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We would like to invite you, your colleagues and students to join us in Harrogate.

IATEFL's 44th Annual International Conference and Exhibition will be held at the Harrogate International Centre (HIC) in Harrogate, North Yorkshire, UK.

Eleven Pre-Conference Events and IATEFL's Associates' Day will take place on Wednesday 7th April, followed by the four-day Conference and Exhibition from Thursday 8th to Sunday 11th April 2010.

Join us in the elegant Victorian spa town with its characteristic architecture and immaculately maintained green spaces. The Harrogate International Centre is set in the heart of the town, within walking distance of shops, hotels, guesthouses, restaurants, parks and gardens.

The Harrogate conference exhibition will bring together ELT professionals from around the world to discuss, reflect on and develop their ideas. The conference programme will offer many opportunities for professional contact and development. It involves a fourday programme of over 300 talks, poster presentations, workshops, panel discussions and symposiums. It also gives delegates a chance to meet leading theorists and writers, and exchange ideas with fellow professionals from all sectors of ELT, as well as enabling them to see the latest ELT publications and services in the resources exhibition.

Registration for the conference and PCEs can be made <u>online</u> at www.iatefl.org

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue and dates

The 44th Annual International IATEFL Conference and Exhibition will be held at the Harrogate International Centre (HIC) North Yorkshire, UK, from Wednesday 7th April to Sunday 11th April.

Venue address

Harrogate International Centre (HIC), King's Road, Harrogate, North Yorkshire, HG1 5LA, UK

Getting to Harrogate & the venue

By air – Leeds Bradford International Airport is 12 miles south of Harrogate. Delegates can travel from Leeds Bradford International Airport to Harrogate by bus (Bus 2 Jet bus service). Buses depart every 90 minutes and the journey time is 30 minutes. Please visit www.bus2jet.com, www.klm.com or skyscanner.com for details. Return ticket at November 2009 is £7.

Manchester International Airport is 56 miles from Harrogate, with a direct train service to Leeds station (journey time to Leeds is 2 ½ hours).

Both airports have internal, European and worldwide flights to a wide range of destinations.

By rail – There are regular train services to Harrogate via York and Leeds (both 30-minute journey times).

The train service to and from London Kings Cross (journey time of 2 ½ - 3 hours) is run by National Express East Coast (see www.nationalexpresseast coast.com).

The cost of a taxi from the train station to the venue at November 2009 is £4.50.

Ticket prices and timetables can be obtained from www.thetrainline.com or from National Rail Enquiries at www.nationalrail.co.uk or by telephone on 08457 484950 (telephone number from overseas is +44 (0)20 7278 5240).

The internet is a good place to compare all the different fares on offer. Many of the best deals are available only on single journeys - often making two singles a cheaper option than a return ticket. Also check individual train companies' sites, for example www.virgintrains.com, to see if you can get a cheaper fare directly.

A tip on getting the best rail fare: Buy in advance. Virgin Trains, for example, release some cheap tickets weeks in advance. If you are unable to buy in advance, try not to travel at peak times.

By road – Harrogate is located within easy reach of the North/South A1/M1 and the East/West M62 motorways. Harrogate is 200 miles from both Edinburgh and London. The A661, A61 and A59 are main routes to Harrogate.

Motorway Access – From London & the South: M1 then A1(M) Exit Wetherby. From the North: A1 then A1(M) Exit Knaresborough or Wetherby. From the East and from the West: M62 then A1(M) Exit Wetherby. (Wetherby is 9 miles and Knaresborough is 4 miles from Harrogate.)

By coach - National Express operates coaches from most UK airports and cities to Harrogate Bus Station. Timetables and prices can be

obtained from National Express at www.nationalexpress.com. The journey by coach from London to Harrogate is approximately nine hours.

Harrogate Bus Station is a 10-15 minute walk from the venue. The cost of a taxi from the bus station to the venue at November 2009 is £4.50.

By sea – 70 miles to the east of Harrogate, Hull has ferry services from Rotterdam and Zeebrugge. Newcastle (80 miles from Harrogate) has ferry services from Amsterdam.

Car parking

There are 300 parking spaces at the Harrogate International Centre. Charges apply and at November 2009 a 24-hour stay costs £10.00.

To pre-register as a delegate

Registration for the Conference or Pre-Conference Events (PCEs) can only be made online. Please read the information below before going online at www.iatefl.org

Registration is open to any member of the public who wishes to attend the We conference. stronalv recommend that delegates reaister early and the advantage of registration rate. The earlybird rate applies if full payment is received by 29th January 2010.

There is a reduced members' rate. (If you wish to join IATEFL in order to take advantage of this rate please join online at www.iatefl.org)

You will see that IATEFL also offers a single day attendance fee.

To register for the conference or a pre-conference event, please register online at www.iatefl.org where you can make secure payments with a credit card.

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The registration fees are:

Full four-day conference fees
Registration form and full
payment received on or
before 29th January 2010
IATEFL members £125
Non members £175
Student members* £95

Registration form <u>and full</u> <u>payment</u> received <u>after 29th</u> January 2010

IATEFL members £160 Non members £210 Student members* £95

Single day attendance fees

IATEFL members £70 Non members £85 Student members* £45

Single day attendance on Sunday 11th (half day)
IATEFL members £35

Non members £45 Student members* £25

*fees apply only to delegates with Student membership of IATEFL.

Pre-Conference Event (PCE) registration fees

IATEFL members £55Non members £65

Please make every effort not to leave your registration until the last minute as the IATEFL Office will be fully committed to conference arrangements from early March 2010. Unless we receive your registration form and full payment by Friday 12th March, you will need to register on arrival at the venue.

European funding might be possible to help with conference attendance costs. For details, visit the Education and Training website at http://ec.europa.eu/education/programmes/llp/index_en.html

Local delegates

The last 24 hours of the conference (from lunchtime Saturday 10th to early afternoon Sunday 11th April) is a special 'Local Day' for ESOL and EFL teachers who live within 30 miles of Harrogate. If you live within 30 miles of Harrogate and aren't able to attend the whole conference, come and advantage of opportunity to join our conference and exhibition for the final 24 hours. The 'Local Day' programme provides the following opportunities:

- An exhibition displaying the latest ELT materials
- The opportunity to attend presentations, including the choice of one of the 15 symposiums
- Attend an evening event on Saturday night
- A stimulating plenary session on Sunday afternoon
- Networking with fellow professionals in ELT from the UK and around the world.

How to register: please register online at www.iatefl.org. There is a tick box under the 'Conference Registration Fees' for 'Local delegate'. Alternatively, you can register at the door from 1230 on Saturday 10th April. The registration fee for local delegates is £50.

Pre-registered delegates

On arrival please collect your badge, conference pack and Conference Programme from the IATEFL registration desk. The registration desk will be located in the entrance foyer of the Harrogate International Centre.

Onsite registration for *new* delegates

Onsite registrations are welcome. Complete a form and pay at the Payment Desk. You will then receive a receipt, your badge, a conference pack and the Conference Programme.

Registration opening times

PCE delegates only

Wednesday 7 April 0800-0945

Conference delegates

 Wednesday 7 April
 1030-1830

 Thursday 8 April
 0800-1730

 Friday 9 April
 0800-1730

 Saturday 10 April
 0830-1730

 Sunday 11 April
 0830-1100

Delegates must register before they can attend sessions as admission is strictly by badge. Late arrival at the registration desk could preclude you from a session as latecomers will not be allowed into many sessions. In the event of late arrival before a plenary talk, you will be allowed access to that talk only.

Accommodation

Reservation Highway has arranged accommodation at various hotels and B&Bs in Harrogate. There are different price bands from which delegates can choose. In order to reserve accommodation at your preferred hotel, it is recommended that you book your accommodation as early as possible.

To book accommodation, please go to the IATEFL website (www.iatefl.org) and click on 'Annual Conference' then 'Next Conference' and scroll down to details about accommodation. You will be able to book online.

If you do not have access to the Internet, you can request an accommodation booking form by emailing admin@reservation-

highway.co.uk and returning the form directly to Samantha at Reservation Highway. If you do not receive confirmation one week after sending booking form, you are advised to contact her at the above address by email or telephoning +44 (0)1423525577.

Meals

Catering points and seating will be located in the exhibition hall.

A complimentary tea/coffee will be served in the exhibition area during the coffee breaks.

During the lunch break there will be a variety of snacks, salads and hot food served. All food will be offered on a cash Alternatively, take a stroll and enjoy the many cafés and restaurants in the town, just a few minutes' walk away.

Catering and bar facilities are available in the exhibition area throughout the day delegates to purchase snacks and drinks at other times.

International delegates

Delegates who require an invitation letter in order to make arrangements should visa contact IATEFL by fax on +44 (0)1227 824431 or by emailing conferenceprocessor@iatefl.org Please state your full name, address, nationality, postal passport number, fax number (if you have one), and your email address.

Alternatively, please tick the 'Personal under Information' when registering online.

Please note that the invitation are for overseas letters delegates who require an invitation to assist with their visa application.

Internet Café

The Internet Café is sponsored this year by Pearson Longman. IATEFL is most grateful to Pearson Longman for providing the financial support to offer this opportunity. The Internet Café, with 10 stations, will be situated in a prime position in the exhibition area and will be open throughout the exhibition opening times.

Conference timetable

Wednesday 7th April

Associates' Day 0900-1700 1000-1700 **PCEs**

Thursday 8th April 0800-0900 - Register for the conference, look round the exhibition, use the Internet Café and then be in time for the plenary speakers.

0900-1025 the opening and announcements First Plenary Session by Tessa Woodward.

Sessions	1040-1140
Coffee break	1140-1215
Sessions	1215-1300
Lunch break	1300-1400
Sessions	1400-1530
Coffee break	1530-1605
Sessions	1605-1850

Friday 9th April

0800-0900 - Register for the conference, look round the exhibition, use the Internet Café and then be in time for the plenary session.

0900-1010 Plenary Session by Kieran Egan.

1025-1110	Sessions
1110-1145	Coffee break
1145-1245	Sessions
1245-1410	Lunch break
1255-1400	AGM
1410-1540	Sessions
1540-1615	Coffee break
1615-1815	Sessions

Saturday 10th April

0830-0900 - Register for the conference, look round the exhibition, use the Internet Café and then be in time for the plenary session.

0900-1010 Plenary Session by Ema Ushioda.

1025-1110	Sessions
1110-1145	Coffee break
1145-1245	Sessions
1245-1345	Lunch break
1345-1515	Sessions
1515-1550	Coffee break
1550-1835	Sessions

Sunday 11th April

0830-0900 - Register for the conference, look round the exhibition, use the Internet Café and then be in time for the symposiums and sessions.

0900-1130	Sessions
1130-1200	Coffee break
1200	Exhibition closes

1200-1300 - Final Plenary Session by Jan Blake.

1300-1400 - The conference will end with a closing ceremony.

Exhibition

will be an Resources Exhibition, open to all for the length of the conference, showing the latest published materials, teaching resources equipment, and computer software services.

You do not need to register to access the exhibition.

Do take time to visit and re-visit the exhibition stands during the conference.

Look out for the competitions, discounts and, maybe. freebies!

Exhibition opening times

Thursday	0830-1730
Friday	0830-1730
Saturday	0830-1730
Sunday	0830-1200

For security, the doors to the exhibition hall will be locked at the close of the exhibition each day.

Programme information

Important Programme Note

This pre-conference brochure will be superseded by the official Conference Programme that you will receive on arrival the conference. Conference Programme will be available on the IATEFL website (www.iatefl.org) from February.

Please remember that the 'Preview of Presentations' in this brochure is *provisional* and will change before the conference.

IATEFL Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

addition to the Pre-Conference Events, the Special Interest Group presentations give delegates the opportunity to follow talks and workshops during the main conference in the area of their interest. Each SIG will have an Open Forum which all delegates welcome to attend. If you would like to know more about a SIG, if you have some time to assist a SIG, or perhaps if you would like to give ideas to a SIG Coordinator, please attend the SIG's Open Forum.

Signature events

There will be three signature events throughout the conference. Please refer to page 33 for details of these sessions by the British Council, Cambridge University Press and Pearson Longman.

Plenary sessions

Please refer to pages 34-35 for details of our four plenary speakers at this year's conference.

Tessa Woodward (Thursday) Kieran Egan (Friday) Ema Ushioda (Saturday) Jan Blake (Sunday)

Conference attendance donations

This year we are again giving delegates the opportunity to help our scholarship winners who would otherwise be unable to attend the conference.

Donations received will go into the various scholarship accounts to help us fund scholarships for future conferences. You can make a kind donation with your registration. Thank you.

For UK tax payers using Gift Aid, the Inland Revenue donates an extra 22p for every £1 received. Please tick the Gift Aid box under the 'Payment' tab when you register.

Wider membership individual scheme (WMIS)

We are continuing with our collection for the Wider Membership Individual Scheme that we launched at the Annual Conference in 2007. This initiative is the next phase of Wider Membership our Scheme, and is designed to enable individual IATEFL members sponsor to memberships for colleagues in the less economically developed world where there are no local TAs who are Associates of IATEFL.

Currently, we are focussing on Sub-Saharan Africa. A number of members of the profession have agreed to be scheme founders and have started a fund which we will use to match members' donations. So by donating £23 you can enable a teacher from Africa to become a full IATEFL member. However, smaller donations are also very welcome.

Donation envelopes and collection buckets are available on the IATEFL stand and at the registration desk. You can either drop your change or the donation envelope in the collection buckets.

For UK tax payers wishing to donate, please tick the Gift Aid box and fill in your details on the envelope. The Inland Revenue donates an extra 22p for every £1 received via Gift Aid.

We need your help to make this initiative a success.

Cancellations and insurance

Cancellations of Conference and PCE Registrations received before 1st March 2010 will incur a 50% cancellation charge. Cancellations after this date will not be refunded.

We strongly recommend that delegates purchase insurance to cover any cancellations and losses that may occur whilst they are away from home.

IATEFL Local Conference Committee

IATEFL is extremely grateful for the help given by local ELT friends from the Harrogate area.

Isabel Arnold, Heather Buchanan, Vicky Fulcher, Jackie Godfrey, Emma Landers, Judy MacDermot, Charlie Martineau & Alison Watson

Their local knowledge has been invaluable and their continued support will help us in the coming months.

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Please note that the head office is closed from Thursday 1st April until after the conference.

Harrogate Online





Online coverage of the 2010 Annual IATEFL Conference





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A comment from one of last year's IATEFL Cardiff plenary speakers:

'What Cardiff Online does is provide free access to stunning plenaries and interviews – remarkable! Even in remote African regions, as long as there is connectivity and bandwidth, Cardiff Online can reach and include teachers who were previously excluded.'

Dr. Bonny Norton, University of British Columbia, Canada

Follow all the action as it happens on Harrogate Online

The Harrogate Online project is a British Council / IATEFL partnership established to provide online conference coverage of the Annual IATEFL Conference. Now in its fourth year IATEFL ONLINE returns in April 2010, together with the Annual IATEFL Conference in Harrogate.

Harrogate Online will showcase the best of the conference and provide interactive web coverage for remote participants around the globe with live video, interviews with presenters, dedicated forums, photo galleries and much more.

How you can get involved

If you're coming to conference you can get involved in a variety of ways: the first thing to do is to register on the site when it goes live and upload any materials from your session (handouts, PowerPoint, etc.); if you're going to be bringing your laptop with you, consider playing an active part in the day-to-day proceedings by sharing photos, tweets or your reflections if you have a blog of your own; get involved with the forums, especially if you have a special interest dear to your heart.

If you're going to be a remote participant you can still get involved with live chats, twitter and even organising a local event in your area with a teacher training focus around the online conference.

We hope you can join us for IATEFL Harrogate Online - share your ideas on the IATEFL Harrogate conference with teachers from all over the world and be a part of one of the biggest online events for teachers of English.

For more information and updates on Harrogate Online, visit the IATEFL website at www.iatefl.org

IATEFL Jobs Market



It is a great pleasure to announce the launch of the IATEFL Jobs Market at our annual conference in Harrogate this year.

For over 40 years, IATEFL has been a leading organisation for ELT professionals with a clear mission to link, develop and support the wider ELT community around the world. Through our publications, annual conference and Special Interest Groups, and through our support for our Teacher Associates in around 80 countries, we help ELT professionals worldwide to stay informed, link theory and practice, and to exchange ideas and learn from one another.

The new Jobs Market demonstrates our commitment to further support our members in their own professional development, as well as our aim to extend our reach and bring new members into the IATEFL community.

The Jobs Market brochure explains everything on offer - for recruiters and jobseekers - and explains how you can get involved. Information is also available at www.iatefl.org.

We sincerely hope that you find the Jobs Market is a welcome addition to the annual conference, and that it proves to be a valuable forum for connecting employers and talented ELT professionals from around the world - this year, and in years to come.

PRE-CONFERENCE EVENTS (PCEs)

Pre-Conference Events (PCEs) will be held on Wednesday 7th April specifically for delegates who wish to concentrate on a particular topic. PCEs are planned as professional development days and participants will receive a certificate of attendance.

This year, the Special Interest Groups organising Pre-Conference Events are:

Business English on Business or Business English?

Leadership & Management on Technology and Innovation for Leaders and Managers

English for Specific Purposes on Current Trends and Issues in English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

Testing, Evaluation & Assessment on Assessing Reading: Can We Really Do It?

Learner Autonomy on Learner Autonomy and Current Trends in Language Teaching and Learning

Learning Technologies on The Learning Technologies Un-Conference

ES(O)L on Magnificent Materials: Making Mondays Marvellous!

Literature, Media & Cultural Studies on The Film of the Book

Young Learners and Teenagers on Challenging Changes or Changing Challenges? A YLT Reality Check

Teacher Training & Education on Narrative Inquiry in Teacher Training and Education

Teacher Development on ELT, Life, the Universe and Everything. Open Space Technology: The Leading-edge Alternative for Conferences

How to pre-register for a PCE

Delegates who wish to attend a PCE on Wednesday 7th April can register online (at www.iatefl.org). The online registration has been designed for delegates who wish to attend the PCE, or the conference, or both.

We recommend that delegates pre-register early for a PCE as there are limited places available. Places will not be booked until full payment is received.

Please note that these are full-day events so delegates can therefore only register for one PCE.

The PCE Registration Desk will be open from 0800 to 0945 on Wednesday 7th April. The PCE programmes will start at 1000 promptly and end between 1600 and 1700. Please arrive early to ensure you don't miss the start.

Preliminary details of the PCE programmes follow.

Business English

Business or Business English?

Sponsored by Cambridge ESOL

How much business background do business English trainers need to have? Are we responsible for teaching just vocabulary, grammar and communication skills in a foreign language, or do we also need to understand exactly what it is that our clients deal with in their jobs? Is it possible to completely separate the teaching of business English for the teaching of business skills and business content – even if we have not actually worked in the particular business area ourselves?

This issue facing many of us in the Business English field will be discussed in a combination of presentations and workshops. Participants will have the chance to exchange information with others in the field and to experience how these topics are handled by those in different countries and fields of expertise.

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Schedule 10.00 – 10.10	Welcome
10.10 – 10.35	lan Badger Business English trainers - knowing our limits, developing our competences
10.35 – 11.00	Rita and Duncan Baker Frameworks for task-based learning: how to avoid chucking out the baby water.
11.00 – 11.25	Mark Waistell The Anatomy of a Business English Teacher "The Sequel!"
11.25 – 11.45	Coffee break
11.45 – 12.10	Rhonda Bowen Professional Business English Training
12.10 – 12.35	Bob Dignen Beyond Language – Towards Communication Coaching
12.40 – 13.00	Deshini Chetty and Simon Wright World of Work
12.45 – 14.00	Lunch break
14.00 - 15.30	Parallel workshops
15.30 – 15.50	Coffee break
15.50 – 16.45	Presentation of the workshop results
16.45 – 17.00	Round up and closing

Leadership & Management

Technology and Innovation for Leaders and Managers

Many managers today are digital immigrants who increasingly deliver courses to tech savvy digital natives. This PCE is designed to help managers become more aware about new technologies and their possibilities and pitfalls in the areas of programme delivery, marketing and communication. Topics covered will include:

- new technologies in the classroom
- the new opportunities for distance learning and blended learning
- communication possibilities and threats
- marketing and the Internet
- opportunities and challenges of Web 2.0

English for Specific Purposes

Current Trends and Issues in English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

The purpose of the 2010 Pre-Conference Event of the ESP SIG is to provide a cutting-edge international survey of the current trends and issues in EAP as a key sub-area of ESP (English for Specific Purposes).

EAP is certainly a mainstream current rather than a peripheral flow, and its evolutionary and revolutionary impact on ELT in recent years is noticeable. EAP was possibly marginalized in the past, as it was not a major 'money spinner' in the world of publishing. Recent years, however, have proved that EAP is a major challenger in ELT, and that it has a global appeal and importance given the role it plays in the education of international students who wish to achieve academic and professional empowerment via the vehicle of English.

The Pre-Conference Event will focus on the most pertinent trends and issues that are now dominating the EAP scene internationally and the focus of the event will be brought to prominence by a very diverse range of expert EAP keynote speakers representing all the continents.

The themes which are likely to deserve extensive coverage at the event will, inter alia, include:

- new or modified models of EAP teacher training
- debates on critical thinking and critical engagement and how these can be taught to international students
- distance education, e-learning and blended learning in EAP.

The interest in EAP has resurfaced, and is now at the top of the agenda for educators, academics, higher education ministry decision makers, course providers and publishers. This event will be a forum for exchange of state-of-the-art expertise in the area. The event will be supported by BALEAP (the British Association of Lecturers in English for Academic Purposes). Every effort will be made to further disseminate the findings from the key papers via a post-conference publication devoted to current trends and issues in EAP.

Testing, Evaluation & Assessment

Assessing Reading: Can We Really Do It?

Sponsored by Cambridge ESOL

We, as the teachers and testers of ESL/EFL, all know what reading is. Yet, we also find it difficult to define what constitutes reading comprehension. There are numerous strategies employed by EFL / ESL readers when they are "reading" a text. Not only this sheer variety imposes a great challenge to the language testers, but they are also likely to be puzzled by the variety of factors that determine reading comprehension such as the text type, topic familiarity, purpose for reading, the level of linguistic competence the reader has, to name a few. Clearly, assessing reading is a more complicated issue than knowing what reading is.

For this year's PCE, we would like to explore issues related with assessing reading and will concentrate on the following:

- Can we really assess reading "comprehension" in ESL/EFL?
- How can test designers best approach the testing different levels of reading "comprehension?
- How can test designers minimize test bias and maximize reliability?
- Should reading assessment focus on the process or the product?
- Can "reading" be broken down to easily assessable skills?
- What is the influence of background knowledge in the assessment of reading?
- How does one go about creating test specifications for reading assessment?
- What are the essential steps one should follow when designing a reading test?
- What are some of the "ideal" task types?
- How does one give feedback to test-takers on their performance?

Our speakers will be:

- Dr. Neil Anderson, Brigham Young University, Guatemala
- Dr. Christine Coombe, Dubai Men's College, UAE
- Dr. Neus Figueras, Spanish Ministry of Education / EALTA
- Dr. Hanan Khalifa, Cambridge ESOL, UK
- Keith Morrow, ELTJ, UK

The day will end with a panel discussion where our speakers will take questions from the audience.

For the abstracts, the program and further details, please refer to http://tea.iatefl.org/

IATEFL TEA SIG would like to thank Cambridge ESOL for their kind sponsorship of the provision of the PCE lunch.

Learner Autonomy

Learner Autonomy and Current Trends in Language Teaching and Learning

The LASIG PCE in Harrogate focuses on two 'trends', *Technology Enhanced Language Learning* (TELL) and Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL). Once again, we have been able to draw up a full and diverse programme, involving learner autonomy practitioners and researchers from around the world in a range of different types of presentations (talks, workshops, and integrated poster presentations) as follows:

- 10.00 10.15 Welcome and Highlights of poster presentations.
- 10.15 10.45 CLIL and Learner Autonomy: Relating two educational concepts, Dieter Wolff, Germany.
- 11.00 11.30 Mind the gap: CLIL potential and learner autonomy, Do Coyle, UK
- 11.30 11.50 Enhancing Learner Autonomy in the CLIL classroom: a blended learning approach, Laura Schlobies, Germany
- 12.10 12.55 *Moving beyond process and content: autonomy as deconstruction (workshop),* Mike Nix, Japan
- 13.40 14.00 Technology enhanced language learning for promoting Learner Autonomy: Practices in China, Xiaoli Jiang, China
- 14.00 14.20 Learners creating their own virtual language learning environment, Janaina Cardoso,
- 14.40 15.25 Practical ways to encourage learner autonomy: web-based tasks with real outcomes (workshop), Ann Foreman, Spain
- 15.40 16.10 Using technology to support learner choice and control at beginner level: evidence from a primary school, Richard Pemberton, UK
- 16.10 16.30 "Learners' thrive when they can explore their learning environment" open learning scenarios in primary English teaching, Katja Heim, Germany.

Even with 12 presentations in all, we have managed to build into the programme a large amount of time for reflection and group discussion. From our experience, it is these spaces that really make the difference, and will enable participants to establish *individual* connections between the topics dealt with and their own practice.

The only missing ingredient vitally important to a participatory LASIG PCE is: You! Therefore, we hope to welcome you in Harrogate. See also our website http://learnerautonomy.org/pce2010.html

Learning Technologies The Learning Technologies Un-Conference

This year for our PCE we intend to offer a variant of an Un-Conference for our Pre-Conference Event.

We are also intending to run a Virtual PCE (VPCE) in the six weeks that lead up to the day of the PCE that will run in Harrogate on the theme of Web 2.0. During the VPCE we will be looking at a number of topics:

- Week 1 Introductions
- Week 2 Student Publishing with Blogs & Wikis
- Week 3 Audio tools
- Week 4 Using Images & Video
- Week 5 Virtual Meeting Places (including Virtual Classrooms and Virtual Worlds)
- Week 6 Round-up

On the day of the PCE itself, we hope that at least some people who take part in the VPCE will be able to attend the face-to-face event (but we will also ask for a virtual presence as well), we will show some of the activity that we have been engaged in.

However, the main focus of the PCE day then will be to consider where we are now in the field of learning technologies and language learning and where we are going. Have we reached a time when learning technologies are a 'normalised' part of our practice, or is there still some way to go?

We have asked three people—Stephen Bax, Scott Thornbury and Mark Pegrum—to help us with short focused presentations during the day at various points to seed the debate. Stephen and Scott will be in Harrogate, Mark will be online. Group leaders will then work with the conference participants to support the discussion of whatever questions get raised as a part of the day; groups will then report back to the audience. Group leaders will also be asked to make a record of the event and write up the ideas for a special publication.

ES(O)L

Magnificent Materials: Making Mondays Marvellous!

Effective, engaging and enjoyable teaching materials and approaches are at the heart of what makes teaching ES(O)L to migrants, refugees and asylum seekers work. They motivate teacher and learners and, yes, make Mondays marvellous!

Join us for a hands-on day exploring inspiring ideas with everything from wikis and podcasts to video and board game projects. We will look at why good materials work well by integrating insights from language learning research, and how to go from intriguing source materials to activities that work in class for your learners. We would like you to go away with a wealth of practical ideas to try in your ES(O)L classroom. You might even be inspired to set up a local materials writing and sharing group...

We already have speakers confirmed on bringing creative writing techniques into the classroom, using extensive readers, authentic materials and social networking are busy putting the programme together and we need your help. We will have an opportunity for networking and sharing ideas at the end of the day: What is your most unusual activity that you would like to show other people or get them to try on the day? We can't wait to hear from you at esolsig@iatefl.org

Literature, Media & Cultural Studies The Film of the Book

Films of books have long been used in literature teaching to help develop perspectives on the novels and short stories they were taken from. In this year's PCE we will examine ways of using such adaptations, not just as part of a literature course, but also as a useful tool for other areas of language teaching. The day will start off with two sessions of a general nature, and then in the afternoon we will become more specific, looking at a particular genre and particular characters and authors:

A raid on the articulate: using film to illuminate literature (Alan Pulverness) The film *and* the book (Jane Sherman)
The appeal of the shocking (Robert Hill)
Bridget Jones as a cultural icon (Ellie Boyadzhieva)
Re-reading D.H.Lawrence (David A. Hill)

As usual, there will be opportunities for discussion throughout the day, and the sessions will be of a workshop nature, with plenty of audience participation built in.

We look forward to welcoming friends old and new to what promises to be an enjoyable and informative event.

Young Learners & Teenagers

Challenging Changes or Changing Challenges? A YLT Reality Check

Teaching young learners (aged 3–17) means dealing with the challenges of a changing world in which we learn. How are the learners, the teachers, the trainers and the materials writers dealing with these changes? And how successful are they?

The day will be filled with talks and workshops from the following experts in their fields.

Brian Tomlinson - materials writer, Leeds University
Jamie Keddie - freelance teacher & teacher trainer
Ken Wilson - Drama trainer & author of ELT materials
Nik Peachey - specialist in web based technologies for language learning
Paul Braddock - senior teacher at the British Council Young Learners Centre, Barcelona
Richard Johnstone - researcher into ELL
Rama Mathew, Professor of Education, Delhi University

By the end of the day, you will be clearer about how the YLT community is addressing these issues. YLT SIG Bringing you a relevant PCE.

Teacher Training & Education

Narrative Inquiry in Teacher Training and Education

Exploring our professional context and making use of stories of experience or narrative inquiry help us make more informed decisions about our practices. Stories enable us to engage with new knowledge, broader perspectives, and expanded possibilities because we encounter them in the familiar territory of human experience (Rossiter 2002). Narrative inquiry in teacher training and education brings myriad benefits to quality education, community building and professional development. The aim of this year's TTEd SIG PCE is to create a platform for discussing the importance of teachers', teacher trainers' and educators' narratives as

- research tools
- professional development
- methodology

The event will be organized with the contributions of Briony Beaven, Jill Hadfield and other distinguished speakers. The delegates will have the chance to take part in group activities and discussions and clarify issues at the end of the day.

For the abstracts, the programme and further details, please refer to http://ttedsig.iatefl.org/

Teacher Development

ELT, Life, the Universe and Everything

Open Space Technology: The Leading-edge Alternative for Conferences

This is a Pre-Conference Event with a difference: in the world where change is the only constant, we are going to challenge the need to stick to things as they are and venture into the universe of the unplanned, where anything can happen.

The structure of Open Space Technology (OST), a leading edge conference methodology, enables people to work together on what is important to them, which is why it doesn't have a preset programme.

After an introductory session dedicated to getting to know and developing a trusting working relationship with other members of the group, participants are going to suggest the content of the event by the real issues they would like to see addressed that day. You will come in and out of small groups talking about what interests you and working towards solutions through the strength of group intelligence.

This will give you a real chance to work on issues that are important to you, to dictate the content of the session and then build on it. We feel that participants will come out of the day with a clear idea of where they want to go in their teaching having spent a stimulating day with like-minded colleagues

This event, which will be facilitated by Andreja Hazabent Habe and Colin Mackenzie, is ideal for people who want something new from a conference, and also for those who would like to check to what a degree they take the traditional way of conferencing for granted.

IATEFL ASSOCIATES' DAY

IATEFL has around 80 Associate Members. An Associate is another Teacher Association (TA) that has entered into a mutually beneficial relationship with IATEFL. A benefit of becoming an Associate lies in linking up to a network of international TAs, and through this, a network of language educators from all over the world and from a range of diverse backgrounds and nationalities.

The Associates' Day (Wednesday 7th April) is a chance for representatives of these TAs to get together and discuss matters of common concern. One of the overarching aims of most TAs is to build professional communities. The tools for this community-building have changed radically over the past few decades. In addition to printed newsletters and face-to-face events, we now have on-line journals, e-lists, interactive websites, etc., and we have initiated a number of topic based e-forums.

This year, in response to TAs' requests, there will be a presentation and workshop by an expert in fundraising; we thank our sponsors, Cambridge ESOL, for this innovation.

As always, the specific agenda points will be drawn up nearer the actual date of the meeting by the TAs themselves but we actively encourage you to contact the Associates' Representative, Les Kirkham, at leskirkham@gmail.com if you have any suggestions you would like to make.

IATEFL SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGs)

What are the SIGs?

The aim of the IATEFL Special Interest Groups is to extend the work of IATEFL into several specialist areas, to enable professionals with special interests in ELT to benefit from information regarding new developments and local and international events in their areas of special interest.

Why should I join a SIG?

Each Special Interest Group aims to provide its members with three mailings (newsletters, updates, other publications) per year. The SIG newsletters often include key articles in the field, as well as informing the membership of the proceedings of conferences and one-day events which members may have been unable to attend.

Each Special Interest Group aims to organise a minimum of one event (in the UK or outside the UK) per year. These events frequently include the most informed and stimulating speakers in the field.

In addition there are other benefits for SIG members, which vary from one SIG to another, such as websites, internet discussion lists, internet chat forums, scholarships, etc.

Full Individual Members of IATEFL are entitled to join one Special Interest Group included in their membership fee.

Who are the SIGs?

Business English English for Specific Purposes ES(O)L

Global Issues Leadership & Management Learner Autonomy

Learning Technologies Literature, Media & Cultural Studies Pronunciation

Research Teacher Development Teacher Training & Education

Testing, Evaluation & Assessment Young Learners & Teenagers

You can be ACTIVE in IATEFL: Be ACTIVE - Join an IATEFL SIG!

For more detailed information about the SIGs, contact IATEFL at generalenquiries@iatefl.org or visit www.iatefl.org

EVENING EVENTS

A programme of events will be arranged for delegates during the evenings of the conference week. Details, times and venues will be in the Conference Programme, handed to delegates at the conference. Preliminary details are:

Wednesday 7th April

Civic Reception (provided by Harrogate Council) at 1830 hours at the Harrogate International Centre

IATEFL is delighted to hold a Civic Reception provided by Harrogate Council to offer delegates a welcome to the conference. The Mayor of the Borough of Harrogate, Councillor Pat Jones, will attend to welcome you to Harrogate.

Thursday 8th April

Language Playtime by David, Hilary and Ben Crystal

Everyone plays with language and enjoys language play - and especially, students of English. In this light-hearted extravaganza, David, Hilary, and Ben Crystal explore the extraordinary range of English ludic linguistics from the cradle to the grave (and beyond).

A World of Tales by David Heathfield

Storyteller David Heathfield has been collecting folk tales and myth tales from all around the world, many of them learned from students and teachers he has met on his and their travels. Tonight we'll take a spin round this wonderful world of stories. And there will be plenty of opportunity for you to step up and share a short tale or song too - all cultures and languages most welcome!

David has worked in ELT since 1986. He makes his living as a storyteller, actor, teacher and teacher trainer and is the author of the teacher resource book *Spontaneous Speaking: Drama Activities for Confidence and Fluency* in the DELTA Publishing Professional Perspectives series as well as numerous articles on drama, fluency, creativity and storytelling techniques.

Friday 9th April

The IATEFL 3rd annual Pecha Kucha Evening

Good things *always* come in threes, and this year's IATEFL 3rd annual Pecha Kucha evening is no exception. By now you should know the format: each speaker is allowed a slideshow of 20 images, each shown for 20 seconds, giving a total presentation time of six minutes and forty seconds before the next speaker is up. This year's Pecha Kucha is called "Love of Language" and features several new speakers but the enjoyment will be the same as ever. Do not miss this event!

Touchable Dreams with Jeremy Harmer and Steve Bingham

Music and words to fill or break your heart!

Celebrated musician Steve Bingham (violin, electric violin, loops) teams up with wordsmith and guitarist Jeremy Harmer for Touchable Dreams - an evening of dazzling artistry and high emotion.

Taking its title from a poem by poet laureate Carol Ann Duffy, Touchable Dreams is an exploration of the symbiosis between the expressive beauty of words and the ethereal poetry of music. Both aim to express the passion, tenderness and agony of deep feeling, and when they complement each other, the effect can be extraordinarily intense.

Sometimes, in *Touchable Dreams*, words follow the music, echoing its plangent harmonies; at other times music follows the words, transforming their individual power into raw emotion. And sometimes the words and the music are intertwined in an almost physical interdependency.

Touchable Dreams describes romantic love, transient love, ridiculous love, bitter love, lost love, and sublime love in the music of JS Bach, Steve Bingham, Nick Drake, Andrew Keeling Johann Pachelbel, Astor Piazzolla, Eugene Ysaÿe and others, and in the words of poets and playwrights such as W H Auden, Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Elizabeth Bishop, e e cummings, Carol Ann Duffy, Jeremy Harmer, Ted Hughes, Elizabeth Jennings, Jenny Joseph, Roger McGough, Brian Patten, William Shakespeare and others.

In the words of Steve and Jeremy, "we want to show how music and words - the very bases of human emotion - can co-exist and enhance each other's power for one of the greatest emotions - love - of the human experience."

Saturday 10th April

The IATEFL International Quiz evening

sponsored by Kingdom Enterprises Ltd

Back by popular demand (again!) and still hosted by Adrian Tennant. Come along, have a drink, meet people from around the world, be part of a winning team and see just how much you know (or don't) about the world we live in (or is it on?). There'll be prizes for the winning team, but the best part of the whole evening is that it's just good FUN!

People, Places and Puddings

Come and enjoy - and join in - a light-hearted but very informative event celebrating the region where we are holding the conference.

You'll find out lots about local history, personalities, food, humour, landscape and all the things which make this such a special part of England. Your host is Mark Fletcher, but you could meet (and perhaps become!) the Bronte sisters, a mill owner, a famous cricketer... who knows? It will certainly be fun - and a very sociable experience!

Please see the Conference Programme on arrival for times and venues.

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BUSINESS ENGLISH

Bring work reality into the business English training session Robert Feather

Understanding the role of culture in international business

Adrian Pilbeam

Insights into the dynamics of multicultural teams

David Leeming & Delia Jackson

Getting business English learners to speak Marjorie Rosenberg

What students can get out of Twitter Petra Pointner

The globalization of English: Implications for the business English classroom Robin Walker

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Enhancing creativity: A daunting task or an impossible dream?
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CLIL inside the profession, inside the classroom, inside the mind David Marsh, Kay Bentley & Do Coyle

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Eva Regensburger & Chadwick Williams

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An interdisciplinary data-based academic word list: Developing an EAP curriculum Akira Tajino & Toshiyuki Kanamaru

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MATERIALS DESIGN
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Muhammad Iqbal

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TEACHER TRAINING & EDUCATION & TESTING, EVALUATION & ASSESSMENT Evaluating oral performance in teaching via learning through teaching Jody Skinner

ADDITIONAL SESSIONS

"HOW TO..." TRACK

These morning sessions aim to inform and support delegates across a range of areas they may be unfamiliar with. Delegates may be here for the first time or might be looking to write up their talk for IATEFL Conference Selections. They may wish to engage with and interpret the research they hear about or submit a paper to the ELTJ. Or they may be looking to make use of (and make sense of) the range of online networks now available to teachers. We have laid out some sessions to help. Please see the Conference Programme for times and days.

HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF THIS CONFERENCE with Susan Barduhn 0830-0850 on Thursday 8th April

This session is for new IATEFL conference participants as well as those of you who have attended many conferences... but feel your experience could go deeper.

HOW TO REFLECT ON RESEARCH with Simon Borg

0830-0850 on Thursday 8th April Many **IATEFL** conference sessions present research undertaken in various English language teaching settings. This session highlights issues which conference participants might consider when reflecting on the research they hear about during the conference and considering its relevance to their own professional contexts.

HOW TO BUILD YOUR OWN PERSONAL LEARNING NETWORK

with Nik Peachey

This session will give you some guidance and helpful materials so that you can grow your own personal learning network and train other teachers to develop theirs, through the use of simple web based tools and connecting with existing online networks and communities.

HOW TO WRITE SUCCESSFULLY FOR IATEFL CONFERENCE SELECTIONS with Briony Beaven

This session provides guidance on writing successfully for the annual IATEFL conference proceedings volume Conference Selections. refereed а publication. It is for first-time presenters or presenters who have not yet written up talks or workshops for the volume Getting published in Conference Selections will bring your practice or theories to a worldwide audience and can be a smart career move.

HOW TO GET PUBLISHED IN A REFEREED JOURNAL with Keith Morrow

This session will look at why you might want to get published in an "academic" journal, and how to go about it. What is peer-review? Why does it matter? How can you ensure that what you write has a good chance of being published? *ELT Journal* is published in association with IATEFL and the editor, Keith Morrow, will share tips and suggestions for getting your work in print.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP OPEN FORUMS

THURSDAY

- ◆Business English
- ◆Learner Autonomy
- Pronunciation
- Research
- ◆Teacher Trainers & Educators

FRIDAY

- ◆English for Specific Purposes
- Learning Technologies
- Literature, Media & Cultural Studies
- ◆Teacher Development

SATURDAY

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- ◆Leadership & Management
- Testing, Evaluation & Assessment
- Young Learners & Teenagers

IATEFL'S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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The IATEFL AGM will take place at the Harrogate International Centre on Friday 9th April from 1255 to 1400.

TRIBUTE SESSION

This tribute session is an opportunity to remember colleagues who've died during the year since the last conference.

If you've lost a colleague or former colleague, you'll have an opportunity to say a few words in their memory and, if you wish, to bring along a memento (book, teaching materials, etc.).

Or you may just want to come to the session to hear about colleagues who are no longer with us, and perhaps to add any memories you may have.

The tribute session will take place on Friday 9th April.

POSITIONS SESSION

An open forum on "Should IATEFL take positions on social issues that affect our members?"

This initiative was started at Cardiff 2009 and will be continued at Harrogate.

IATEFL would like to invite all our members to express their opinion on whether the charity should consider developing this area of its activity further. We feel strongly that this should be a member-led initiative and are therefore keen to find out your views on the matter.

We will be focusing on:

- 1) What issues you feel IATEFL could or should get involved in
- 2) How IATEFL could express a view on such issues
- 3) What the next step in this process might be
- 4) Whether an online forum on the IATEFL website might help the dialogue on these issues.

The Positions session will take place on Friday 9th April.

HARROGATE ONLINE

Follow all the action as it happens on Harrogate Online.

The Harrogate Online project is a British Council / IATEFL partnership established to provide online conference coverage of the Annual IATEFL Conference. Now in its fourth year IATEFL ONLINE returns in April 2010, together with the Annual IATEFL Conference in Harrogate.

Harrogate Online will showcase the best of the conference and provide interactive web coverage for remote participants around the globe with live video, interviews with presenters, dedicated forums, photo galleries and much more.

How you can get involved

If you're coming to conference you can get involved in a variety of ways: the first thing to do is to register on the site when it goes live and upload any materials from vour session (handouts, PowerPoint, etc.); if you're going to be bringing your laptop with you, consider playing an active part in the day-to-day proceedings by sharing photos, tweets or your reflections if you have a blog of your own; get involved with the forums, especially if you have a special interest dear to your heart.

If you're going to be a remote participant you can still get involved with live chats, twitter and even organising a local event in

your area with a teacher training focus around the online conference.

We hope you can join us for IATEFL Harrogate Online - share your ideas on the IATEFL Harrogate conference with teachers from all over the world and be a part of one of the biggest online events for teachers of English.

For more information and updates on Harrogate Online, visit the IATEFL website at www.iatefl.org

HORNBY SCHOLAR & ALUMNI SLOTS

The name of A.S. Hornby is highly regarded in the ELT world, not only through his publications and ideas on teaching methods but also through the work of the A.S. Hornby Educational Trust, set up in 1961.

This was a far-sighted and generous initiative whereby a large proportion of Hornby's income was set aside to improve the teaching and learning of English as a foreign language, chiefly by providing grants to enable English teachers from overseas to come to Britain for professional training.

Hornby's aim was that the Trust's money should be used for education and go back to the

countries from which it comes. Thanks to the Trust, hundreds of teachers have been able to develop their expertise through British Council-organised workshops and through postgraduate courses in ELT and (applied) linguistics at British universities.

This year there are 16 Hornby scholars from developing or transitional countries studying for postgraduate qualifications in five UK institutions. The scholars invite delegates to join them for presentation and discussion on "ELT in transition: teachers' personal stories from around the world" during the lunch break on Thursday 8th April. We are expecting this to be stimulating and informative.

Two of the current Hornby scholars and three Hornby Alumni will also be presenting solo. The former will present on their use of particular tools and approaches. The latter will present on projects they have managed in their countries, and on new perspectives in ELT they have been exploring following their Masters.

The scholars are: Kalyan Chattopadhyay (India) and Natalia Eydelman (Russia); the alumni are: Gospel Ikpeme (Nigeria), Chris Lima (Brazil) and Irina Titarenko (Russia).

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP (SIG) PROGRAMMES

BUSINESS ENGLISH (Thursday)

Robert Feather

Adrian Pilbeam

Bring work reality into the business English training session
Understanding the role of culture in international business

David Leeming & Delia Jackson Insights into the dynamics of multicultural teams

BE SIG Open Forum

Marjorie Rosenberg Getting business English learners to speak Petra Pointner What students can get out of Twitter

Robin Walker The globalization of English: Implications for the business English classroom

ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES (Friday)

Adrian Millward-Sadler, Annette Casey & Investigation of a multiple intelligences profile for engineering students

Dietmar Tatzl

Nemah Abdullah
Josep-Maria Cots
Runyararo Magadzire

Emotionally intelligent teachers of EAP: Challenges and suggestions
Introducing English medium instruction in a bilingual university
Effects of social background on tertiary ESP: The Zimbabwean case

Rosinda Ramos An online genre-based course in EAP

ESP SIG Open Forum

Edward de Chazal Two 'howevers' and 'moreovers' do not a cohesive text make

ES(O)L (Saturday)

Alicia Bowman Teaching ESOL literacy in multilevel classrooms
Jennifer MacDougall TESOL in Scotland : Contextualising training materials

Lucy Cooker & Jez Uden ESOL materials for museums and libraries

Rachael Fionda Promoting learner autonomy: Methods and materials in Ireland's ESL classroom

Cindy Leaney "Don't speak English while my friends are here, Mum."

Clare El Azebbi Supporting new Scots: ESOL curriculum and professional development in Scotland

ES(O)L SIG Open Forum

GLOBAL ISSUES (Saturday)

Maureen Ellis Analytical framework for evaluation or self-assessment for critical global educators

Tom Harvey & Mishari El Rashidi Cultural issues raised by cascading teacher training in Kuwait

Bijoy Basu Critical pedagogy and appropriation of English in ELT in Bangladesh

Jansen Mayor English for economic development? Language, globalization and the Philippines

Devo Forbes Learn English in 2010 GI SIG Open Forum

Stephen Jenner Language competency benchmarking for the Business Process Outsourcing (BPO)

sector

Yingchun Li Is ESP the trend of ELT today? A Chinese perspective

LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT (Saturday)

Loraine Kennedy

'Practise what you preach' – Managers as effective leaders of learning
Fiona Dunlop

Enhancing academic quality in a teaching staff through classroom observation

Huseyin Demirel

Classroom observations: How do the observer and observee perceptions correlate?

LAM SIG Open Forum

Arthur McKeown
Alan MacKenzie
Vic Richardson

Your management competence - Does it fit the 21st Century?
Evaluating large-scale teacher development projects
Staff development in the digital era: Top-down &/or bottom up?

LEARNER AUTONOMY (Thursday)

Jane Nolan & Elizabeth Poynter Student-centred feedback techniques

Martin Lamb Can I, should I, destabilize my learners' sense of self?

Ece Betil Arpacioglu & Azra Nihal Bingol Learning Portfolios: Are they really helpful?

Graham Stanley Before and after Twitter: Personal learning environments

Anja Burkert How autonomous are our students?

Xuesong Gao Autonomy at all costs: A tale of a disabled learner

Marcella Menegale From language learner autonomy to the promotion of plurilingual competences

LA SIG Open Forum

LEARNING TECHNOLOGIES (Friday)

Suzanne Schumacher

Dearning with mobile phones and Bluetooth administration

Engaging lower primary students through Web 2.0 tools

Sanaa Khabbar & Amal Abou-Setta Facebook as a writing medium for students

Joe Pereira Avalon to Shakespeare: Language learning and teaching in virtual worlds
Rachel Lindner & Vida Zorko Computer-mediated intercultural exchanges between ESP students: Practical

guidelines and insights

Russell Stannard Web 2.0 tools that make a difference

LT SIG Open Forum

LITERATURE, MEDIA & CULTURAL STUDIES (Friday)

Stella Smyth Shakespeare revisited or reinvented on an ESP syllabus

Maureen Franks 'I don't do Shakespeare. It's all Greek to me!'

LMCS SIG Open Forum

Izolda Geniene Intertextuality of poetry and painting in the ELT classroom

Robert Hill Transformation stories

Alan Pulverness & Sarah Mount The pleasure of the text: Managing and sustaining reading groups

PRONUNCIATION (Thursday)

Carole Nicoll Cross-curricular language learning through IMI (involuntary musical imagery)

and drama

Piers Messum Teaching the English articulatory setting: New hope!

Sylwester Lodej Pop songs & phonemic script – a pronunciation teacher as entertainer

PRON SIG Open Forum

Michael Vaughan-Rees Enjoyment and creativity in pronunciation learning

Ivana Mitrovic An effort to new system of denoting English language sounds

lan White & Margareth Perucci Pronunciation matters?

RESEARCH (Thursday)

Lindsay Ellwood Interpretation of texts: Why was theirs so different from mine?
Simon Borg Designing effective TESOL research methods courses
Miroslaw Pawlak Investigating the use of grammar learning strategies

Hatice Celebi Native and non-native language teachers and co-produced outcomes

Anne Burns Teacher beliefs and cognition about teaching grammar

RES SIG Open Forum

Marian Rossiter Speaking fluency development in the ESL classroom

Maureen Rajuan Jewish and Arab children communicate across linguistic borders

TEACHER DEVELOPMENT (Friday)

Elizabeth Hollis-Watts Teacher as bus or taxi driver? Incorporating needs analysis

Fiona James The power of choice in the classroom

Thomas Farrell Reflecting on professional identities of experienced ESL teachers

TD SIG Open Forum

Katie Head & Ibtisam Mami A Libyan-British encounter and a conversation on teacher beliefs

Susan Barduhn The expatriate itinerant teacher of English

TEACHER TRAINING & EDUCATION (Thursday)

Simon Smith & Radmila Popovic 'I take ten deep breaths'...Lowering trainer trainers' affective filter

Gavin Dudeney "They just can't hack it!": Attitudes to technology

Jayne Moon How trainers respond to given course materials: Resource or constraint?

Helen Emery Video teaching practice: Creating authentic materials for initial teacher training

Anthony Gaughan & Izzy Orde Teacher training unplugged: Simplifying initial teacher education

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Melanie Shaul Teaching and testing: Bridging the gap

Sian Morgan Advanced writing: A celebration of what students can do
Anthony Green Placing learners on EAP programmes with the Password Test

TEA SIG Open Forum

Glenn Fulcher Assessment literacy for the English language classroom

Nurdan Coksezen, Seyran Erdogan & The new adventures of the old writing criteria

Reyhan Salataci

Ute Massler Assessing primary students' learning in CLIL lessons

YOUNG LEARNERS & TEENAGERS (Saturday)

Ann Foreman Breaking down the classroom walls: Web-based tasks with real outcomes

Niki Joseph Musiking along: Why music is more than just a song

YLT SIG Open Forum

Janice Bland

Linguistic creativity training – is this something English teachers need?

Samuel Lefever

Key factors in learning and teaching English for young learners

Hege Emma Rimmereide

The use of picture books in a Norwegian L2 classroom

Stephanie Davis

The use of picture books in a Notwegian L2 classic
Useful exploitation of pop songs in the classroom

SIGNATURE EVENTS

Cambridge University Press Signature Event

Teachers, Technology and Context



This session will present key findings from a two-year research programme funded by Cambridge University Press, which explored through a survey from over 45 countries and through 18 more indepth case studies how language teachers are using the technologies available to them. We examine the issue of "normalisation" (that is, when technology becomes "invisible" and embedded into practice) and consider the implications for language teachers, materials designers and language institutions. We illustrate how teachers' beliefs about teaching and learning, and their understandings of learners and context mediate their decision-making.

British Council Signature Event



The role of English in supporting social, economic and political progress in developing economies

We aim to create an international forum where participants can discuss issues related to language policies, and cultural and national diversity in developing economies. We will also consider the political, socio-economic and educational opportunities that the knowledge of English can offer. Through this forum we will build a community of interest with diverse, and accessible, expertise.

Pearson Longman Signature Event



Responding to the needs of Generation Y

Generation Y, those born in the second half of the 1970s and the first half of the 1990s are the largest marketing phenomenon since the Baby Boomer generation of the late 1950s and 1960s. The children of the Baby Boomers, Generation Y have grown up in a world of diverse internet resources and are able to multi-task, watch video on-line, chat with instant messenger and be on Facebook all at the same time. As Generation Y goes to college and enters the workforce how do educators and trainers respond to the world in which these people operate?

In this session we will look at the challenges Generation Y learners present to teachers. We will look at ways in which we can get ELT teachers up-to-speed with the needs of Generation Y and the technologies they use. In particular, with the shift in viewing habits from TV to internet we will look at on-line video resources and discuss ways in which these can be exploited to get the attention of the multi-tasking and multimedia using Generation Y learner.

PLENARY SPEAKERS



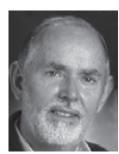
Jan Blake Plenary Session: Sunday

Jan Blake was born in Manchester of Jamaican parentage. She has an international reputation for dynamic, witty, exciting storytelling. Specialising in stories from Africa and the Caribbean, Jan is one of Europe's leading female storytellers. She has featured at all the major storytelling festivals in the country, as well as performing, running storytelling workshops and teaching all over Europe. Jan is committed to passing on skills that can help storytellers develop their expertise.

What is a storyteller?

I've been a storyteller for 23 years, touring, performing and hopefully inspiring others to get up and tell a tale or two themselves. Yet despite what might sound an obvious job description - storyteller - there's often confusion about what that actually means. When I tell people I'm a professional storyteller and that I perform stories for a living, I often hear, 'What does a storyteller do then?' So let's explore the what, why, and how of storytelling; and in turn use this to discover how stories and storytelling can enhance your own experience and enjoyment of performing in the classroom.

Kieran Egan was born in Clonmel, Ireland in 1942. He was brought up and educated in England. He



Kieran Egan Plenary Session: Friday

read History (Hons.) at the University of London, graduating with a B.A. in 1966. He worked for a year as a Research fellow at the Institute for Comparative Studies in Kingston-upon-Thames and then moved to the USA to begin a Ph.D. in Philosophy of Education at Stanford University. He worked concurrently as a consultant to the I.B.M. Corp. on adaptation of a programming method, called Structural Communication, to new computing systems. He completed his Ph.D. at Cornell University in 1972. His first job was at Simon Fraser University in British Columbia, where he has remained ever since. He is the author of over 20 books, and co-author, editor, or co-editor of a few more. In 1991 he received the Grawemeyer Award in Education. In 1993 he was elected to the Royal Society of Canada, in 2000 he was elected as Foreign Associate member to U.S. National Academy of Education, he received a Canada Research Chair in 2001, won the Whitworth Award in 2007. His main area of interest is education. His work focuses on a new educational theory, which he has developed during the past two decades, and its implications for a changed curriculum, teaching practices, and the institution of the school. His work deals both with innovative educational theory and detailed practical methods whereby implications of his theory can be applied at the classroom level. Various of his books have been translated into about 10 European and Asian languages. His recent books include Teaching as Story Telling and Imagination in Teaching and Learning (Chicago: University of Chicago Press), The Educated Mind: How cognitive tools shape our understanding (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1997), Getting it Wrong from the Beginning: Our progressivist inheritance from Herbert Spencer, John Dewey, and Jean Piaget (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2002), An imaginative approach to teaching (San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2005), and Teaching literacy: Engaging the imagination of new readers and writers (Thousand Oaks, CA: Corwin Press, 2006), and most recently The Future of Education: Reimagining our schools from the ground up (New Haven: Yale University Press).

Students' minds and imaginations

In this talk I will offer a rather new way of thinking about the process of students' cognitive development. It focuses on the kinds of "cognitive tools" or learning toolkits students develop as they grow up in a society like ours. In schools and in most currently dominant psychological theories of development, short-shrift is given to some of the most powerful learning tools students have available to make sense of their world and experience and the languages that surround them. We tend also to think of the imagination as something of an educational frill-something to try to engage after the hard work of learning had occurred. I will try to show that focusing on central features of students' learning "toolkits" makes it clear that the imagination is one of the great workhorses of learning, and that we ignore it at the cost of making learning more ineffective than it should be and much schooling more tedious than it need be.



Ema Ushioda Plenary Session: Saturday

Ema Ushioda is an associate professor in ELT and applied linguistics at the Centre for Applied Linguistics, University of Warwick, where she teaches MA courses to pre- and post-experience English language teachers and is in charge of the Doctorate in Education programme. She has been working in language education since 1982 and obtained her PhD in 1996 from Trinity College, Dublin. During the 1990s, she was involved in running institution-wide language programmes at Trinity College, and in designing and evaluating a version of the Council of Europe's European Language Portfolio for use in Irish secondary schools, before moving to the UK in 2002.

Her main research interests are language motivation, learner autonomy, sociocultural theory and teacher development, and she has given numerous talks, in-service courses and workshops for language teachers from different parts of the world. She has also published widely, particularly on the topics of motivation and autonomy. Book publications include *Learner Autonomy 5: The Role of Motivation* (Authentik, 1996), and *Motivation, Language Identity and the L2 Self* (co-edited with Zoltán Dörnyei, Multilingual Matters, 2009). She is currently working on a revised edition of *Teaching and Researching Motivation* (co-authored with Zoltán Dörnyei, Pearson Education).

Socialising students' motivation and autonomy in the English language classroom

Motivation has traditionally been regarded as something that teachers 'do' or 'give' to learners through a variety of motivational techniques or strategies. However, current theory and research suggest that for effective and autonomous language learning and language use to take place, motivation needs to come from within and be internally regulated, rather than externally regulated by teachers, parents or other social forces. Yet, social processes are pivotal in mediating the healthy internal growth and self-regulation of motivation. Understanding this complex relationship between social and internal processes is vitally important if we want to develop our students' motivation from within, and enable them to sustain and regulate their own motivation. In this talk I will explore the nature of this relationship and analyse its practical implications for the classroom. In particular, I will draw on recent developments in educational psychology where there is increasing recognition that motivation is not necessarily achievement-oriented but value-based and identity-oriented, as reflected in a growing literature on motivation and identity. I will link these developments to current theories of autonomy in language learning, and discuss how classroom practices that promote autonomy can contribute to socialising adaptive values, identities and motivational trajectories in our students, as they engage in the sustained process of learning and using English.



Tessa Woodward
Plenary Session: Thursday

Tessa Woodward is a teacher, teacher trainer/educator, and the professional development coordinator at Hilderstone College, UK. She is also the editor of *Teacher Trainer Journal* for Pilgrims and has authored and co-authored numerous articles and books, including *Planning Lessons and Courses* (Cambridge University Press) and *Ways of Working with Teachers* (TW Pubs). She was President of IATEFL from 2005 to 2007.

The Professional Life Cycles of Teachers

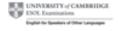
As we come together in Harrogate for this IATEFL conference, we will be attending talks and workshops, panel discussions and social events over several days. We will find ourselves in rooms with teachers of all kinds....young ones and not so young ones, those from different countries and cultures and with different mother tongues. There may be times when we wonder why one person is getting so aerated about a particular topic or why another person seems so optimistic or pessimistic about the whole learning and teaching endeavour. This plenary may possibly help us to make sense of this for we will look at some research that has been done into the life cycles of teachers. What are the concerns of a teacher who has just started in the job? How do these differ from those of someone who has been in the field for a few years? Or for many, many years? You will be offered a possible framework, based on number of years in the job, collated from several thinkers in the field of life cycle research. Together we will ask questions from the TESOL teacher's point of view and finally will ponder the implications of the framework for ourselves, our colleagues and indeed for IATEFL Harrogate conference goers!

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IATEFL SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

IATEFL has a Scholarship Working Party (SWP) whose job it is to raise scholarship funds, create new scholarships, publicise the existence of the current scholarships to teachers worldwide, and select scholarship winners. The SWP also works to improve the conference experience for scholarship winners and applicants. To these ends there will be a scholarship stand in the exhibition this year and someone from the SWP will be there during the morning coffee break each day to answer questions and receive generous offers of sponsorship for future scholarships, so whether you are a current or past scholar, a potential applicant, or a potential sponsor, do come along for a chat.



Africa Scholarship Winner



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Sara Awad Egypt



Fiona James UK



Frank Bell Scholarship Winner



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Andreza Lago

Brazil



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Prem Bahadur Phyak

Nepal

Elena Kayipova Kyrgyzstan



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International House John Haycraft Classroom Exploration Scholarship Winner

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International House Global

Reach Scholarship Winner

Latsouck Gueye Senegal Katerina Dvorakova Czech Republic



International House John **Haycraft Classroom Exploration Scholarship**

Development Scholarship Winner Winner



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Maureen Rajuan Israel



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Rachel Lindner Germany



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Suzan Oniz **Turkey**



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Israel

Melanie Shaul

Padmini Boruah India



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Yordanka Brunet Cuba



W R Lee **Scholarship Winner**

Iskra Angelova Bulgaria

NEW SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE HARROGATE CONFERENCE

There are two new scholarships available for the Harrogate conference.

Please visit www.iatefl.org/scholarships for details of how to apply.

Latin America Scholarship Deadline: 18th January 2010

This scholarship is being set up with funds generated by the Cardiff Conference 2009. The scholarship is to help a teacher or teacher trainer in Latin America to attend the Harrogate Conference. You do not have to be a member of IATEFL to apply for this scholarship.

Consultants-E Online Scholarship Deadline: 25th April 2010

This new scholarship, <u>funded by Consultants-E</u>, is for teachers unable to attend our annual conference in person but who participate actively in the online conference Moodle by making relevant and thoughtful postings. You do not have to be a member of IATEFL to apply for this scholarship.

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