THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF BELARUS

CENTRE FOR BELARUSIAN CULTURE, LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE STUDIES

YAKUB KOLAS INSTITUTE OF LINGUISTICS

INFORMATION LETTER

DEAR COLLEAGUES!

WE INVITE YOU TO TAKE PART IN

INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

**“ETHNOLINGUISTICS AND TRADITIONAL CULTURE: DIACHRONIC AND SYNCHRONIC ASPECTS OF INTERLINGUAL INTERACTION”**

(Minsk, November 2–3, 2022)

Topics of the Conference:

• Current issues of Ethnolinguistics.

• Methodological aspect of ethnolinguistic research.

• Ethnolinguistics and Folklore.

• Ethnolinguistics and Onomastics.

• Ethnolinguistics and Etymology.

• Language and spiritual culture in diachronic research.

• Ethnolinguistics in the context of Slavic studies.

**Applications** for participation in the Conference and a summary of the report, not exceeding 500 characters, should be sent by **September 26, 2022** to:

konf-ethno@tut.by (see the application form below).

**Time limit**: reports at the plenary meeting should not exceed 20 minutes, those at sectional meetings –15 minutes. Speeches during discussions may take up to 5 minutes.

**The working languages** of the Conference are all Slavic ones and English.

The conference is scheduled to be held online on the Zoom platform. The link to connect will be sent on the eve of the conference.

Materials for publication must be sent by **January 31, 2023**.

**The Organizing Committee reserves the right to select the materials to be published in the collection.** Publication of the materials is free. The text of the article should be well read and formatted in accordance with the requirements given below. The authors are responsible for the contents of the submitted materials.

**The format requirements for the reports**

The document should be saved in **rtf** format.

The materials should not exceed 10,000 characters, including spaces.

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Please place the UDC (Universal Decimal Classification) in the first line on the left.

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**Margins.** All margins: 2 cm; paragraph: 1.25 cm (do not use tabs and spaces!); line spacing: single.

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Travel, accommodation and meals expenses are provided by the participants of the conference or the institution that sends them to the conference.

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Sincerely, the Organizing Committee

Application

to participate in the International Scientific Conference

**“Ethnolinguistics and Traditional Culture:**

**Diachronic and Synchronic Aspects of Interlingual Interaction”**

(Minsk, November 18-19, 2021)

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