

CALL FOR PAPERS

14th International Conference in the Series: Iberian and Slavonic Cultures in Contact and Comparison

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Iberian-Slavonic Perspectives

May 8-10, 2025

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The 14th Ibero-Slavic International Conference invites scholars to a broad debate on the construction of freedom within Iberian and Slavic cultures. This event aims to explore the intercultural specificity of the Knowledge that enables and is called upon for Freedom in these cultural universes from a comparative perspective.

Objectives:

- **To compare** Iberian and Slavic cultural approaches to the theme of Freedom.
- **To question** Knowledge for/about Freedom across various fields: linguistic, literary, sociocultural, psychological, political, historical, philosophical, legal, and artistic.
- **To analyze** the influence of "freedom" discourses in both cultural geographies.
- **To study** the theme of Freedom in relation to contemporary economic, social, and ecological challenges.
- **To highlight** contributions of significant figures and organizations to the Freedom of Iberian and/or Slavic peoples, and analyze moments of solidarity and antagonism.

Special sessions include a **Round Table** and a **Poetry Night** dedicated to the theme of Freedom in Iberian and Slavic countries.

Submission of Paper and Panel Proposals

Submit your paper **proposals** to compares.geral@gmail.com by **February 28, 2025**. Include:

- o author's identification
- o Title of the paper
- o Abstract (up to 250 words)
- o 3 keywords
- o Biographical note

Panel proposals (max. 5 members, including the coordinator) should also be submitted to the same email. Indicate "Paper/Panel Proposal | International Conference Knowledge for Freedom" in the email subject.

Selection Procedure: The Scientific Committee will select proposals and notify decisions by **March 15, 2025**.

Registration

Starts: September 1, 2025

Fees:

Students: €5

Affiliates of organizing institutions: €30

Presenters: €90

The Congress will be certified and **accredited for teachers**.

Send payment confirmations to compares.geral@gmail.com.

Updates

News and updates, including the Program, will be available from April 2025 on our website, www.iberian-slavonic.eu.

For questions, contact us at compares.geral@gmail.com.

Organizing Institutions

CompaRes – International Association of Ibero-Slavic Studies

Center for Slavic Languages and Cultures, School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon

CEG – Center for Global Studies, Universidade Aberta/UNESCO/CIPSH Chair of Global Studies, Universidade Aberta

Promoting Institutions*

CISCR-ICS – Commission of Comparative Iberian-Slavic Research at the International Committee of Slavists

CEES – Center for Russian, Central and East European Studies, University of Glasgow

Spanish Association of Slavists

Department of Greek Philology and Slavonic Philology, University of Granada

Latin-American and Caribbean Historians Association

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