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# Conference 2022

Get ready for the much awaited event of the year!

Dear All

SPELT has opened an **Early Bird** registration discount for the 38<sup>th</sup> SPELT International Conference 2022.

**Hurry up!** Grab this opportunity to have an edutainment ride on November 5 & 6 , 2022

**Gear up for the International ELT Hybrid Conference**

**SPELT** ELT Emerging Trends Across the Globe

**38th** SPELT International Conference 2022

November 5 & 6, 2022

SPELT has opened an Early Bird Discount for REGISTRATION for the 38th SPELT International Conference 2022

Early Bird Discount can only be available for in-person participation

Member Fee:	Early Bird*	Non Member Fee:
PKR 1500/	June 01 to August 31, 2022	PKR 1800/
Member Fee:	Regular*	Non Member Fee:
PKR 2200/	September 01 to October 31, 2022	PKR 2700/

Virtual Participation

Member fee: PKR 1500/ Non Member Fee: PKR 1800/

On-Site Fee: PKR 3200/

An additional PKR 200/ will be charged if you would like to have a print copy of the Conference Programme Book.

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## Keynote Speakers



**Ivor Timmis, UK**

Emeritus Professor, Leeds Beckett University

*It's good to talk. Making the most of classroom speaking activities*



**Gabriela Kleckova, CZE**

Past President, TESOL

*Seeking success: What matters in English Language Teaching*

## Plenary Speakers



**Naziha Ali, UAE**

General Civil Aviation Authority

*In Pursuit of the Translingual Educational Space*



**Nadir Ayish, UAE**

Khalifa University

*Pleasure Reading Among ELLs: Challenges and Possibilities*



**Christine Coombe, UAE**

HCT Dubai College for Men

*The Quest for Academic Excellence in ELT*



**Bimali Indrarathne, UK**

University of York

*Learning Difficulties and Inclusive Practices in ELT: Teacher Awareness*

## Lead Sponsors of the 38th SPELT International Conference 2022

SPELT extends its gratitude to Oxford University Press and Habib Public School System for being the Lead Sponsors for the 38th SPELT International Conference 2022 *ELT: Emerging Trends Across the Globe*



Habib Public School

SPELT invites institutions and organizations to be SPELT's Learning Partners for the upcoming 38<sup>th</sup> SPELT International Conference 2022 to be held on November 5 & 6, 2022 in Karachi.

### Conference Registration Link:

<https://forms.gle/o3EXwAtJivxhT3YX8>

For further details visit the SPELT Website:

<https://spelt.org.pk/38th-spelt-international-conference-2022/>

## Call for Submissions

For the 38th SPELT International Conference 2022

*ELT Emerging Trends Across the Globe*

November 5 & 6, 2022

Venue: Habib Public School, Karachi

Send in your abstracts if you want to be part of the Emerging Trends in English Language Teaching

### Call for Papers Link:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nWWKB8vFBeQLWLF\\_oBzIVI7YFfjNpiuQU59Dngp2Wj0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nWWKB8vFBeQLWLF_oBzIVI7YFfjNpiuQU59Dngp2Wj0/edit?usp=sharing)



# Workshop



<https://forms.gle/FqzdMeVSUCBrrVwC8>

# FREE Academic



# SPELT Updates

## Publications Professional Council



**38** Years of  
Empowering  
Teachers

### Call for Papers

**SPELT's ELT Research Journal is now  
accepting manuscripts for its next issue**



The global readership of **ELT RESEARCH JOURNAL** includes 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 the readership on the latest trends in ELT.

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

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

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: July 31, 2022**

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# Announcements

## **Vacancy Announcement** **Managing Editor**

### **Job Description**

The Society of Pakistan English Teachers (SPELT) is looking for a dynamic and experienced individual with lots of ideas for and some experience in editorial and publication work.

ELTRJ is a peer-reviewed open access journal published twice a year in June and December. For details visit: <https://spelt.org.pk/spelt-elt-research-journal/>. The applicant will provide editorial support for research publications, including administration of paper calls and submission, copy editing, production work, and website management.

They will also be involved in managing the contents of the journal website, ensuring that they are consistently relevant and up-to-date. When necessary, the applicant may also be involved in engagement activities that include events, symposia, workshops and conferences.

### **Responsibilities**

- Manage article call and submission
- Coordinate between editors, reviewers, and authors during the article review process in collaboration with editor/editor-in-chief, as required
- Co-manage typesetting, copyediting, and uploading articles
- Co-manage the journals page on SPELT website
- Manage the dissemination of the journal on various platforms (website, EDMs, physical mailing, etc.)
- Any other tasks as assigned by Editor/Editor-in-Chief such as provision of ad-hoc support in departmental and institutional events as and when required by the team (webinars, seminars, conferences, talks, exhibitions, etc.)

### **Job Requirements**

- A University degree in English or a relevant discipline such as Communications, Social Sciences or equivalent.
- Experience in managing websites and content uploads (preferable)
- Proficiency in Word Press and Publishing software (preferable)
- High level of English proficiency with experience in academic writing
- Motivated self-starter who is comfortable working in a team, as well as independently under tight deadlines
- Attention to details, planning and time management skills

**Please note that this is a voluntary position. Apply now!**

**Send** your CV with a cover letter to [spelttheadoffice@gmail.com](mailto:spelttheadoffice@gmail.com) with a clear subject line: Application for **SPELT ELTJR Managing Editor**. Submission process will close as soon as the right candidates are identified.



## It's time to prepare your proposal for 2023!

It's not long now until we will be opening our call for proposals for the 56th IATEFL International Conference and Exhibition for English language teacher professionals. This will take place in Harrogate, UK from Tuesday 18 to Friday 21

April 2023.

The deadline for submissions is **16.00 (UK time) Wednesday 21 September 2022** (please note, this is an extension to the previously advertised deadline). We will not be able to accept any further proposals after this time.

In order to make sure you are ready there's a few things you can start doing now.

1. **Join IATEFL or renew your membership.** It is a requirement of everyone submitting a proposal (including joint speakers) that they have a current IATEFL membership at the time of submission. You can find out more about IATEFL membership at [www.iatefl.org/membership](http://www.iatefl.org/membership) and join via your IATEFL Dashboard. If you have never logged into the IATEFL Dashboard before, you can create a free account [here](#).

2. **Watch Madeleine du Vivier's session on How to write an effective IATEFL conference proposal.** This is free to watch via IATEFL's YouTube channel at <https://youtu.be/5Gexv0fQ0dI>. It contains some helpful advice about the types of sessions and selection criteria.

3. **Develop your idea and draft your proposal.** Start thinking about the topic you would like to speak on and share your thoughts with colleagues. It's always useful to get feedback and you may find someone you can collaborate with for a joint proposal. Once you have settled on an idea, draft your proposal. You will need to submit a title (maximum 10 words), an abstract (50-60 words) for the Conference Programme, and a summary (200-250 words) that will inform the proposals committee of the content and structure of your presentation. The full guidelines for submissions can be found at [www.iatefl.org/conference/iatefl-conference-speaker-guidelines](http://www.iatefl.org/conference/iatefl-conference-speaker-guidelines).

4. **Think about funding.** All speakers are required to pay the full conference fee of £185 (or £112 for [student members](#)) in order to secure their place in the programme. You will not need to pay this until after the proposal results are released in early December 2022 but now is a good time to speak to your manager about funding to make sure you can pay the fee and get to Harrogate. The deadline for all speakers to make their payments is Wednesday 22 December 2022 at 16.00 ([UK time](#)).

5. **Tell your friends and colleagues.** Please feel free to forward this email onto anyone you know who might be interested in presenting at the 56th IATEFL International Conference and Exhibition.

Once the call for proposals is open we will send instructions on what you will need to do to make sure your proposal is submitted correctly by the deadline, so keep an eye on your emails over the next few weeks. This information will also be available at [www.iatefl.org/conference/speaker-information](http://www.iatefl.org/conference/speaker-information).

### Some key dates for your diary

**Wednesday 21 September 2022 at 16.00 (UK time):** Proposal submission deadline

**Early December 2022:** You will hear the results of your proposal submission

**Wednesday 22 December 2022 at 16.00 (UK time):** Speaker payment deadline

**Tuesday 18 - Friday 21 April 2023:** 56th IATEFL International Conference and Exhibition

Good luck with your preparations, we look forward to receiving your proposal



# ASIA TEFL



The poster is for a webinar titled "Material Design and Development in ELT: Empowering New Initiatives". It features the AsiaTEFL logo at the top, which includes a red circular graphic. Below the logo, it says "Professional Network Webinar Series". The main title is "2022 WEBINAR 3 Material Design and Development in ELT: Empowering New Initiatives". The date is "30 JULY, 2022" with a calendar icon. Time zones are listed: "3 PM KST / 2 PM MST / 1 PM THA / 7 AM BST" with a clock icon. Three speakers are shown in circular frames: (DR.HC) ASLAM KHAN from ERICAN Education Group Malaysia, PROF.DR. MASAKI ODA from Tamagawa University Japan, and PROF.DR. AURELIO VILBAR from University of the Philippines Cebu Philippines. A central white box contains a Zoom QR code, the meeting ID "849 6101 2517", passcode "987123", and "FREE REGISTRATION". Another QR code is below it. A fourth speaker, DR. SAVIKA VARAPORN, Moderator at Kasetsart University Thailand, is shown in a circular frame. At the bottom right, it says "FOR FURTHER DETAILS, CONTACT: asiatefl.profnet@gmail.com" with an arrow icon.

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**Topic: Webinar 3-2022**

**Time: Jul 30, 2022 3:00 PM KOREAN Time**

## Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84961012517?pwd=NGNGVXpMNTJ3cE1PNkJWN2t6UVljQT09>

**Meeting ID: 849 6101 2517**

**Passcode: 987123**



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- To join SPELT as a new member or renew your membership, please download the membership form from the link: <https://forms.gle/69dNXszTETcNTLDX6>  
Please fill the form, submit the fees online and send the picture of your bank receipt to [speltheadoffice@gmail.com](mailto:speltheadoffice@gmail.com)

To join the SPELT Facebook group, please visit the link:  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/235003087675238/>

You will be asked for your SPELT membership number, before your request is accepted.

### Membership Link:

<https://forms.gle/2s9fwckW4FXEXd1k8>

## About Membership Subscription and Dues

Individual Membership	PKR 1500/
Institutional Membership	PKR 5000/
Special Membership Package for 3 years	PKR 4000/
Life Membership	PKR 15000/
International Package for 3 years	US\$ 125/
International Membership for 1 year	US\$ 60/

