



INTERNATIONAL MEETING  
ON FOREIGN LANGUAGE  
LEARNING IN TANDEM

International Meeting on Foreign Language Learning in Tandem  
IMFLIT III  
"Challenges and new directions in virtual exchanges environments"  
March 26-28, 2025  
UNIVERSIDAD AUTÓNOMA DEL ESTADO DE HIDALGO (UAEH)  
PACHUCA, MÉXICO

### **Call for papers**

Teletandem is an autonomous and collaborative online context of interaction through a webcam that uses VOIP technology (such as Zoom, Meet, etc.) to facilitate intercultural contact between people from different countries (Telles, 2009). The session takes place for one hour which is in turn divided into two parts; during the first one, both students converse in the language of one of the participants about a defined topic and do so in the language of the other participant, thus making the practice balanced, enriching and collaborative, allowing both to practice in an interactive way.

In this context, the Autonomous University of Hidalgo State, UAEH in Mexico will be hosting the 3rd edition of the International Meeting on Foreign Language Learning in Tandem (IMFLIT), titled 'Challenges and new directions in virtual exchanges environments' on March 26-28, 2025.

Through this Call for Papers we invite researchers to submit articles for evaluation who have papers focused on (but not limited to) the following topics:

1. Peer-assessment in tandem
2. Formal vs informal agreements
3. Tandem as a tool for COIL
4. Platforms for teletandem: uses
5. Teletandem curriculum for students who don't know what to do
6. Teaching collaborative network
7. How to prepare students for teletandem collaboration
8. Intercultural competences in teletandem
9. Learning outcomes in tandem
10. Tandem etiquette: how to build effective virtual exchanges
11. Dealing with big groups - how to coordinate them
12. Accommodation for the sessions (special needs, closed captioning...)
13. Teletandem for specific educational purposes
14. New practices in virtual exchanges
15. "Café" exchanges
16. Using autonomy in tandem exchanges
17. Tandem learning for academy purposes
18. Artificial Intelligence in teletandem

We seek research papers, practice reports, round-table discussions and panels, covering all the above-mentioned aspects of teletandem collaborations and virtual exchanges and Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL).



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Submission:

- Dates:
  - Start of registration: April 1st, 2024
  - Submission deadline: June 30, 2024
  - Decision date: August 15, 2024
- Guidelines:
  - Main languages: English and Spanish
  - Papers: no more than 1600 words
  - Abstracts - approximately 300 words
  - [Submit your paper](#)

Visit the IMFLIT III website: <https://dai.uaeh.edu.mx/imflit/>

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