



# International Conference on Sino-Tibetan Languages and Linguistics (ICSTLL-59)

**December 14-16, 2026**

## **FIRST CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS**

The Department of Tenyidie, the Department of Linguistics and the Centre for Naga Tribal Language Studies, Nagaland University, are delighted to announce that the 59th International Conference on Sino-Tibetan Languages and Linguistics (ICSTLL-59) will be held from 14-16 December 2026 at Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Meriema, Nagaland, India. We invite the submission of abstracts on **any aspect of Sino-Tibetan languages and linguistics**, including, but not limited to, the following areas:

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| 1. Descriptive Studies                 | 8. Phonetics and Phonology                                                |
| 2. Comparative and Typological Studies | 9. Endangerment of Minority Languages                                     |
| 3. Language Contact                    | 10. Historical Linguistics and Philology                                  |
| 4. Language Policies                   | 11. Computational Linguistics                                             |
| 5. Sociolinguistics                    | 12. Corpus and Quantitative Linguistic Studies                            |
| 6. Morphology and Syntax               | 13. Language Acquisition                                                  |
| 7. Semantics and Pragmatics            | 14. Linguistics of Tribal and Indigenous Languages of Sino-Tibetan family |

Presentations will be of 20 minutes (15 minutes for presentation and 5 minutes for discussion).

### **Abstract Submission Guidelines :**

1. Abstracts must be written in English.
2. Abstracts should be anonymous PDF and not include any identifying information (name of the author/s, affiliation and address).
3. **Length:** 1 page excluding tables and references.
4. **Format:** Times New Roman, font size 12, single space.
5. One person may submit a maximum of two abstracts with one as sole author and one as joint author.
6. Abstracts should be submitted via <https://easyabs.linguistlist.org/conference/ICSTLL59/>

### **Important Dates:**

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| Abstract submission date line | : 29 <sup>th</sup> July to 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2026 |
| Notification of acceptance    | : 22 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026                       |
| Conference dates              | : 14-16 December 2026                                   |

For further updates, please visit the conference website <https://icstll59.nagalanduniversity.ac.in/>

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