2019

1. <u>**09 November 2019**</u> – 4rth International Conference on Language, Literary and Cultural Studies "Language Travel the World: Challenges and Perspectives in Language, Literary and Cultural Studies in the Technological Era", Vlorë, Albania

Presentation: Enhancing the language profile of administrative staff to sustain internationalization: The case of Western Balkan universities.

2. <u>27-29 June 2019</u> – Postmillennial Sensibility in Anglophone Literatures, Cultures and Media 2, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Košice, Slovakia

Presentation: Identities in the Making: A Reading of Travel Blog Narratives about Albania by English-Speaking Bloggers.

- 3. <u>**06-08 June 2019**</u> 5th ASSE International Conference on British and American Studies "The CROSS-INTER-MULTI-TRANS disciplinarit(ies) of English Studies", Vlorë, Albania Presentation: *The Semiotics of Blogging: Branding Albania through Social Media in English.*
- 4. <u>02-04 May 2019</u> International Conference "Redefining community in intercultural context" RCIC' 19, Vlorë, Albania

Presentation: Intercultural Dialogue for Internationalization at Home: The Case of Albanian Universities.

2018

5. <u>**26-27 October 2018**</u> – International Conference "Mapping Balkan routes 2: literary, cultural and linguistic landscapes", Belgrade, Serbia

Presentation: The Balkans in Travel Blog Narratives.

- 6. **24-26 October 2018** 8th International SELICUP Conference, Majorca, Spain Presentation: *Branding Albania through Social Media: A Comparative Semiotic Analysis*.
- 7. **<u>28-29 September 2018</u>** 'Language, Culture and Civilization' International Conference; University of Craiova, Romania

Presentation: Nation Branding in Albanian Promo Videos.

8. <u>29 August- 2 September 2018</u> – 14th International Conference of the European Society for the Study of English, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic

Presentation: Thwarted Prospects: A Reading of Saki's "The Toys of Peace".

- 9. **28-29 June 2018** XIV International Conference on Anglo-American Literary Studies, "Reclaiming/Renaming Histories"; Faculty of Philology, University of Montenegro Presentation: *Blogging Albania: Reconstructing Images in the Eyes of the Beholder.*
- 10. <u>30 May 2018</u> 3rd International Conference on Language, Literary and Cultural Studies "Language, Culture and Community: 21st Century Perspectives" Vlorë, Albania Presentation: *Albania, Go your Own Way: A Reading of Promotional Materials about Albania.*
- 11. <u>17-19 May 2018</u> 28th Conference on British and American Studies. University of the West Timişoara, Romania

Presentation: The Lure of the Island: The Workings of Power in Golding's Lord of the Flies.

12. **24-25 November 2017** – 4th International Conference of the Croatian Association for the Study of English "Words & Images", Split, Croatia

Presentation: Nation branding in Balkan promo videos: a semiotic perspective.

13. <u>08-09 September 2017</u> – International Conference "Mapping Balkan routes: literary, cultural and linguistic landscapes", Vlorë, Albania

Presentation: Mapping Balkan tourist routes: A semiotic reading.

14. **<u>08-10 June 2017</u>** – 4^{rth} ASSE International Conference on British and American Studies "English and I: Literary and Culture Encounters", Vlorë, Albania

Presentation: Where is America? – A Reading of Yezierska's "America and I".

- 15. <u>**06 May 2017**</u> 2nd International Conference "Foreign Languages Studies and Globalization, a Link between Languages and Culture" *The Past, The Present and The Future*, Vlorë, Albania Presentation: *Teaching and Learning in Kingsley Amis's Novel "Lucky Jim"*.
- 16. <u>18-20 May 2017</u> 27th Conference on British and American Studies. University of the West Timişoara, Romania

Presentation: Snapping a post-war nation: A Reading of Auden's "Consider This and in Our Time."

2016

17. **<u>18-19 November 2016</u>** – 3rd Croatian National Conference of English Studies on *Migration*, Zadar, Croatia

Presentation: Tainted identity: Immigrant Condition and Englishness in Spark's "The Black Manonna".

18. <u>15-16 September 2016</u> – XII International Conference on Anglo-American Literary Studies, "Renaissance(s)"; Faculty of Philology, University of Montenegro Presentation: *Renaissance Travel: From Utopia to New World in Shakespeare's The Tempest.*

2015

- 19. <u>26 28 November 2015</u> 3rd ASSE International Conference on British and American Studies "In the beginning was the word ... and then ... technology", Tirana, Albania Presentation: "The Machine Stops": Divinely Human or Mechanical?
- 20. <u>11-12 September 2015</u> XI International Conference on Anglo-American Literary Studies, "The Discourse of Power in Anglo-American Literature"; Faculty of Philosophy, Cetinje, Montenegro Presentation: *Power Swift in Lord of the Flies: A Foucauldian Reading.*
- 21. <u>12-14 June 2015</u> Language and Literature European Landmarks of Identity. The Faculty of Letters, University of Pitești, Romania

Presentation: 'Mirroring' Images: A Reading of Pound's "In a Station of the Metro" and Aldington's "Penultimate Poetry".

22. <u>21 - 23 May 2015</u> - International Conference "Redefining community in intercultural context" RCIC' 15 Braşov, Romania

Presentation: Some Theoretical Remarks on Interpersonal and Communicative Aspects in Newspaper Editorials. (co-authored with Bledar Toska)

23. **2-4 October 2014** – Tenth International Conference on English Language and Literary Studies, "Re-entering the Old Spaces"; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro

Presentation: The Influence of Postcolonial Theory on Writing and Reading Travel. (co-authored with Marija Krivokapić)

24. <u>15-19 September 2014</u> – Vlora Summer School, "Academic Writing for South-Eastern Europe", Vlore, Albania

Presentation: Voice in Academic Writing.

25. **29 August – 2 September 2014** – 12th International Conference of the European Society for the Study of English, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Slovakia

Presentation: Heads or Tails: The Absurdist Fate of Kayerts and Carlier in "An Outpost of Progress".

26. **29 August – 2 September 2014** – 12th International Conference of the European Society for the Study of English, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Slovakia

Presentation: "Consider this and in our time": A nation from above.

27. <u>**18-20 July 2014**</u> –International Conference "Culture in Language: Academic English, Variation in Research"; Chemnitz University of Technology, Germany Presentation: *Authorial Identity in PhD Theses in Albania(n)*.

28. <u>19-21 June 2014</u> – International Conference "The Balkans in Contemporary Travel Writing"; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro

Presentation: *Mid-1990s Albania in the Memoirs of a Former Peace Corps Volunteer.* (co-authored with Bledar Toska)

29. <u>13-15 June 2014</u> – Language and Literature – European Landmarks of Identity. The Faculty of Letters, University of Pitești, Romania

Presentation: *Images of Alterity: A Reading of Plath's Poem* "Daddy"

30. <u>**30-31 May 2014**</u> – First International Conference on English Language, British and American Studies; International Balkan University, Skopje, Macedonia

Presentation: "Dulce Et Decorum Est Pro Patria Mori" from Idealism to Radicalism in World War I Poetry.

2013

31. <u>27-28 November 2013</u> – International Conference "Crossroads: Languages in (e)motion"; University of Naples "L'Orientale", Italy

Presentation: The Altertext Policy and the State Matura Foreign Language Exam.

32. <u>03-05 October 2013</u> - Ninth International Conference on Language, Culture and Literary Studies, "Visions and Revisions: Mapping the World of Anglo-American Studies at the Turn of the Century"; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro

Presentation: Celebrity/Promotional Discourse and Whitman's Song of Myself.

33. <u>15- 19 September 2013</u> - International Conference, "New Approaches to Foreign Language Didactics"; University for Foreigners of Perugia, Perugia, Italy

Presentation: Intercultural Education in MA Degree Programmes in FLT in Albania.

34. <u>13-15 June 2013</u> – 3rd International Conference "Redefining community in intercultural context" RCIC' 13. Braşov, Romania

Presentation: *Identity in the Name: A Semiotic Perspective.*

35. **14-16 June 2013** - Language and Literature – European Landmarks of Identity. The Faculty of Letters, University of Pitești, Romania

Presentation: (Re/de)constructing Utopia in Joseph Conrad's Nostromo.

36. $\underline{\textbf{02 - 04 May 2013}}$ – 2^{nd} ASSE International Conference on British and American Studies "Nation, nationality, nationhood: What's in a name?", Tirana, Albania

Presentation: "A nation is only an individual multiplied": Whitman's Song of Myself.

37. <u>05-06 April 2013</u> – 3rd International Conference "Across and Beyond English Language – Linguistics, Literature, Didactics"; University "Aleksandër Moisiu" Durrës, Albania Presentation: *Negotiating Identity: A Semiotic Perspective*.

2012

38. <u>26-27 November 2012</u> – International Interdisciplinary Conference, "Identity, Image & Social Cohesion in the Time of Integrations and Globalization"; University of Vlora "Ismail Qemali", Vlorë, Albania

Presentation: Communicating identity: A linguistic perspective.

- 39. <u>04-06 October 2012</u> Eighth International Conference on Language, Culture and Literary Studies, "The Beauty of Convention"; Faculty of Philosophy, Cetinje, Montenegro Presentation: *LordJim@Oedipuscomplex.convention*.
- 40. **20-22 September 2012** 2nd International Conference on Theoretical and Applied Linguistics "Structure, Use and Meaning"; Department of Theoretical and Applied Linguistics, Transilvania University of Brasov, Romania

Presentation: Poetic Syntax: Meaning@structure.

41. <u>20-22 September 2012</u> – 'Language, Culture and Civilization' International Conference; University of Craiova, Romania

Presentation: *On the Margins of the Text: Silent Speech Communities in Nostromo.*

42. <u>4-8 September 2012</u> – 11th International Conference of the European Society for the Study of English, Boğaziçi University, Turkey

Presentation: Being in creation, creation in being in Lord Jim.

43. **2-13 July 2012** – Summer School "Meaningful Translation: Montenegro in the Balkans, the Balkans in Europe", Niksic, Montenegro.

Presentation: Sayable vs. Unsayable. (co-authored with Bledar Toska)

44. <u>4-7 July 2012</u> - Joseph Conrad Society's 2012 Annual International Conference; Bath Spa University, UK

Presentation: Elopement: Men, Women and Chance.

45. **14-16 June 2012** - 2nd International Conference "Redefining community in intercultural context" RCIC' 12. Braşov, Romania

Presentation: Culture, Communication, Community: What's in a Name?

46. <u>8-10 June 2012</u> - Language and Literature – European Landmarks of Identity. The Faculty of Letters, University of Pitești, Romania

Presentation: Visual Readability versus Linguistic Indecipherability in Conrad's Nostromo.

47. **20-24 May 2012** 14th Summer School in Psycholinguistics "Written Language Processing in L1 and L2". University of Pannonia, Hungary

Presentation: Child Language: Written then Spoken?

48. <u>17–19 May 2012</u> - 22nd Conference on British and American Studies. University of the West Timisoara, Romania

Presentation: Language Anarchism, Class and Sexuality in Lawrence's The Daughter-in-law.

2011

- 49. **22- 24 September 2011** Seventh International Conference on Language, Culture and Literary Studies, "Voicing the Alternative"; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro Presentation: *The Road not Taken*.
- 50. **29- 31 August 2011** International Conference, "Teaching Foreign Languages for Specific Purposes"; University for Foreigners of Perugia, Perugia, Italy Presentation: *ESP Courses Revisited.* (co-authored with Bledar Toska)
- 51. **7-9 July 2011** Joseph Conrad Society's 2011 Annual International Conference; London, UK Presentation: Abstract Ideas in *The Shadow-Line*.
- 52. **11-13 June 2011** 1st ASSE International Conference on British and American Studies "Only connect...", Vlorë, Albania.

Presentation: Connecting Myth and History in Conrad's Nostromo.

53. <u>15-17 April 2011</u> 'Working through Psychoanalysis: Freud's Legacy in Art, Cinema, Literature & Popular Culture'; University of Leeds, UK

Presentation: 'Let him creep twenty feet underground and stay there!' Trespassing the Land of Fathers in Lord Jim.

54. <u>24-26 March 2011</u> 'Language, Culture and Civilization' International Conference; University of Craiova, Romania

Presentation: The Rhetoric of Civilization in Conrad's Fiction.

55. **17-19 March 2011** 'Modernization of Literary and Cultural Studies' International Conference; University of Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Presentation: Moving towards a more Interdisciplinary and comparative Approach to Literature.

2010

56. <u>30 September - 2 October 2010</u> Sixth International Conference on Language, Culture and Literary Studies, "Facing the Other: In the Absence of Theory"; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro

Presentation: Accessing Self through the Totality of Others in Conrad's Fiction.

57. <u>11-13 September 2010</u> First International Conference on Language, Literature and Cultural Studies, "The Said and the Unsaid", University of Vlora, Albania Presentation: *Silence and Linguistic Hegemony in Conrad's Fiction*.

- 58. <u>17-20 June 2010</u> International Interdisciplinary Conference *Comparisons, Interactions and Contenstations withih/across Cultures*. Bucharest, Romania, and Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria Presentation: *Cultural (Mis)appropriation and Linguistic Instrumentalization in Conrad's Fiction.*
- 59. <u>25-27 March 2010</u> 'Language, Culture and Civilization' International Conference; University of Craiova, Romania

Presentation: The Language of Literary Texts as a Cross-Cultural Construct.

<u>2009</u>

- 60. **2-4 October 2009** Eighth International Conference 'Language, Literature and Cultural Policies From Evolution to Involution'; University of Craiova, Romania Presentation: *Kurtz's Evolutionary-Involutionary Progress into the Heart of Africa*.
- 61. <u>3-5 September 2009</u> Fifth International Conference 'Construction, Reconstruction, Deconstruction'; Faculty of Philosophy, Niksic, Montenegro Presentation: *The 'Construction' of Joseph Conrad's Philosophical Playground.*
- 62. **2-4 July 2009** Joseph Conrad Society's 2009 Annual International Conference; London, UK Presentation: *Conradian Visibility: A 'Green' Perspective*
- 63. <u>3-5 March 2009</u> 'Language, Culture and Civilization' International Conference; University of Craiova, Romania

Presentation: The 'Deconstructed' Question of Civilization in Joseph Conrad's Fiction

2008

- 64. <u>13-15 November 2008</u> Seventh International Conference 'Language, Literature and Cultural Policies Interfaces'; University of Craiova, Romania Presentation: *Feminine Representation of Masculine Ideals in Conrad's Fiction*
- 65. <u>**16-18 October 2008**</u> Third International MSA Conference 'Making sense and making nonsense'; University of Suceava, Romania

Presentation: The Functionally Thematic Juxtaposition and Opposition of Characters in Conrad's Fiction

66. <u>18-20 September 2008</u> Second International Conference of SDAS – 'As you write it: issues in literature, language and translation in the context of Europe in the 21st century'; University of Maribor, Slovenia

Presentation: The 'Deconstructed' Colours in Conrad's Fiction

- 67. <u>12-13 September 2008</u> 'Century's End' International Conference; Queen's University, Belfast, UK Presentation: *The 'Deconstruction' of Colours in Conrad's Nostromo*
- 68. **28-29 August 2008** 'English Literature Today' International Conference; Oxford, UK Presentation: *The 'Deconstructed' Green in Conrad's Nostromo*
- 69. **2-5 July 2008** Joseph Conrad Society's 2008 Annual International Conference; Lincoln, UK Presentation: *The Linguistic Potential of Silent Characters in Nostromo*