How to become part of the Network Next Generation Literacies?

Thank you for your interest in the Next Generation Literacies Network (NextGenLit). NextGenLit is an international network of researchers working at the intersection of social participation and linguistic diversity. Based on the trilateral partnership of Fudan University (China), Hamburg University (Germany) and Macquarie University (Australia), Next Generation Literacies brings together an interdisciplinary group of established and emerging researchers. We focus on the role of language in mediating access to education, health, employment, law, and other social goods.

Who can apply for membership?

A member of the network may be any person

a) who belongs to one of the participating universities or research institutions and is working on the topic,

b) or has demonstrated the ability to conduct independent research in the research field of the network and is able to state the benefit to their career in the field as a member in the network.

Membership is not contingent upon funding under the network.

How to apply for membership?

Researchers may apply for membership in the network via its executive committee (Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Ingrid Gogolin, Prof. Silvia Melo-Pfeifer, Prof. Ingrid Piller, Prof. Yongyan Zheng). For this please send an email to Katharina.ackermann@uni-hamburg.de with the following documents:

- a letter of interest with information on why you would like to become a member, how you can contribute to the network and information on your research in the field (max 2 pages)
- a short CV including a list of publications.

Please find more information on the network and the networks activities on language on the move and on Universität Hamburg webpage. Each member is obliged to agree to the network principles.

In case of any questions to the network or application process, do not hesitate to contact Katharina Ackermann.

The Next Generation Literacies network is looking forward to your application!