presentations for its 40th annual international conference. The theme of this year’s conference is ‘Exploring the Literacy Landscape: Celebrating 40 years of Research and Practice ’.

The conference will explore research and practice on the following topics:

- Oral language development
- Best practice in the teaching and study of literacy
- Emergent literacy
- Promoting children’s literature in schools
- Integrated approaches to literacy development
- New literacies: using digital tools to enhance literacy
- Literacy across languages
- Classroom-based assessment for literacy (including formative assessment)
- Research-based best practice for children with literacy difficulties
- Challenges and opportunities in today’s changing classrooms
- Family and community literacy
- Learning to teach literacy: teacher education

Cuirtear fáilte faoi leith roimh pháipéir nó cheardlanna i nGaeilge. Is féidir téama ón liosta thuas nó ábhar eile a bhaineann le múineadh nó measúnú na Gaeilge a roghnú.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Professor Jackie Marsh, University of Sheffield

PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS Proposals for papers or workshops (150-300 word abstract) should be submitted by June 13th, 2016, using the electronic form at www.reading.ie. Queries by e-mail to lailiteracy@gmail.com. Please watch our website for ongoing updates and follow us on Twitter @LiteracyIRL

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