

**INTERNACIONAL AND INTERDISCIPLINARY COLLOQUIUM
ART IN THE TRENCHES | IN THE TRENCHES OF ART
100 years of the First World War
Porto, Faculdade de Letras
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Organization:

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In order to solemnize the centenary of the outbreak of the First World War, the Institute of Comparative Literature of the Faculty of Arts of University of Porto will associate itself with government and city agencies such as the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Porto City Hall that will carry a set of commemorative activities of the ephemeris. The aim of this Interdisciplinary Colloquium is to further discussion on the participation of Portugal in the Great War, through joint and coordinated reflection, beyond issues strictly related to historical-political matters, focusing on the various artistic fields, with special emphasis on the field of Literature. Thus, the following themes will be considered:

1. literary representations of World War I in western literature;
2. interartistic expressions of the First World War (theater, music, cinema, photography, visual arts);
3. artistic and literary migrations between 1914-1918;
4. questioning – in Literature and other arts – concepts and values related to War;
5. theoretical and critical questioning of the warmongering role of Art and Literature.

Paper proposals should be submitted by April 30, 2014 to the address **guerra14@letras.up.pt**, with the following elements:

Name

Institution

Contact details (email, telephone)

Title

Abstract (150-300 words)

Indication of the thematic section in which the proposal falls

Acceptance of proposals will be sent by email before 31 May. The registration will cost 80 euros until July 31, 2014, 100 euros after this date and until 15 September. For current students of the Faculty of Arts, University of Porto, enrollment in regular period will cost 40 euros and 50 euros from August 1, 2014 (until 15 September). Registration (<https://www.letras.up.pt/gi/eventos/registo.asp?tt=fa&ln=eng>) will only be valid after confirmation of payment.