

WELCOMING CEREMONY

5 May 2009

Ballroom

8.00am	Arrival of Guests
8.15am	Arrival of VIPs
8.25am	Doa
8.30am	Welcome and Opening Address by Associate Professor Dr. Thang Siew Ming, Conference Chair
8.40am	Opening Address by Professor Dato' Dr . Sharifah Hapsah Syed Hasan Shahabudin, Vice-Chancellor, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
9.00am	Multimedia Presentation of the School Of Language Studies and Linguistics and Book Launch
9.10 – 10.10am	Keynote
10.10 -10.30am	Tea Break

CLOSING CEREMONY

6 May 2009

Ballroom

3.50pm	Arrival of Guests
4.00pm	Arrival of VIPs
4.15pm	Speech by the Special Guest Speaker Raja Zarith Sofiah Binti Almarhum SultAn Idris Shah
5.15pm	Closing Ceremony by Prof. Dr. Saran Kaur, Deputy Vice-chancellor of Industry and Community Partnerships, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
5.30pm	High Tea

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

VENUE/ TIME	BALLROOM 1	BALLROOM 2	BALLROOM 3	PUTERA 2	PUTERA 3	PUTERA 4
EARLY REGISTRATION 4 May 2009 5-8 pm (Courtyard Foyer)						
DAY ONE 5 MAY 2009						
7.15 – 8.15	REGISTRATION (Courtyard Foyer)					
8.25 – 9.10	Welcoming Ceremony					
9.10 – 10.10	Keynote Presentation <i>Reconnecting The Local and Global in Language Education</i> Prof. Dr. Stephen May					
10.10 – 10.30	TEA					
10.30 – 11.00 PARALLEL SESSION 1	<i>Cultural Input in Oral English Teaching in CALL Environments</i> Zhihong Lu, Shenghua Huang, Xiaoyan Li	<i>Kesan Penggunaan Peta Minda Interaktif dalam Penulisan Cerita</i> Adenan Ayob	<i>(Un) Necessity of Bilingualisation</i> Ahmad Abbasi Fard	<i>True Intercultural Communication Between Equals or Western Bias?</i> S. Paul Verluyten	<i>Contrastive Pragmatics Study and Teaching Culture in English Language Classroom: A Case Study</i> Maryam Farnia, Raja Rozina Raja Suleiman	<i>E-Literacy Readiness in Rural Communities</i> Siti Hamin Stapa, Tg Nor Rizan Tg Mohd Maasum, Hazita Azman, Jamilah Mustafa, Kathum Ibrahim

11.00 – 11.30 PARALLEL SESSION 2	<i>Preferred Collaborative Learning Skills Used in Weblog among Learners</i>	<i>Awareness of Islamic English Among Muslim Students in Malaysia</i>	<i>Finding Global Connections with Local Preoccupations : Reading Multicultural Identity in New Malaysian Writings in English</i>	<i>Cross-Cultural Use of Metadiscourse by University Students</i>	<i>Mesej Implisit dalam Terjemahan Nama Perniagaan Cina</i>	<i>The Role of Gisting and Contextual Guessing Reading Strategies in Learners' Performance in Multiple-Choice Cloze Tests of Reading Comprehension</i>
	Anuratha Kanniah, Pramela Krish	Sheila Parveen Lallmamode, Zalika Binti Adam	Raihanah M.M	Avon Crismore	Goh Sang Seong	Bahman Gorjian, A. M. Hayati
11.30 – 12.00 PARALLEL SESSION 3	<i>Community Cultures: Differences between Online Communities and Real-World Communities</i>	<i>The Perceived Role of Accent In Micro-Level Linguicism</i>	<i>A Study of Mandarin Sentence Grammar Mistakes Made by Non-Native Speakers</i>	<i>The Role of Linguistic Capital In Filipino Ethnic Inter marriage And Identity: A Bourdieuan Analysis</i>	<i>Analysis of Workplace Meetings: Structures of Discourse and the Role of Politeness and Culture.</i>	<i>Keupayaan Pusat E-Komuniti dalam Pembangunan E-Literasi Masyarakat Luar Bandar: Hasrat & Realiti</i>
	Thomas Schalow	Shinya Uekusa	Cheun Heng Huat, Ho Wee Chee, Hoe Foo Terng	Antonio I. Tamayao	Nor Fariza Mohd. Nor	Kalthum Ibrahim, Jamilah Mustafa, Tg Nor Rizan Tg. Maasum, Siti Hamin Stapa
12.10 – 12.55 PLENARY PRESENTATIONS		Plenary 1 <i>Creating and Fostering E-Communities Of Practice (E-Cops)</i>		Plenary 2 <i>Loanword and Its Impact to the Development of Malay Language and Culture.</i>		
		AP Dr.. Thang Siew Ming		Prof. Dr. Nor Hashimah Jalaluddin		

12.55 – 2.00	LUNCH					
2.00 – 2.30 FEATURED SESSIONS		<i>Inclusion and Divisiveness through Language</i> Biljana Scott		<i>Critical Considerations of Ethnic and National Identities in the Multicultural Global World</i> Saran Kaur Gill	<i>Recognition and Respect: Globalization Culture and Malaysian Education</i> James Kennedy Campbell	<i>Doing Gender: Voices from Within</i> Ruzy Suliza Hashim
2.30 – 3.00 PARALLEL SESSION 4	<i>Application of Cooperative Learning in Computer-Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL) Environment</i> Tg Nor Rizan Tg Mohd Maasum, Siti Hamin Stapa, Marlyna Maros, Zaini Amir, Pramela Krish, Noraza Ahmad Zabidi	<i>Performative Power of Language: Japanese and Swearing</i> Hanayo Kosugi	<i>The Depictions of the Arabs in Recent American Fiction</i> Riyad Abdurahman Faraj Manqoush, Noraini Md. Yusof, Ruzy Suliza Hashim	<i>Methodological Innovation in The Classroom: An Experience of Cultural Displacement</i> Jamilah Mustafa	<i>The Evolving Identities of the Malays as the Result of Neo Colonisation</i> Fouzia Hassan Abdullah	<i>Effects of Cooperative Learning in Enhancing Students' Writing Performance</i> Syafini Ismail
3.00 – 3.30 PARALLEL SESSION 5	<i>Re-Romanticising Love: Cyber Dating Websites under Scrutiny</i> Jamaluddin Aziz	<i>Creating and Fostering Identity through the Language of Cartography</i> Carol Leon	<i>The Use of Vocabulary Strategies in Learning English among EFL Learners</i> Noorizah Mohd Noor, Zaini Amir	<i>Multi-Cultural Talk at Workplace Meetings: Linguistic Strategies at Work</i> Teoh Mei Lin	<i>Culture-free and Culture-bound English Language classes</i> Mohammad Zohrabi, Parilah Mohd Shah	<i>The Influence of Culture and Gender on Motivation to Read in English</i> Harbinder Singh, Thang Siew Ming, Mohd. Sallehudin Abd Aziz

<p>3.30 – 4.00</p> <p>PARALLEL SESSION 6</p>	<p><i>Virtual Realities: A Blended Learning Approach to Bridge the Gap Between Diverse ESL Learners</i></p> <p>Nackeeran Sivapunniam</p>	<p><i>Social Variation of Non-Malays in Kota Bharu, Kelantan: A Study on Accent, Identity and Integration</i></p> <p>Rosniah Mustaffa, Idris Aman, Jamilah Mustafa</p>	<p><i>Asia in Asian American Literature: The Drama of Henry David Hwang</i></p> <p>Paul McGrath</p>	<p><i>Cultural Awareness in ESL Literary Learning: Scale Validation</i></p> <p>Nil Farakh Sulaiman, Ismail Sheikh Ahmad, Mohamad Sahari Nordin, Ratnawati Mohd. Ashraf</p>	<p><i>Whose History is Embedded in Global Languages (And What If Nobody Notices)?</i></p> <p>Michael Barry</p>	<p><i>Influence of Mediums of Instruction on Reading Strategy Use</i></p> <p>Gerard Sagaya Raj, Thang Siew Ming, Lee Su Kim</p>
<p>4.00 – 4.45</p> <p>PLENARY PRESENTATIONS</p>		<p>Plenary 3</p> <p><i>Linguistic and Cultural Barriers to Justice: Comparing the Responses of the Japanese and Malaysian Legal Systems to the Challenges of Globalisation.</i></p> <p>Prof. Richard Powell</p>		<p>Plenary 4</p> <p><i>Re-Inventing the Self: Constructions of Identity in Malaysian Blogosphere</i></p> <p>Dr. Noraini Mohd. Yusof</p>		
<p>4.45 – 5.00</p>	<p>TEA</p>					

DAY TWO 6 MAY 2009

VENUE/TIME	BALLROOM 1	BALLROOM 2	BALLROOM 3	PUTERA 2	PUTERA 3	PUTERA 4
8.30 – 9.15 PLENARY PRESENTATIONS		Plenary 5 <i>The Discourse Flows of the Professionals in Today's Globalised World</i> Prof. Dr. Winnie Cheng		Plenary 6 <i>Ideology and Intercultural Communication: The World in Conflict</i> Prof. Dr. Zuraidah Mohd Don		
9.15 – 9.45 PARALLEL SESSION 7	<i>Using Blogs to Maximize Students' Learning in an Academic Reading Class</i> Kemboja Ismail	<i>Literature for Language, Language for Literature</i> Benedict Lin	<i>Going In and out of English: Malay Students' Experience</i> Haryati binti Ahmad, Nor Haniza binti Hasan, Sumarni binti Maulan	<i>Peranan Ketertiban Berbahasa ke Arah Pembentukan Modal Insan yang Berdaya Saing</i> Zeety Kartini Abdul Hamid	<i>The Concept of Politeness in Malay Culture – A Contrastive Study</i> Raja Rozina Raja Suleiman, Azimah Sazalie, Hasmidar Hassan	<i>Book Reading Styles in Japan And Taiwan: A Comparative Study</i> Eiko Kato-Otani, Chien-ju Chang
9.45 – 10.00	TEA					

<p>10.00 – 10.30</p> <p>PARALLEL SESSION 8</p>	<p><i>Extending The Social Aspect for Computer-Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL)</i></p> <p>Noraza Ahmad Zabidi, Siti Hamin Stapa, Tg Nor Rizan Tg Mohd Maasum, Marlyna Maros, Pramela Krish, Zaini Amir</p>	<p><i>Young Adult Fiction and the Signs of an Emerging Canon: Wherefore the Asian Voice?</i></p> <p>Shanthini Pillai</p>	<p><i>Teacher Talk In The Science Classrooms</i></p> <p>Mastura Othman, Pramela Krish</p>	<p>PANEL SESSION</p> <p><i>Developing an online Continuing Professional Development system for English Language Teaching: Model 2020</i></p> <p>Thang Siew Ming, Hazita Azman, Radha Nambiar, Pramela Krish, Yuen Chee Keong, Azizah Yaacob, Lee Kean Wah, Puva Murugiah, Fariza Khalid, Leila Bidmeshki, Carol Hall, Gordon Joyes</p>	<p><i>Within-Self Diversity: Implications for ELT Materials Design</i></p> <p>Stephanie Houghton</p>	<p><i>The Role of Metacognitive Reading Strategies in Second Language Learning</i></p> <p>Kaniz Fatema</p>
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10.30 – 11.00 PARALLEL SESSION 9	<i>Fungsi Cerita Binatang dalam Sastera Kanak-Kanak Melayu-Arab</i> Nurhasma Muhamad Saad, Kartina Kamaruzaman, Rosni Samah	<i>Positive and Negative Perspectives in Thai Anatomy-related Metaphors</i> Vanjuree @ Ramlah Abd. Manaf	<i>English Language and Identities of Multilingual Malaysian Undergraduates</i> Lee Su Kim, Lee King Siong, Wong Fook Fei, Azizah Ya'acob	PANEL SESSION (CONT.)	<i>A Study of Compliment Responses in English among Iraqi Postgraduates at USM</i> Hiba Qusay Abdul Sattar, Salasiah Che Lah	<i>Multiple Literary Interpretations: Empowering Readers through Literary Theory</i> Devan V. Rajaram
11.00 – 11.30 PARALLEL SESSION 10	<i>Hot Potatoes Vs Articulate Quizmaker: A Development of Electronic English Language Assessment</i> Shahrul Ridzuan Arshad, Norizan Abdul Razak, Supyan Hussin	<i>Group Dynamics in the Japanese University ELT Classroom</i> Yasuyo Matsumoto	<i>Electronic English in Malaysia: Global and Local Roles</i> Norizah Hassan, Azirah Hashim		<i>Proverbial Wisdom and Planetary: Re-Imaging Coral Reef Communities</i> Jeffner Allen	<i>Writing proficiency of Upper Secondary School Students</i> Nadzrah Abu Bakar, Norsimah Mat Awal, Nor Hashimah Jalaluddin
11.30-12.00 PARALLEL SESSION 11	<i>Young Executives' Perceptions on the Purpose of Using Writing Software</i> Norwati Md Yusof, Nadzrah Abu Bakar, Saadiyah Darus, Nur Ehsan Mohd Said	<i>Language, Power, and Laughter in a Japanese In-studio Radio Talk</i> Toshiko Yamaguchi	<i>Language and Gender Politics in Contemporary Chinese Literature</i> Roshni Mooneeram		<i>Like, Boleh Lah! Negotiating Cultural Dialogue in Malaysian International Schools.</i> Marcea Ingersoll	<i>Language, Culture and Maturation in Pricki Serial Books</i> Nicke Yunita Moecharam, Iyen Nurlaelawati, Lulu Laela Amalia

12.00 - 12.30 PARALLEL SESSION 12	<i>The Significance of Culture in the Discourse of Medical Consultations</i> Evelyn Khor	<i>War on Terror: Constructing the Other via Kinaesthetic Image Schemas</i> Sivabala Naidu	<i>Sphere of English Usage and Fluency of ESL Speakers</i> Ting Su Hie, Mahanita Mahadhir, Chang Siew Lee	<i>Locality and Self-Identity: An Analysis of Local Literature in Indonesian English Text Books</i> Ahmad Bukhori Muslim, Ika Lestari Damayanti, Nia Nafisah	<i>"There are many ways to skin a cat, my lord": Examining Humour in the Malaysian Courtroom</i> Noraini Ibrahim	<i>Alice in Japan: Carter's Discovery of the Actual</i> Setsuko Mochizuki
12.30 – 2.00	LUNCH					
2.00 – 2.45 PLENARY PRESENTATIONS				Plenary 7 <i>Facing up to the Juggernaut: Living Multilingual Lives</i> AP Dr. Lee Su Kim	Plenary 8 <i>Constructing Knowledge in Bilingual/Multilingual Learning Environments</i> AP Dr. Wong Bee Eng	Plenary 9 <i>Literary Studies for Non-literary Disciplines: Nurturing Humanistic Connections</i> Dr. Ganakumaran Subramaniam
2.50 – 3.50	FORUM DISCUSSION Panel Chair: AP Dr. Koo Yew Lie Panel Members: Prof. Dr. Stephen May, Prof. Dr. Winnie Cheng, AP Dr. Lee Su Kim, Prof. Richard Powell, Prof. Dr. Zuraidah Mohd Don and Prof. Dr. Saran Kaur Gill					
4.15 –5.00	Special Guest Speaker HRH RAJA ZARITH SOFIAH BINTI ALMARHUM SULTAN IDR.IS SHAH <i>A Global Warning: The More We Know, The Less We Understand</i>					
5.00 -5.15	Closing Ceremony					
5.30- 7.30	HIGH TEA					

SCHEDULE FOR POSTER PRESENTATIONS

DAY ONE 5 MAY 2009

VENUE/TIME	COURTYARD FOYER
1.00 – 2.00	<p data-bbox="942 409 1442 467"><i>A Trickster-figure in Sula by Toni Morrison</i> Marjan Heidari</p> <p data-bbox="743 500 1644 558"><i>The Trajectory of 'transculturation' in Ahdaf Soueif's 'In The Eye Of The Sun'</i> Neda Fekri</p> <p data-bbox="800 591 1585 649"><i>A Survey of Three Commercial Writing Software for the Workplace</i> Ng Yen Peng & Saadiyah Darus</p> <p data-bbox="577 682 1808 740"><i>Penggunaan Bahasa Arab dalam Komunikasi Pemandu Pelancong : Ke Arah Memperkenalkan Malaysia</i> Zalika Binti Adam</p>

Note: Posters will be displayed throughout the two days of the conference