



## Teacher Stories

Last year Teacher Stories was a great success. Here is the information of the teacher stories' segment at the Conference 2021. Please disseminate this information as widely as you can through your social media networks. Also encourage your colleagues to participate in it.



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# TEACHER STORIES

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

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TO APPLY  
OCTOBER  
29, 2021

Send us your story with a title on an MS Word Document, narrating your best achievement, resilience, innovation, or challenge as an English language teacher - especially in Covid Days, in **250-300 words**. Mention your **NAME, INSTITUTION, EMAIL, COUNTRY & MOBILE NUMBER**

<p><b>ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA</b></p> <p>All English language teachers from anywhere in the world</p> <p><b>SUBMIT TO</b> speltteacherstories2021@gmail.com</p> <p><b>WEBSITE</b> www.spelt.org.pk</p>	<p><b>AWARDS</b></p> <p>Shehzad Roy to announce the awards at the closing session of the conference on 7 Nov - 5 - 6:30pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 3 Best Stories Awards</li> <li>- 10 Meritorious Mention Awards</li> <li>- 3-year complimentary SPELT membership for winners</li> <li>- OUP book (Pakistani winners only)</li> <li>- Awarded stories will be published in the SPELT Quarterly Journal</li> <li>- E-Certificate of participation for all entries.</li> </ul>
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**SPELT INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL CONFERENCE    6&7 November, 2021**

# Conference Professional Council

Register for the Biggest Event of the Year

Dates: 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021

[Click here to register](#)

Check the website for complete details!

[www.spelt.org.pk](http://www.spelt.org.pk)

[Check conference schedule here!](#)



**TEACHING ENGLISH EFFECTIVELY:**  
INNOVATIONS IN POLICY PRACTICE AND RESEARCH

**37th SPELT International Conference 2021**  
Scheduled to be held Virtually on  
Sat-Sun November 6-7, 2021

**Keynote Speaker**



**Dr. Deborah Healey, USA**  
President TESOL International 2019-20,  
University of Oregon  
*Topic: Telling Our Stories*

**Plenary Speakers**

<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Francisco Perlas Dumanig, Hawaii</b> Assistant Professor English Department University of Hawaii <i>Topic: Varieties of English as a Resource in Multilingual and Multicultural Communication</i></p> </div> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Sarah Hopkyns, Abu Dhabi</b> Assistant Professor, College of Education Zayed University <i>Topic: Context-Specific teaching and learning during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Toward cultural and linguistic inclusion</i></p> </div> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Kamila Dolejsi, UK</b> Academic Director, EFL <i>Topic: Digital Literacy in ESL Education</i></p> </div> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Obaid Hamid, Australia</b> Senior Lecturer TESOL Education School of Education The University of Queensland <i>Topic: Appraising effectiveness and innovations in ELT</i></p> </div> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Syed Abdul Manan, Kazakhstan</b> Associate Professor, Nazarbayev University Nur-Sultan (Astana) <i>Topic: Beyond Methods: Reflections on localizing ELT in Pakistan</i></p> </div> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Sharon McCulloch, UK</b> Senior lecturer ESOL School of Humanities Language and Global studies <i>Topic: Innovation through Action Research</i></p> </div> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><b>Sara Hillman, Qatar</b> Assistant Professor of English Liberal Arts Program Texas A&amp;M University <i>Topic: Re-conceptualizing English language teaching as expanding communicative repertoires</i></p> </div> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Registrations Open</b> Fee for Member: PKR 800/ Fee for Non Member: PKR 1200/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Registration Link: <a href="https://forms.gle/ftHFsm7XESJmqXRb6">https://forms.gle/ftHFsm7XESJmqXRb6</a></p>	

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*SPELT is honored to have such a galaxy of panelists*

*Day 1: Panelists from Teacher Associations around the world will share their pandemic success stories*

**Panel Discussion Day 1**

November 6, 2021 5:10 pm to 6:10 pm

Topic: Crossing Boundaries, Building Bridges: A Pandemic Opportunity!

**Panelists**

- Dr. Madhu Neupane, Bastola, Nepal  
Editor of NELTA Journal
- Dr. Aymen Elsheikh, Qatar  
President, Africa ELTA
- Dr. Gabriel Diaz Maggioli, Uruguay  
President, UK IATEFL
- James Papple, Canada  
Chair of TESOL's Affiliate, USA
- Kilryoung Lee, Korea  
President Asia TEFL
- Dr. Rubina Khan, Bangladesh  
President BELTA
- Dawn Jin Lucovich, Japan  
President IALT

**Moderator:** Dr. Fauzia Shamim, Pakistan Vice President Society of Pakistan English Language Teachers (2021), Pakistan

*Day 2: Speakers from across Pakistan will share their success stories and lessons learnt from teaching-learning of English during the pandemic*

**Panel Discussion DAY 2**

November 7, 2021 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm

Topic: Turning Challenges into Opportunities in Difficult Times: An ELT Perspective

**Panelists**

- Dr Shumaila Memon, Pakistan**  
Associate Professor English Language Development Centre, Mehran UET
- Dr. Sajida Zaki, Pakistan**  
Professor of English & Applied Linguistics, Chairperson of the Humanities Department, NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi
- Abbas Husain, Pakistan**  
Director Teachers Development Centre
- Dr. Liaquat Ali Channa, Pakistan**  
Associate Professor, Department of English, Balochistan University of I.T, Engineering & Management Sciences, Quetta
- Dr. Tayyaba Tamim, Pakistan**  
Associate Professor Syed Ahsan Ali and Syed Maratib Ali School of Education

**Moderator:** **Dr Fatima Rehan Dar, Pakistan**  
Director, CEL & CTELI Departments, Iqra University

# Post-Conference Institute

**SPELT** A Great Professional Development Opportunity for Teachers  
**Post Conference Institute** **37th** SPELT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2021  
**November 13, 2021**

 <b>Mick King, Qatar</b> Using Reflection as an Alternative Assessment 10:00am to 11:30 am PAK Time	 <b>Annie Polatsek, Croatia</b> Energisers, Icebreakers, and Fun activities for the Online Teacher 11:40 am to 1:10 pm PAK Time	 <b>Mohsin Tejani, Pakistan</b> How Gamification Builds Partnership and Engagement Between Students and Instructors 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm PAK Time	 <b>Anastasia Khawaja, USA</b> Using Reflection as an Alternative Assessment 10:00am to 11:30 am PAK Time
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[Register here for post-conference workshops!](#)

**Discount offers for limited time!**

**Avail the discount!**

**Last date for registration is Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 2021**

<b>Who Should Attend?</b> Teachers of All Levels	<b>Last date for Enrollment</b> <b>October 31, 2021</b>	<b>E-Certificate</b> will be provided
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 Regular Fee per session PKR 900/	 For 2 Sessions 10% Discount PKR 1620/	 For 3 Sessions 12% Discount PKR 2376/	<b>Avail exciting discount offer till October 25, 2021</b>  <b>Hurry Up, and Register !</b>
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Following are our partners at the 37<sup>th</sup> International Conference.





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## Publications Professional Council

### **SPELT QUARTERLY JOURNAL (SQJ)**

#### **Article submission**

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### **SPELT ELT RESEARCH JOURNAL (ELTRJ)**

#### **Call for Papers**

**Issue Date: December, 2021**

The SPELT ELTRJ invites ELT professionals to submit their research work on classroom issues and beyond such as second language acquisition in varied contexts. Our global readership includes researchers, teacher educators, policy makers, and those interested in English language teaching in local and international contexts. The journal aims to showcase intellectual contributions that are informed by local sensibilities and show awareness of global trends and theoretical advancements in the field.

Contributors can submit manuscripts on topics including, but not restricted to:

- Language Pedagogy
- Language in Education Policy

- L2 Acquisition
- Curriculum and Materials Development
- ESP
- Action Research
- Assessment and Feedback
- Online learning
- Diversity, inclusiveness and Equity in ELT
- Translanguaging and Pluralism

Single and multi-authored submissions are welcome.

### **Submission Categories**

We welcome the submission of original articles on ELT in the following categories.

1. Theoretical/ Conceptual Studies (4000-5000 words)
2. Empirical Studies (4000-5000 words)
3. Classroom Reflection (2000-2500 words)

### **Author's Guidelines**

All submissions to SPELT ELT Research Journal (ELTRJ) should adhere to the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association (7th ed.). Details on (APA) can be obtained from:

<https://www.stmarys-ca.edu/sites/default/files/attachments/files/apa7threv.pdf>

Each submission must be accompanied by a statement attesting that the submission has not been published previously and is not currently under review for another journal or publishing outlet.

### **Plagiarism policy**

Acceptable similarity index: 19%

Please format your paper according to the journal's Author Guidelines available on our website:

<http://spelt.org.pk/spelt-elt-research-journal/>

Please include an abstract of 250 words and 4-6 keywords to identify the subjects under which the article may be indexed in the paper submitted.

Please note that each paper to be considered for publication goes through a process of double-blind peer-review to meet international publishing standards.

### **Submission of Manuscript**

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