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Aims and scope

The journal provides a unique forum devoted to the interdisciplinary study of language and signs. The investigation of language and its semiotic properties and implications is a concern shared in common by those working in semiotics, linguistics, translation studies, cultural studies, media studies, discourse analysis, rhetoric, philology, philosophy, psychology, the politics of language, pragmatics, language evolution, linguistic anthropology, and sociolinguistics. The *LASS* journal affords a worldwide platform for disseminating knowledge and influential findings to academics, practitioners, and educators.

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