



## The 26th International Conference on Computational Linguistics

Osaka, Japan | 11 - 16 December 2016

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COLING 2016, the 26th International Conference on Computational Linguistics will be held at Osaka International Convention Center (OICC) from 11th-16th December 2016. The COLING conference is organized under the auspices of the International Committee on Computational Linguistics (ICCL).

COLING covers a broad spectrum of technical areas related to natural language and computation. The conference will include full papers (presented as oral presentations or posters), demonstrations, tutorials, and workshops. Oral and poster presentations of full papers will not be distinguished in the proceedings of the conference.

We invite the submission of papers on original and unpublished research on all aspects of computational linguistics.

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Pragmatics, discourse, semantics, syntax, grammar and the lexicon;
- Lexical semantics and ontologies;
- Word segmentation, tagging and chunking;
- Parsing, syntactic and semantic;
- Semantic role labeling;
- Discourse relations;
- Dialogue and conversational agents;
- Language generation;
- Summarization;
- Question answering;
- Paraphrasing and textual entailment;

### **SUBMISSION TIMELINE**

#### **Workshops and Tutorials:**

22nd April, 2016: Workshop and Tutorial proposals submission deadline

6th May, 2016: Workshop and Tutorial acceptance notification

#### **Main Conference:**

##### **(Full papers)**

June, 2016: Opening of the submission website

July 15, 2016: Paper submission deadline

September 20, 2016: Author notification

October 10, 2016: Camera-ready PDF due

## (Demo papers)

August 2016: Opening of the submission website

August 26, 2016: Paper submission deadline

September 30, 2016: Author notification

October 14, 2016: Camera-ready PDF due



**November 30, 2016: Official proceedings publication date**



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### **(Osaka)**

OSAKA INFO - Osaka Visitors' Guide <http://www.osaka-info.jp/en/>

Osaka Travel Guide <http://www.japan-guide.com/e/e2157.html>

Osaka (Wikipedia) <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Osaka>

Osaka (Wikitravel) <http://wikitravel.org/en/Osaka>

### **(Japan)**

Japan National Tourism Organization Web Site <http://www.jnto.go.jp/>

Japan Travel and Living Guide <http://www.japan-guide.com/>

Japan (Wikipedia) <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan>

Japan (Wikitravel) <http://wikitravel.org/en/Japan>



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