

Canadian Teaching Chinese as a Second Language Association



Call for Papers

Canadian TCSL Association invites submission of abstracts for:

2024 Canadian TCSL Conference & AGM

May 4th, 2024

Venue: Zoom

The Canadian TCSL Association is inviting abstract submissions to the *2024 Canadian Teaching Chinese* as a Second Language International Conference, to be held on Zoom on May 4th, 2024. We warmly welcome colleagues from across Canada and around the world to our annual celebration of TCSL scholarship.

The 2024 conference marks the 23rd conference organized by the Association. It welcomes submissions to discuss the latest practices and research on online, in-person, and blended instruction of the teaching and learning of the Chinese language, literature, and culture.

The abstract submissions can be in one of the *two* formats: presentations or teaching workshops. Please specify clearly in the email subject for which format your abstract is intended.

Presentation Abstracts: Each presentation is 20 minutes, followed by a 5-minute Q & A session. Submissions are encouraged, but not limited to the following areas:

- 1. Online and/or classroom teaching and learning.
- 2. Flipped and/or blended classes.
- 3. Student assessment.
- 4. Future teaching mode(s) and content.
- 5. AI applications in teaching.

Workshop Abstracts: The workshops are composed of several mini talks of 6-to-8 minutes each. During the workshop, each presenter will share *one* teaching activity or technique that they have found particularly effective in their classes. This is a teaching swap workshop. All information shared could be either original or something you have adapted to your teaching. Your sharing is practical, feasible, inspirational, and easy for participants to adapt to their own teaching.

Abstract Submission Guidelines:

Abstracts must be submitted to **cantcsla@gmail.com** as an attachment with the subject:

"2024 TCSL Abstract – Presentation – Name (s) of Presenter/Presenters *or* "2024 TCSL Abstract – Workshop – Name (s) of Presenter/Presenters

For each *presentation abstract*, please include the following information:

Title: 15 words maximum

Description: 300 words maximum (or 350 Chinese characters) excluding references

Key words: 3-5 bullet points to highlight what participants will gain from attending your session *Personal Information*: name, title, and affiliation (included in the email body, *not* in the

abstract)

For each workshop abstract, please include the following information:

Title: 15 words maximum

Description: 150 words maximum (or 200 Chinese characters) describing the activity/technique *Personal Information: name*, title, and affiliation (included in the email body, *not* in the abstract)

Important Dates:

Abstract Submission Deadline: February 16th
Notification of Abstract Acceptance: February 29th
Paper Submission Deadline: March 29th

Additional Notes:

- 1. Each person can submit one presentation abstract and one workshop abstract.
- 2. All fees are listed in Canadian dollars.
- 3. Those whose paper(s) are selected for presentation MUST complete registration before March 29th 2024 to secure a spot in the conference program.
- 4. Conference registration is required for each presenter and co-presenter.
- 5. Make payment online in accordance with your status. An official receipt is generated as soon as the payment is made.
- 6. Online registration will be open from February 2024.

^{*}Please note that your abstract will be included in the conference program if your submission is accepted.

Membership & Registration:

Conference registration link: https://tcsl.ourconference.events/ (Registration open on February 15)

Annual Membership: Regular \$50

Special \$20 (K-12 teachers, retirees & students)

		Members \$50		Non-Members \$0.00		Special Rate*
1.	Membership					\$20.00
2.	Early Conference registration before Feb. 28 th	\$30		\$80		\$20.00
3.	Regular registration March 1 st – April 26 th		\$50		\$100	\$30.00
4.	Evening in-person \$50 session in Vancouver					
	Early Registration: 1+2 Total	\$80		\$80		\$40
	Early Registration: 1+2+4 Total	\$130		\$130		\$90
	Regular Registration: 1+3 Total		\$100		\$100	\$50
	Regular Registration: 1+3+4 Total		\$150		\$150	\$100

^{*}Special conference rates* are for members who are K-12 teachers, students, and retirees.