

CHINED VII
(7th edition of the Conference on Historical News Discourse)

“The Role of Context in the Production and Reception of Historical News”

23-24 May 2019, Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona

We are very pleased to announce the seventh edition of CHINED, the international Conference on Historical News Discourse.

Date: 23-24 May, 2019

Venue: CHINED VII will be held at the Pompeu Fabra University, Department of Communication (Barcelona, Spain).

Proposal submission deadline: 10 December 2018

Conference Website: CHINED VII website (with registration details) will be available shortly

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Conference fee: There is no conference fee

Keynote speakers: Nicholas Brownlees (University of Florence), Carmen Espejo (University of Seville)

CHINED website (general):s <http://www.chinednews.com/>

Call for Papers: Researchers interested in the linguistic and historical aspects of news through time, from 1500 to 1945, are invited to submit their proposals on the determining role of context in the production and reception of news texts. The context can be understood as social, political, historical, professional, material and textual, and the focus of the proposal should be on how such a context or contexts have influenced the language and reception of the news texts in question. The texts may relate, for example, to political reporting, cultural and social news, foreign news and war correspondence, financial news, travel news, police and court reports, advertising and sports news. Different methodological approaches are welcome, including, for example, discourse and content analysis, historical pragmatics, stylistics, sociolinguistics, corpus-assisted discourse analysis, print culture and its effect on language and writing strategies.

The language of the conference is English.

Abstracts for papers of 20 minutes need to include:

1. A title and keywords (no more than six).
2. Name and affiliation of author(s), including email address for further contact.
3. An abstract of no more than 500 words including references.
4. A brief biosketch description of no more than 100 words.

Please email your proposal to javier.diaz@upf.edu and nicholas.brownlees@unifi.it by 10th December, 2018. A response is due before 20 December, 2018.

Information regarding the envisaged publication of conference papers will be provided at the conference.