



## CALL FOR PAPERS

Dear colleagues,

The English Language Department of the School of International Relations of MGIMO University is pleased to invite you to participate in the 5th International Conference “**The Magic of Innovation: Language and Language Teaching in a Changing Environment**” to be held online on 23-24 April 2021.

In 2021 discussions will cover topical issues related to:

- new approaches in linguistics and their application to teaching foreign languages;
- the theory and practice of teaching foreign languages at university in a new educational context;
- cross-cultural communication on- and offline and its role in foreign language teaching;
- new trends in the theory, practice and teaching of translation/interpreting.

### **Participation formats:**

- presentation (up to 10 min, on-screen presentations required);
- poster session (posted on the website of the conference);
- workshops, interactive seminars and round tables;
- book fair (authors of foreign language teaching materials and academic books will have an opportunity to present them to the conference attendees).

**There is no conference fee for this event.**

**The working languages of the conference** are Russian and English (simultaneous interpretation will be provided upon request).

Applications for participation are to be sent to the Conference Team through the conference site [www.inno-conf.mgimo.ru](http://www.inno-conf.mgimo.ru) before February 7, 2021. Conference speakers are invited to submit abstracts of their presentations (200–250 words) either in Russian or English. Each participant may submit only one abstract for presentation. Applications for workshops / seminars / round tables and participation in the book fair are submitted separately. The Conference Team may decline the proposals that do not meet the substantive and formal criteria.

Participants’ papers will be published *online* in the proceedings of the Conference after the event (publication fees will be announced in due course). The proceedings will be registered in the Russian Science Citation Index.

All the participants are eligible for a digital **Certificate of Attendance**.

Further information will be available in due course at [www.inno-conf.mgimo.ru](http://www.inno-conf.mgimo.ru).

For further questions, please contact [inno-conf@inno.mgimo.ru](mailto:inno-conf@inno.mgimo.ru).

**Conference Team**