

# Language, Migration and Identity

**Language, Migration and Identity** is the theme of our thirty-third national conference being held at the University of Surrey, Guildford.

We are pleased to announce that **Professor Celia Roberts** has accepted our invitation to give the keynote address. Celia is Professor of Applied Linguistics at King's College London in the Department of Education and Professional Studies. She has been working in the field of language, culture and discourse for thirty years.

Her talk is entitled *Language, Migration and the Gatekeepers*. 'Global flows of people seeking work or asylum face a series of institutional gatekeeping processes. Their perceived competence and trustworthiness depends upon the extent to which they can fit their stories and versions of themselves into the institutional categories of the state or the workplace. This talk will give some case studies of various gatekeeping processes around the world and then will focus on the 'linguistic penalty' that migrants face in job selection interviews and professional licensing exams. Implications for ESOL teaching and learning will be discussed'.

The conference offers a choice of **workshops** covering a wide range of practical and theoretical themes for both new and experienced teachers, teacher trainers, researchers and managers. There are good opportunities for **networking**, catching up with the latest developments and optional participation in **Voice of Conference debates**. On Saturday afternoon you can attend a **performance** by *Actors for Human Rights*, the outreach arm of IceandFire. The group performs documentary scripts, exploring human rights stories through performance and has been invited back after a very successful appearance at our 2008 conference. Trinity College London sponsors this free performance.

The popular **resources exhibition** is centrally located in the lecture theatre building. There will be publishers and awarding bodies present with representatives on hand to answer your queries and questions. It's a great time to browse resources and really see what you're getting before you buy it.

**Guildford** is the picturesque and historic county town of Surrey. There is plenty to do and see. The town centre and the cathedral are a short distance from the Stag Hill campus, which you will find is compact and well signposted. The **accommodation**, exhibition area, workshop rooms and the restaurant are within easy reach of each other. The **location** is easily accessible with very good road links and ample free



parking for delegates. From the railway station there is a frequent bus service that goes the short distance onto the campus itself. Guildford is 35 minutes by train from London Waterloo; there are direct trains from Portsmouth and train links from Gatwick and Reading.

Attending conference is a great way to build up the hours needed to meet your **Continuing Professional Development** requirement – you will receive a certificate of attendance. NATECLA members benefit from a **reduced conference fee** and there will be a discount for booking before 14 May 2010. Personal members who are unable to get their place funded by their organisation may apply for a bursary – these are subject to availability and members need to check the criteria. Closing date for application is 14 May.

[www.natecla.org.uk/content.asp?CategoryID=468&ArticleID=403](http://www.natecla.org.uk/content.asp?CategoryID=468&ArticleID=403)

Whether you are able come for the whole conference or participate in only a part of it you will be most welcome – **come and be a part of the ESOL conference of the year**.

NATECLA thanks for their support of conference:

- Cambridge ESOL Examinations
- Department for Business Innovation & Skills (BIS)
- Learning and Skills Improvement Service (LSIS)
- National Research and Development Centre (NRDC)
- Pearson Longman
- Trinity College London
- UCU

The Department for Business Innovation & Skills (BIS) are also contributing to this event

# Booking Form

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## About you

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  Daytime

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  Evening

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership No \_\_\_\_\_

## Conference fees

Fees are based on your membership status. You may join or renew your membership of NATECLA if you wish to claim membership rates.

I wish to attend the conference as:

- Individual member  
 Using the one allocated membership place on behalf of my affiliated institution  
 Non member

Name of institution/ organisation (for delegate badge) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I wish to book a place at the NATECLA 2010 Conference at University of Surrey, Guildford GU2 7XH

	Member	Non-member
<b>Residential</b> (includes all meals)	<input type="checkbox"/> £310.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £360.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £260.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £320.00

	Member	Non-member
<b>Non-residential</b> (includes lunch and evening meal)	<input type="checkbox"/> £240.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £290.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £190.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £250.00

	Member	Non-member
<b>Saturday only</b> (Includes Lunch, workshops and Actors for Human Rights performance. Evening meal additional £15 - tick here <input type="checkbox"/> )	<input type="checkbox"/> £150.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £190.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £100.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £160.00

	Member	Non-member
<b>Friday only</b> (Including keynote address and evening meal)	<input type="checkbox"/> £50.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £70.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £40.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £58.00

	Member	Non-member
<b>Sunday only</b> (One workshop, plenary and lunch)	<input type="checkbox"/> £50.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £70.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £40.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £58.00

	Member	Non-member
<b>One night residential</b> (State Fri/Sat)	<input type="checkbox"/> £200.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £240.00
<b>EARLY BOOKING RATE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> £150.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £200.00

I am paying for myself to attend and I enclose a cheque payable to NATECLA for the full amount.

My employing institution has agreed to pay my fee and wishes to be invoiced for the full amount. It is understood that the fee is non-refundable in the event of cancellation but a substitute may attend. The invoice will be paid within 30 days of receipt. Purchase order or reference must accompany this booking form.

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Invoice address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Purchase Order number or reference \_\_\_\_\_

## Dietary requirements

- Vegetarian  
 Special diet request \_\_\_\_\_  
 Packed lunch required on Sunday 11 July  
(instead of lunch in the university restaurant)

## Accommodation

Please tick if you need a ground floor room.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your completed booking form with payment or purchase order to:

Jane Arstall, NATECLA, Room HA205, South Birmingham College  
Hall Green Campus, Cole Bank Road  
Hall Green, Birmingham B28 8ES  
Tel: 0121 688 8121

**To benefit from the early booking rate send us payment or purchase order along with the form by Friday 14 May. If you have any membership or other queries please contact co-ordinator@natecla.fsnet.co.uk**

## To assist you in completing the booking form

The conference runs from 16.00 on Friday 9 July to after lunch on Sunday 11 July. Friday: Dinner is from 18.00 - prior to the keynote address at 20.00. Saturday: Programme 09.00 - 17.00

Closing date for bookings is Friday 25 June 2010.

There are no childcare facilities on site.

NATECLA members unable to secure funding from their employer to attend the conference may apply for a bursary. Eligibility criteria are on [www.natecla.org.uk/content.asp?CategoryID=468&ArticleID=403](http://www.natecla.org.uk/content.asp?CategoryID=468&ArticleID=403). All bursary applications must be received by early booking deadline of Friday 14 May.

Photocopy your completed form and return to National Centre. Your place will be confirmed.