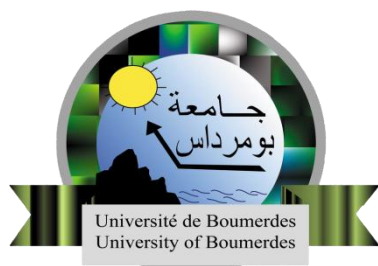


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organizes an Online National Conference entitled:

Influence, Originality and Creativity

On May 11th and 12th, 2022

Abstract

The aim of this study day is to offer a space for discussing influence and originality, or what T.S Eliot calls tradition and the individual talent, in improving knowledge in a variety of disciplines and fields. Originality, which points to those qualities of works that make them distinct from others, and influence, which designates works derivative and reminiscent of the product of others, are two key elements that contribute to a large extent to the development of creativity in language education, translation, linguistics and literature.

Sir Isaac Newton once said, "If I have seen further than others, it is because I have stood on the shoulders of giants." Newton's statement implies that creativity does not imply a slavish imitation of any existing knowledge, nor does it proceed from a blank mind. Though it derives from a reservoir of information brought into existence by others and now constitutes a tradition, creativity requires a strenuous process of adopting and negotiating with that tradition to generate new ideas and concepts.

Research area lines

Influence, originality and intertextuality,

Translation, writing and /or rewriting Language,

language learning and creativity

Concerned participants

- English departments
- French departments
- Tamazight departments
- Arabic departments

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