## Checklist for Meeting proposals

General matter	Relevant details	Budget implications
Spaces available for the meeting	<ul> <li>☐ How many classrooms or meeting rooms are there?</li> <li>☐ What is the seating capacity of each?</li> <li>☐ Is there a single venue large enough to accommodate the 100 or more SALSA members present when there are events to bring them all together?</li> <li>☐ Are the venues accessible to the disabled?</li> <li>☐ Are the classrooms and other meeting venues equipped with computers and audio-visual presentation equipment and software?</li> <li>☐ Is there internet access?</li> <li>☐ Are there printing facilities?</li> <li>☐ Are there spaces for registration, a welcoming g reception, coffee break chats, and book tables?</li> <li>☐ Where would the Keynote Lecture and dinner take place?</li> </ul>	Is the use of spaces free, in exchange for a sponsorship or donation, or supposed to be covered by registration fees?
Provisions and amenities	<ul> <li>□ What are the plans for provision of drinks and other refreshments during the welcoming reception and the breaks?</li> <li>□ Will there be a child-care service for SALSA members?</li> <li>□ Will there be signage posted around the venue? Will maps of the city and the venue be made available?</li> <li>□ Are there arrangements for printing programs for the attendees?</li> <li>□ Are there arrangements for printing certificates of attendance for the attendees?</li> <li>□ Will members receive bags and writing material?</li> <li>□ Will there be museum visits, city tours, concerts, or the like?</li> </ul>	What are the rough costs for each of these? Will the hosting institution provide donations in kind? Will costs be covered by registration fees, or is there some other funding available?
Volunteers and personnel	<ul> <li>□ Will there be graduate or undergraduate student volunteers?</li> <li>□ Will there be paid personnel helping with the organization and execution of the conference?</li> </ul>	What expenses will these entail, and how will they be covered?

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Lodging	<ul> <li>□ Is the venue within easy walking distance from hotels?</li> <li>□ Is there convenient public transportation between hotels and the conference venue?</li> <li>□ Have affordable options been identified?</li> <li>□ Will the host block a set of rooms (with appropriate</li> </ul>	It is expected that members will cover the cost of their own lodging.
	guarantees of no punitive costs if not filled)?  Are there volunteers willing to billet students or underemployed professional members of SALSA?	
Food	<ul> <li>Are there restaurants or other good and affordable eating venues nearby?</li> <li>Will they serve the diverse needs of vegetarians, carnivores, and others?</li> </ul>	It is expected that members will cover the costs of their own meals.
Troubleshooting	<ul> <li>□ Are there any issues with accessibility to the venues during weekends and odd hours?</li> <li>□ Is there a need for permission/special keys?</li> <li>□ Will there be technical support on call during the meetings?</li> </ul>	Will the hosting institution provide these, or will this need to be covered out of registration fees?