Special Issue

Recent Developments on the Diachrony and Typology of Bantu Languages

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue of *Languages* aims at showcasing new and original research on the diachrony and typology of Bantu languages in the broadest possible way. It welcomes historical-comparative and/or typological studies dealing with lexicon, phonology, morphology, syntax, and/or information structure in any subset of Bantu languages, including so-called 'Wide Bantu' languages from the Bantu homeland region in the border area of present-day Cameroon and Nigeria. Comparative studies engaging with first-hand data from lesser-known languages are particularly appreciated. The volume is published in English, but sufficiently innovative and well designed studies originally written in French or Portuguese can also be considered for inclusion.

Guest Editors

Prof. Dr. Koen Bostoen

UGent Centre for Bantu Studies, Department of Languages and Cultures, Ghent University, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

Dr. Sara Pacchiarotti

UGent Centre for Bantu Studies, Department of Languages and Cultures, Ghent University, 9000 Ghent, Belgium

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (15 July 2024)



Languages

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 1.2 CiteScore 1.8



mdpi.com/si/184833

Languages
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
languages@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/languages





Languages

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 1.2 CiteScore 1.8



About the Journal

Message from the Editorial Board

Languages (ISSN 2226-471X) is now in its eighth year since its inception in 2015. It is an Open Access journal which seeks to stimulate debates on key issues in languages and linguistics. We welcome papers at the cutting edge of different fields, ranging from applied linguistics to descriptive and theoretical linguistics. Submissions may consist of research articles and critical reviews as well as proposals for Special Issues where multi-disciplinary approaches and different perspectives on current issues are explored. We invite you to consider Languages as a forum for sharing your work.

Editors-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Jeanine Treffers-Daller

Department of English Language & Applied Linguistics, University of Reading, Reading RG6 6AH, UK

Prof. Dr. Anthony Pak-Hin Kong

- Academic Unit of Human Communication, Learning and
 Development (HCLD), The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR,
 China
- 2. Aphasia Research and Therapy (ART) Laboratory, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, China

Author Benefits

Open Access:

free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, ESCI (Web of Science), ERIH Plus, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

JCR - Q2 (Linguistics) / CiteScore - Q1 (Language and Linguistics)

