

British Association for Applied Linguistics

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BAAL Membership

BAAL has over 1,000 members. We are not an exclusively academic organisation and welcome all with an interest in applied linguistics. Membership benefits include:

- Annual conference (lower rate)
- the archived collection of BAALnews (you can see the recent issue on our website)
- Bi-annual newsletter; discounts on books and journals
- Membership of **Baalmail** e-list for jobs, news...
- Special Interest Groups (SIGs) and seminars
- Funding opportunities (e.g. BAAL Applying Linguistics)
- BAAL PG on Facebook (open to all!)

Annual conference

57th Annual Meeting of BAAL, 5-7 September 2024, hosted by the University of Essex.



Local Organising Committee Lead: Dr Tracey Costley, Department of Language and Linguistics, University of Essex.

Website: TBA

BAAL-CUP seminars

BAAL members can apply to host **BAAL-Cambridge University Press Seminars** (new maximum of £2,000 each).

Winners 2023-24

Multimodality in applied linguistic research: Current trends and methodological implications	Polina Mesinioti & Jo Angouri	University of York	24 April 2024
Virtual exchange as an EDI-compliant approach to language education: A Global South-North research-informed seminar	Marina Orsini- Jones	Coventry University	14 June 2024
Practicalities and possibilities: Linguistic approaches to short-form social media	Tamsin Parnell & Katy Humberstone	University of Nottingham	ТВС

Researcher development workshops

The initiative is aimed at meeting the researcher development needs of BAAL's PhD students and ECRs.

Winners 2023-24					
Q methodology for applied linguists: Principles and applications	Nicola Morea & Xinran Wu	Online	10, 17 & 24 May 2024		
How to use an interdisciplinary approach in applied linguistics research?	Joana Almeida & Yvette (Yitong) Wang	University of Warwick	21 May 2024		
Researching pedagogy in TESOL: A methods-sharing event for PhD students	Kristy Suet-sin Cheung	University College London	22 June 2024		
Entering the dragon's den: Pitching qualitative methods in psychology of language learning and teaching (PLLT) research	Veronika Derecskey et al.	University of Nottingham	ТВС		

BAAL Applied Linguistics fund

Engaging users in the research process and generating impact are important parts of the applied linguistics research agenda. The BAAL Applied Linguistics Fund supports members by offering up to £15,000 to carry out innovative activities which link research and impact/public engagement.

Applications are invited from any members of BAAL until 01 April 2024.

Funded activities can take place in the UK or overseas from 1 August 2024 to 31 July 2025.

Special interest groups

- Corpus Linguistics
- Health and Science Communication
- Intercultural Communication
- Language and Education for Social Justice
- Language and New Media
- Language, Gender and Sexuality
- Language in Africa
- Language Learning and Teaching
- Language Policy

- Linguistic Ethnography Forum
- Linguistics and Knowledge about Language in Education
- Multilingualism
- Professional, Academic and Work-based Literacies
- Research Synthesis in Applied Linguistics
- Testing, Evaluation and Assessment
- Vocabulary Studies

BAAL Executive

Zhu Hua (Chair), Caroline Tagg, Bettina Beinhoff, Glenn Hadikin, Rachel Wicaksono, Mel Evans, Sal Consoli, Alex Ho-Cheong Leung, Vander Viana, Sathena Chan, Sin-Wang Chong, Zhi Ma (Michael), Yi Zhang, Pawel Szudarski, Gavin Brookes, Gee Macrory, Sultan Turkan, Maria Arche, Tracey Costley

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Thank you for attending this BAAL-Cambridge University Press seminar!