Thessaloniki Cognitive Linguistics Research Group has been organized at the School of English Language and Literature, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki.

It is supervised by Professor Angeliki Athanasiadou and is addressed to scholars, doctoral and/or MA students. Meetings take place twice a month.

The aim of the Research Group is to:

- a. Discuss and comment on the latest publications related to Figurative Language and Thought based on an interdisciplinary approach with contributions from the fields of Cognitive Linguistics, Cognitive Psycholinguistics and Social studies.
- b. Provide the group members with feedback on their MA and PhD theses and/or their papers and conference presentations.
- c. Organize symposia or thematic sessions in symposia / conferences.
- d. Participate in research projects.

A call for participation in the research group is addressed every September.

Students (MA, PhD), graduates and colleagues who are interested in the CL framework are welcome to attend but they are also encouraged to visit our webpage so that they familiarize themselves with the academic interests and activities of the Research Group before they request to participate.

The first meeting of the research group for the current academic year will take place on **Friday October 6**th, **308 seminar room**, **14.00-16.00**.

Please send your name, institution and e-mail address to Giota Syrpa (panasyrp@enl.auth.gr & syrpag@yahoo.com) by **September 30**th at the latest.

Note that old members should confirm their participation as well.