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6th & 7th November 2021

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SPELT wishes everyone a Happy Eid. May this Eid brings happiness and joy for everyone!

Publications Professional Council

Call for Papers (Research Journal)

The Call invites practitioners, researchers, administrators to submit their work (research, practice) and professional identities (researcher, practitioner) as mutually informing and beneficial to ELT. Our global readership will include teachers, linguists, educators, and those interested in English Language Teaching in local and global contexts and second language acquisition. Our goal is to collect, inform and disseminate information from authors to readership on latest trends in the ELT.

Please click the link shared below for complete information related to the submission.

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A Peep into the Upcoming Issue

Pauline Ernest and Joseph Hopkins's article 'Teaching in the Time of COVID: Some Suggestions for Facilitating the Transition from Face-to-Face to Online Learning' gives an explicit description of the online tools available to teach English language. The Spanish English language teachers and trainers introduce the readers to the 'ICT-REV Inventory of ICT Tools' that aims to assist teachers in selecting appropriate online applications according to the teaching objectives and learners' needs. The article also gives specific recommendations and suggestions to make online language teaching more effective.

Suzie Ryu, Korean English language teacher and action researcher, in her article 'Google Classroom Experience in the Secondary School of South Korea (EFL Classes) during COVID-19 Crisis' elucidates the importance of LMS amid pandemic. She finds the LMS 'Google Classroom' user friendly and supportive in enhancing knowledge and supplementing teaching. In her article Suzie highlights the ways in which this LMS is promoted in Korean EFL classes and shares reflections of the students with regards to the efficacy of the system.

Article submission

If you would like your article to be published in SPELT journal, please read the article description https://spelt.org.pk/spelt-quarterly-journal/ and email your article to article.speltjournal@gmail.com

Comments

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Professional Development Professional Council

Upcoming Workshops/Courses

Workshop Title:
"Teaching Creative Writing
Online"

Facilitator: Mr. Mohsin Tejani

Two Sessions 90 Minutes Each

Part One: Saturday, June 26th 2021 Part Two: Monday, July 3rd 2021

Time: 4:00 to 5.30 pm

SPELT Members Fee: PKR 1800/

Non Members Fee: PKR 2300/

- E-Certificate will be provided
- Limited seats on first come, first served basis

Free Webinar of the Month

Topic: Channelize Your Inner Energy: Dealing with Stress & Improving Focus

Presenter: Dr. Zobi Fatima

Date: 29th May 2021, Saturday.

Time: 12 to 1 pm

Conference Professional Council

We're excited to

announce the

keynote and

plenary speakers

for SPELT's

International

Virtual Conference,

<u>6-7 November</u> <u>2021.</u>



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Keynote Speaker

Dr. Deborah Healey, USA President TESOL International 2019-20 University of Oregon



Plenary Speakers

Dr. Obaid Hamid, Australia Senior Lecturer TESOL Education School of Education The University of Queensland



Dr. Sara Hillman, Qatar Assistant Professor of English Liberal Arts Program Texas A&M University



Dr. Sarah Hopkyns, Abu Dhabi

Assistant Professor College of Education Zayed University



Dr. Sharon McCulloch, UK Senior lecturer ESOL School of Humanities Language and Global studies

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Dr.Syed Abdul Manan, Kazakhstan Associate Professor Nazarbayev University Nur-Sultan (Astana)



Dr. Naeema Hann, UK Senior Lecturer Leeds Beckett University



Kamila Dolejsi, UK Academic Director, EFL



Dr Francisco Perlas Dumanig, Hawaii Assistant Professor English Department University of Hawaii

News from LANGAUGE Teacher Associations



Webinar Series

Theme: Connecting Asia through English Language Education
Date: 22 May 2021, Saturday
Time: 4:00 pm KST/3:00 pm MST/2:00 pm THA/7:00 am GMT

AsiaTEFL Webinar Series:

- Provides AsiaTEFL members and English language education advocates and practitioners with an opportunity to engage in issues and developments in English language education in Asia and globally.
- Is an avenue to share current and new developments in English language education in the interest of mutual development, shared growth, technology and knowledge transfer targeting common sustainable development goals.

AsiaTEFL Webinar Launch Programme

Welcome by Prof. Pragasit Sitthitikul
Vice President, Conference & Professional Network

Greetings by Prof. Kilryoung Lee Joint President AsiaTEFL

Introduction to AsiaTEFL by Prof. Judy Yin Secretary General, AsiaTEFL

Launch of the AsiaTEFL Webinar Series

Introduction of the Inaugural Webinar –2021 Chai Xun Yu

Introduction to the AsiaTEFL Conference 2021, India Prof. Ravinder Gargesh, Joint President AsiaTEFL

Question and Answer Session



Zoom Information

ID: 962 5511 7611 Password: 407447

Call for Presenters

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