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Potential Conference Presenters,

UNAM- San Antonio is now accepting proposals for our 17th biennial conference on September 23, 2017.

Proposals for presentations should be submitted to Danny Meadows, English Department Chair, via email at dmeadows@unam.mx or online at www.unamsa.edu. Please note our deadline is May 31, 2017. Please refer to UNAM- San Antonio's website at www.unamsa.edu for more information. Feel free to pass along this information to any interested parties.

17th UNAM-San Antonio ESL Conference *Breaking Down Walls and Building Bridges*Saturday, September 23, 2017 8:30 to 3:15

Given the diverse areas of language learning and teaching, please use the following topics as guides in developing your proposals. Presentations on any related topic are welcome. The following suggestions include:

- Curriculum Design and Development
- Foreign Language/Second Language Pedagogy
- Language Planning and Policy
- Language Testing and Assessment
- Language and Technology
- Social and Cultural Contexts of Learning and Teaching
- Teacher-made Activities
- Student Engagement Strategies

Interested participants are encouraged to submit a proposal for one of the following session types:

- Demonstration
- Paper
- Workshop

Proposal Submission Deadline: May 31, 2017

Registration Fees: \$65 General Admission \$40 Students (with ID) Add \$10 after registration deadline September 14, 2017.

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

Presenters' deadline: May 31, 2017

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Call Danny Meadows (210) 222-8626 ext. 238 or e-mail dmeadows@unam.mx

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UNAM- San Antonio's English Department was developed in 1972 to serve the needs of language learners in San Antonio. Since then, the Academic Department has grown to offer Spanish, French, GED, and a variety of other courses in Spanish and in English.



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Your name as you want it printed in the conference program (Include professional title):
Institution and job title:
Will there be a co-presenter? If so, please list the name(s) and title(s):
Work phone: Home/Cell phone:
E-mail:

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We look forward to seeing you at UNAM on Saturday, September 23, 2017!