

**Western States Communication Association
Intercultural Communication Interest Group
Call for Submissions**

**Conference Theme: Promoting Social Justice Through Our Work
Please Join Us in Seattle, Washington
February 16-20, 2007**

Competitive Papers:

1. All authors are encouraged to send their papers to the Intercultural Cultural Communication Interest Group for competitive selection. Papers should reflect the conference theme and may include research reports employing any methodology, theoretical developments, critical analysis as well as critiques. Please submit each paper to only **one** interest group only.
2. **Competitive paper should not have been presented previously at another conference, be accepted for publication, or have been published.**
3. **Submitted papers should include:**
 - a) A detachable title paper with title of paper, names of **all** authors, and their addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, and affiliations. Again, this information should be included for each author and should be double-checked for accuracy.
 - b) A 250-500 word abstract of the paper (with title appearing on this page).
 - c) Typically, a maximum of twenty-five pages of text.
 - d) No information in the paper that identifies the author(s) beyond that which appears on the title page.
4. **Student/Debut Papers:** The Intercultural Communication Interest welcomes student and debut papers. Papers should be clearly marked on the title page if the paper is a student paper or debut. **Papers that are Debut papers should be marked “Debut” in the upper right-hand corner of the title page.** Please indicate whether each author is a bachelors, masters, or doctoral student.
5. **Five copies** of each competitive paper must be **RECEIVED** by the appropriate **NO LATER THAN, SEPTEMBER 1, 2006** to the interest group planner:
Charmaine I. Kaimikaua
Communication Studies Department
Cypress College
9200 Valley View St.
Cypress, CA. 90630

Program Proposals:

1. **Program proposals** should focus on a unifying theme relevant to research, theory or instruction in the area of the sponsoring interest group. Programs may consist of a chair, individual presenters, and a critic respondent; however round-table discussions, performance venues, or other unique formats are also encouraged. In alternative program formats, respondents may be included or omitted as appropriate. Innovative program proposals, especially those that provide opportunities for engaged interaction among participants and attendees,

are encouraged. Programs co-sponsored with other interest groups are also welcome.

2. Program proposals should include the following:

- a) Thematic title of the program
- b) Names, addresses, phones, e-mail addresses, and affiliations of all participants
- c) Title and brief description of each presentation
- d) Equipment needed for the panel

(Note: Equipment availability is extremely limited. See the WSCA Policy on the Use of Audio-Visual Equipment at Conventions.)

3. **Five copies** of each program proposal must be **RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2006**. Specific information about submitting to interest groups will be posted on the WSCA website (<http://www.westcomm.Org/>) at the completion of the February 2006 conference and printed in the WSCA Newsletter prior to the 2007 conference. Submissions should be sent to:
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