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<th>PG Conference “Authority, Memory, Transgression: Trends in Comparative Literature and Translation Studies”</th>
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1. **Brief description of Event (50-100 words):**

The conference was organised by the University of Glasgow in order to present tackling and relevant research in the endangered field of Translation and Comparative literature. The main focuses of the conference were memory, orality, adaptation studies and the impossibility of translation.

2. **What were the benefits of attending and what did you gain from the experience in terms of transferable skills and knowledge.**

Although this was the first conference I attended as a researcher, the outcomes have been highly satisfactory. I learnt how to manage the 15 minutes allocated to each participant, how to make use of the visual supports and the space, how to raise the audience attention and how to present my research in an engaging way.

3. **What actions will you be taking as a result of attending or by making new networking contacts.**

I have already been contacted by one of the participants, whose topic is similar to mine, to further discuss how each of our research could be useful for one another. Moreover, during the conference, I received many suggestions regarding the bibliography.

4. **Can you share any additional resources produced in connection with the event (e.g. feedback from participants, training resources, website links, and additional materials).**

I do not possess any written document but I am happy to say that I received much praise: the participants found my topic very interesting and they raised several challenging questions. The way I engaged with the space and my presentation skills have been appreciated by everybody, especially because of the oral delivery of my paper, without any reading.

5. **Tips/experience learned from the event**

PowerPoint presentations are extremely useful tool to keep both the speaker and the hearers on the track, but they must be very quick and easy to read and the content should not be distracting.
6. Any additional comments or information regarding the event