SIMIA 2027

International Symposium on Education, Multilingualism and Internationalization in the Age of Artificial Intelligence

Trajectories, Challenges, and Possible Futures

March 4–5, 2027
Federal University of Espírito Santo – UFES
Vitória, Espírito Santo, Brazil

CALL FOR PAPERS

SIMIA2027 – the International Symposium on Education, Multilingualism and Internationalization in the Age of Artificial Intelligence, under the theme "Trajectories, Challenges, and Possible Futures," invites researchers, teachers, undergraduate and graduate students, and other interested professionals to submit papers for presentation at the event.

The symposium will take place on March 4–5, 2027, at the Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES), in Vitória, Brazil, bringing together participants from Espírito Santo, different regions of Brazil, and other countries to critically discuss the transformations taking place in education amid the expansion of artificial intelligence.

With an interdisciplinary, interinstitutional, and international approach, SIMIA 2027 brings together discussions on education, languages, multilingualism, internationalization, technologies, and knowledge production. Topics of interest include teacher education, virtual exchange, inclusion, accessibility, authorship, ethics, human agency, linguistic and cultural diversity, and social, linguistic, and epistemic justice.

Thematic Areas

Proposals must be related to one of the following thematic areas:

1. Education and Artificial Intelligence
2. Languages, Multilingualism, and Artificial Intelligence
3. Internationalization of Education in the Age of Artificial Intelligence
4. Knowledge Production, Circulation, and Justice
5. Teacher Education, Inclusion, and Digital Culture
6. Futures of Education: Humanization, Ethics, and Agency

The thematic areas encompass theoretical, empirical, and applied perspectives and seek to foster interdisciplinary dialogue on the impacts of artificial intelligence on teaching, learning, research, extension, authorship, human development, linguistic diversity, internationalization, and the production and circulation of knowledge.

Preliminary Program

The SIMIA2027 program will feature international keynote lectures, roundtables, oral presentation sessions, and a collaborative foresight session.

March 4, 2027 (Thursday)

8:00–9:00am – Registration and welcome

9:00–9:30am – Institutional opening

9:30–10:30am – Opening Keynote (guest speaker)

10:30–11:00am – Break

11:00am–12:30pm – Roundtable 1 (guest speakers)

12:30–2:00pm – Lunch break

2:00–3:30pm – Oral Presentations and parallel academic activities

3:30–4:00pm – Break

4:00–5:30pm – Roundtable 2 (guest speakers)

5:30–6:00pm – Discussion and synthesis of the first day

March 5, 2027 (Friday)

9:00–10:30am – Roundtable 3 (guest speakers)

10:30–11:00am – Break

11:00am–12:30pm – Roundtable 4 (guest speakers)

12:30–2:00pm – Lunch break

2:00–3:30pm – Oral Presentations and parallel academic activities

3:30–4:00pm – Break

4:00–5:00pm – Prospective and Collaborative Session

5:00–6:00pm – Closing Keynote (guest speaker)

6:00pm – Closing of SIMIA2027

Organizing Committee

SIMIA2027 is organized by an interinstitutional committee coordinated by the Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES): Kyria Rebeca Finardi – Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES) – General Chair, Felipe Furtado Guimarães – Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES), Carlos Alberto Hildeblando Júnior – Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES), Adriana Mattos Brahim – Federal University of Paraná (UFPR) and Gabriel Brito Amorim – Federal University of Goiás (UFG).

Presentation Format

Oral Presentation

Proposals are welcome for oral presentations of completed or ongoing research, theoretically grounded experience reports, and theoretical or conceptual papers related to the SIMIA 2027 thematic areas.

Each presentation will have 15 minutes, followed by 5 minutes for discussion.

The keynote lectures and roundtables included in the scientific program are reserved for invited participants and are not open for submission.

Submission

Submissions must be made exclusively via the Even3 platform. A platform administration fee of R$ 6.99 will be charged for each submission. To submit your work and register for the event, please visit this link:The abstract must include (in the language of the presentation): https://www.even3.com.br/simia2027-797161/.

- title;
- full name(s) of the author(s);
- institutional affiliation;
- email address;
- thematic area;
- an abstract of 300–500 words;
- 3–5 keywords.

Depending on the nature of the paper, the abstract should present the context/problem, objective, theoretical framework, methodology, and main findings or expected contributions.

Each participant may submit up to two proposals.

Review Process

Proposals will be evaluated by the SIMIA 2027 International Scientific Committee based on their alignment with the thematic areas, scientific quality, and relevance to the discussions proposed by the event.

The following criteria will be considered in particular:

- alignment with one of the thematic areas;
- clarity and relevance of the objective;
- theoretical and methodological consistency;
- scientific quality and relevance;
- contribution to the discussions proposed by SIMIA2027.

Important Dates

Activity	Date
Call for papers opens	November 3, 2026
Submission deadline	November 30, 2026
Proposal review	January 11–25, 2027
Notification of results	January 27, 2027
Author confirmation deadline	February 3, 2027
Preliminary program published	February 8, 2027
Participant registration closes	February 25, 2027
Final program published	March 1, 2027
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Publication

Accepted papers that are presented at SIMIA 2027 will be included in the event's electronic proceedings, which will have an ISBN.

In addition, papers may be selected for possible inclusion in a thematic dossier in a scientific journal. Selection for the dossier will be independent of acceptance and presentation at the symposium and will be subject to the journal's editorial policies and procedures.

Languages

Given the international and multilingual nature of SIMIA 2027, proposals and presentations will be accepted in Portuguese, English, and Spanish. However, simultaneous interpretation will not be provided during the event.

Registration

Early-bird registration will be available at a reduced rate. Various registration categories will be offered, aiming to broaden access and participation for different audiences, as shown in the table below: https://www.even3.com.br/simia2027-797161/.

Category	Price	Period
Researchers and higher education faculty members	R$ 80,00	03/11/2026 to 31/01/2027
Public school teachers	R$ 30,00	03/11/2026 to 31/01/2027
Graduate students	R$ 20,00	03/11/2026 to 31/01/2027
Undergraduate students	R$ 15,00	03/11/2026 to 31/01/2027
Participants not presenting a paper	R$ 15,00	03/11/2026 to 31/01/2027

Researchers and higher education faculty members	R$ 100,00	01/02/2027 to 25/02/2027
Public school teachers	R$ 50,00	01/02/2027 to 25/02/2027
Graduate students	R$ 30,00	01/02/2027 to 25/02/2027
Undergraduate students	R$ 20,00	01/02/2027 to 25/02/2027
Participants not presenting a paper	R$ 20,00	01/02/2027 to 25/02/2027

Venue and Date

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