

J-SLA Newsletter April, 2014

Spring has come and cherry blossoms are in full bloom in Japan. We hope that everything goes well for all. The newsletter provides information about the journal *Second Language* and details about accommodation for the upcoming J-SLA conference.

1. Issuing the journal *Second Language* Vol. 12

Second Language, Vol. 12 was issued substantially behind schedule due to various unforeseen circumstances. We apologize for the delay and will do our very best to meet the expected publication date for next year's volume.

2. The 14th Annual Conference of the Japan Second Language Association

Dates: May 31 - June 1, 2014

Place: Kwansei Gakuin University, Nishinomiya Uegahara Campus

(<http://global.kwansei.ac.jp/>)

* Please check the website for access to the campus:

http://global.kwansei.ac.jp/about/about_203240.html

Plenary speakers: Dr. Claudia Felser (University of Potsdam, Germany)

Dr. Harald Clahsen (University of Potsdam, Germany)

Accommodation (Please be aware that there is no conference rate at any hotels.)

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For English, please refer to

http://www.tripadvisor.com/Hotel_Review-g1022826-d1067761-Reviews-Takarazuka_Washington_Hotel-Takarazuka_Hyogo_Prefecture_Kinki.html

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The simplified version of conference program is available on the J-SLA homepage.
We look forward to seeing you at the annual conference.

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