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AFCC 2018 CALL FOR PAPERS
Teachers Congress

The AFCC Preschool & Primary Teachers Congress provides teachers and educators with the skills and knowledge to impart early literacy, and a love for books, writing and reading, as a child transitions from early childhood to primary school.

SELECTION

A group of professionals in the field of education have been invited to join the Programme Committee. The Programme Committee will select the papers according to the content of the topic and the needs of the Festival.

UPON SELECTION

If you are selected you will receive a **complimentary AFCC Full Festival pass** (worth S\$500), which includes admission to the Writers & Illustrators Conference, Cross-Platform Summit, Teachers Congress, and Parents Forum. Kindly note that the Full Festival pass excludes tickets for Masterclasses. Kindly note that honorarium, flight, and hotel accommodation is **not included** if you are selected as a speaker for the Asian Festival of Children's Content (AFCC).

TOPICS COVERED:

Your proposals can include any of the topics below, preferably with a strong link to children's literacy.

- Engaging Children with Diverse Needs
- Language and Literacy for Infants and Toddlers: Use of books and stories
- The Brain and Language Learning
- Technology and Literacy Building
- Gamification and Learning
- Holistic Education
- Integration of Arts, Drama and Movement
- Multi-Cultural Education
- Neuro-science and Literacy Development
- Fun Ways to Make Reading and/or Writing Engaging for Children

If you have other exciting ideas, please share them with us in the **AFCC 2018 Information Sheet** as well!

REQUIREMENTS

- To be considered, please submit the **AFCC 2018 Information Sheet** and send it to **Alycia Teo** at alycia@bookcouncil.sg.
- The Information Sheet will be used for the selection process. The Information Sheet must be accompanied with a high-resolution picture of the paper presenter of at least 1MB, in colour. Information Sheets must be submitted in MSWord.
- Shortlisted applicants will be asked to submit a draft of the full presentation, including the talking points and PowerPoint of their presentations two (2) months prior to the opening ceremonies of the Festival.

Presentations are limited to one hour, while Masterclasses are allotted at least three (3) hours. Speakers agree to allow the organisers to use the paper in parts or in full for marketing and publicity purposes for the AFCC, either in printed or online form.

TIMELINE

The closing date for submission of abstracts is **15 September 2017**.

Please contact us again if you do not receive an acknowledgement with five (5) working days.

For paper submission enquiries, please email **Alycia Teo**, Festival Executive, at alycia@bookcouncil.sg.

For other festival enquiries, please email the **Kenneth Quek**, Festival Director at kenneth@bookcouncil.sg.