

# The Department of Modern Languages and Communication of the Technical University, Cluj-Napoca,

kindly invites you to the 6th international conference

## **Cultural Diversity and Plurilingualism**

8-9 September 2016

Cultural diversity and plurilingualism are cohesive forces in today's society; they are also fundamental components of European identity and are mutually supporting: plurilingualism constitutes a prerequisite of cultural diversity as well as a functional element of any cultural policy. Promoting plurilingualism and lifelong language learning are key objectives of all societies that foster youth mobility and labour mobility.

Intercultural dialogue and plurilingualism, promoting education and communication are interesting research subjects for higher education staff, and more so, for teaching staff in the field of languages for specific purposes. From a multicultural perspective, our conference hopes to offer a stimulating environment for debate on cultural and linguistic identity, professional interaction, translation studies and applied linguistics.

#### Conference themes:

- Learning centered approaches to languages for specific purposes
- Research in intercultural studies, applied linguistics, translation studies
- Professional communication and online media

### Presentations: 15 minutes, followed by 10 minutes for Q&A

Languages: English, German, French, Italian, Romanian, Spanish, Russian

#### Calendar:

• Submission of registration form: 1 May 2016;

• Full paper submission: 15 June 2016;

• Conference programme announcement: **15 July 2016**.

Registration form and full paper should be emailed at: <a href="mailto:lang@lang.utcluj.ro">lang@lang.utcluj.ro</a>. Messages should have in the subject line "For CDP Conference\_2016". Selected papers will be published in *Acta Technica Napocensis* – *Languages for Specific Purposes Series*, a CEEOL indexed journal.

Guidelines for authors at: <a href="http://lmc.utcluj.ro/evenimente.php">http://lmc.utcluj.ro/evenimente.php</a>.

Dates should be closely observed. Each author can submit a maximum of two papers (author or co-author) for which only one fee should be paid.

**Registration fee: 50 euros;** payment should be made mentioning "For CDP Conference\_2016", in the following account:

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Abstract (max. 250 words):

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