LRC-FUNDED COMMUNITY OUTREACH ACTIVITIES (2020-2021)

Call for Initiatives

The Language Research Centre (LRC) supports community outreach activities of its members. Eligible community outreach activities are those activities that primarily address the wider community beyond the university campus while being meaningfully related to the research undertaken in the LRC in the areas of theoretical linguistics, applied linguistics and language learning, and literary and cultural studies. Members can request funds of up to $1,500 throughout the year (no deadlines; requests for the current budget year will be assessed by the LRC Steering Committee on a rolling basis until the community outreach funds have been spent).

Interested members of the LRC are asked to provide a brief description of the planned outreach activity (c. 250-500 words). This statement should clarify what the proposed activity consists in and who the intended audience is. In addition to this project description, members of the LRC are asked to provide a budget for the activity alongside a specific monetary request from the LRC as well as a statement indicating whether any funding is sought elsewhere. If space in the LRC is requested, this should be indicated too. Additionally, applications should at least briefly address a) the question of equity and of access to the initiatives across various communities and b) the environmental impact of the proposed activities (please see the links below for some orientation).

Members who receive funding through this initiative are asked to provide a brief report on their activity that can be used for the LRC website.

Please send all questions and funding requests to the LRC Director, Martin Wagner (martin.wagner@ucalgary.ca).

PLEASE NOTE: Until further notice, the LRC will not support in-person events for the 2020/21 budget year.

Links

Community Engagement:
https://www.ucalgary.ca/eyeshigh/progress/community-engagement

Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion:
1) https://research.ucalgary.ca/research/office-vice-president-research/dimensions-equity-diversity-and-inclusion-canada

Environmental Impact:
1) https://www.ucalgary.ca/sustainability_strategy/climate-action-plan