

# **Call for papers for a special issue of Novitas-ROYAL**

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## **Teaching arts, literatures, and cultures in foreign language classrooms**

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Arts, literatures, and cultures is a field of teaching and research that continually experiences challenges to their legitimation in more traditional and conventional approaches to foreign language education. However, especially because of the growing importance of constructivist learning environments and intercultural/ multicultural education, teaching (with) arts, literatures and cultures receives increasing recognition by foreign language teachers and researchers.

This call for papers invites submissions in the field of foreign language teaching in relation to making use of arts, literatures, and cultures while teaching English and other foreign languages. We encourage submissions that make use of interdisciplinary, multidisciplinary, and transdisciplinary approaches to studying and researching. Studies that follow alternative or experimental research designs and purely artistic-experimental studies and philosophical papers are also welcome.

Authors interested in contributing to our special issue should direct their questions and send their papers to the special issue contact person/ editor Assoc. Prof. Dr. Feryal Çubukçu at [cubukcu.feryal@gmail.com](mailto:cubukcu.feryal@gmail.com). Deadline for submission is July 1, 2012.