

Hey You(th)! Let the GAMES begin!

The 8th International Undergraduate Symposium offers you an academic platform to present your ideas about “**Culture, Literature, and Games.**” If you want to share your ideas and prepare a presentation on the subject, we are happy to warmly welcome you. Moreover, the symposium will provide you with the opportunity to develop your social and communicative skills, as well as expand your perspective on the concept of “games” in culture and literature. In short, we will exchange ideas, have debates and gain experience in a friendly atmosphere.

Here is a list of potential topics which may inspire you!

- ◆ Games in Literature / Culture / Popular Culture / Visual Arts / Media
- ◆ Representation of Ethnicities / Genders / Identities in Games
- ◆ Games and Psychology / Sociology / Politics / Anthropology / Economy
  - ◆ Philosophy / History / Culture of Games
- ◆ Games and Realities / World-building / Space, Time & Action
  - ◆ Games and Arts / Comics / Religion / Mythology

Take your time and remember that you are free to present any idea that can relate to the concept of “games” in culture and literature. Organised by the undergraduate students of English Language and Literature and American Culture and Literature Departments, the three-day symposium will be held on **9-10-11 May 2018**, at the Faculty of Letters, Ege University, Izmir/Turkey. In order to participate, all you have to do is submit a 200-word abstract and a short biography (about 50 words) to **egeius2018@gmail.com** by **February 12, 2018**. Abstracts will be reviewed by the academic screening committee and we will inform you about the results no later than **30 March 2018**. Please keep in mind that your presentation should not exceed 15 minutes.

Hope to see you at IUS!

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