This workshop is intended to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the ACL by creating a new space for debates and discussion about topics related to preserving, analyzing and exploiting the scientific heritage of the ACL, as well as to envisage future trends, applications and research in Computational Linguistics. This workshop will be held during the main conference of ACL 2012. It will be free for participation to all ACL 2012 participants.

The main objective of the workshop is to gather contributions about the history, the evolution and the future of research in Computational Linguistics. Although this call for papers is open to any kind of technical contributions that are relevant to the main objective of the workshop, we especially encourage interested parties to submit research work related to the application of natural language processing and text mining techniques to the ACL Anthology Reference Corpus, which is publicly available from the ACL Anthology Reference Repository (http://translit.i2r.a-star.edu.sg/).

In addition to the technical program, the workshop will host a contributed-task, in the spirit of a crowd-sourcing activity, for augmenting and improving the current status of the ACL data collection. This contributed-task includes fostering the expansion of the most recent papers from pdf to rich-text format, and the processing, post-editing, correction and segmentation of the available digital versions of very old proceedings.

Technical contributions are to be organized into two tracks. The first track will consider review and discussion papers on the history and future of Computational Linguistics. The second track will consider reports about empirical work conducted over the ACL Anthology Reference Corpus or any other similar technical contributions that are relevant to the main objective of the workshop, we specially encourage interested parties to submit research work related to the application of natural language processing and text mining techniques to the ACL Anthology Reference Corpus, which is publicly available from the ACL Anthology Reference Repository (http://translit.i2r.a-star.edu.sg/).

All submissions must be done electronically via the portal http://acl2012.org/call/sub01.asp. The submission deadline is March 18, 2012. Accepted papers will be presented at the workshop and published in the ACL workshop proceedings.

Please find the workshop website at http://translit.i2r.a-star.edu.sg/.

### Important Dates
- **March 18, 2012**: Paper submissions due
- **April 15, 2012**: Notification of acceptance
- **April 30, 2012**: Camera-ready submission due
- **July 10, 2012**: Workshop in Jeju, Korea.

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