

SIG WRITING Activity Report

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- 1984 foundation of EARLI as a European enterprise for research on learning and instruction
- standing orders of EARLI include formation of Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

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- 1988 initiative for SIG Writing
- initial meeting in Padova
- convenors: Pietro Boscolo & Michel Fayol
- present coordinators (four year terms)
 - Åsa Wengelin (University of Lund)
 - Joachim Grabowski (Heidelberg University of Education)

- past SIG Writing Conferences
 - 1988 Padova (I)
 - 1991 Paris (F)
 - 1992 Freiburg (D)
 - 1994 Urtecht (NL)
 - 1996 Barcelona (E)
 - 1998 Poitiers (F)
 - 2000 Verona (I)
 - 2002 Stafford (GB)
 - 2004 Geneva (CH)
 - 2006 Antwerp (B)

- Forthcoming Writing Conference
 - 11th International Writing Conference
 - Lund, Sweden
 - 11th –13th of June 2008
 - sigwriting2008.sol.lu.se
 - submission open until 30th of November 2007

- book series „Studies in Writing“
- 20 books issued
- most recent titles
 - vol. 17: Writing and Digital Media (Van Waes/Leijten/Neuwirth)
 - vol. 18: Computer Keystroke Logging and Writing (Sullivan/Lindgren)
 - vol. 19: Writing and Motivation (Hidi/Boscolo)
 - vol. 20: Writing and Cognition (Torrance/Van Waes/Galbraith)

- volumes relevant to academic writing
 - Writing as a Learning Tool (Tynjälä/Mason/Lonka)
 - New Directions in L2-Writing (Ransdell/Barbier)
 - Revision (Allal/Chanquoy/Largy)
 - Teaching Academic Writing in European Higher Education (Björk/Bräuer/Rienecker/Stry-Jørgenson)
 - Handbook Effective Learning and Teaching of Writing (Rijlaarsdam/van den Bergh/Couzijn)

- prepublication and archive website
- register at www.sigwritingpublications.org
- more than 200 items available
- alert notice of new uploads
- incoming papers are fastly published after editors' check
- **upload your EATAW 2007 paper for immediate distribution!**

- summary of important information
 - 2008 International Writing Conference in Lund (S)
<http://sigwriting2008.sol.lu.se>
 - join SIG writing via EARLI
<http://www.earli.org>
 - access to the publication archive
<http://www.sigwritingpublications.org>
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