CONFERENCE PROGRAM

DAY 1: Thursday, November 14, 2024	
8:00-8:30	Registration
	International Hall
8:30-9:15	**Opening Ceremony** ❖ Welcome Remarks by **Ms. Le Thi Thuy Duong**, SEAMEO RETRAC Director ❖ Courtesy Remarks ➢ **Dr. Nguyen Thi Mai Huu,** Director of the National Foreign Languages Project, MOET, Vietnam ➢ **Mr. Jonathan Saw**, Consul (Commercial), Australian Consulate- General ➢ **Ms. Natella Svistunova,** Cultural Affairs Officer, the U.S. Consulate General in Ho Chi Minh City ➢ **Associate Professor Lisa Lim,** Dean, International, the Faculty of Humanities, Curtin University, Australia ❖ Gift Presentation to Distinguished Guests
9:15-10:15	**KEYNOTE SPEECH #1: Exploring the Relationship between Instructed Second Language Acquisition Research and L2 Teaching** **Prof. Shawn Loewen**, Michigan State University
Moderator:	*Assoc. Prof. Rhonda Oliver*
	Group Photo

10:15-10:30	Tea Break & Poster Time			
	PARALLEL SESSIONS			
	Room A101	**Room A204**	**Room A416**	**Room A414** *Virtual Presentations*
Moderator:	*Ms. Vo Pham Trinh Thu*	*Prof. Vo Quang Hien*	*Ms. Sandra Houghton*	*Ms. Nguyen Thi Anh Thu*
10:30-11:00		**Grouping Strategies in Collaborative Learning: Effects on Learners' English Academic Achievement and Science Process Skills** *Tricia Barcelo Dealagdon* *Raffy S. Taghap*	**Communicating with and without Words: Visual Literacy in English Language Teaching** *Andy Duenas*	⌨ **Concept Analysis of Adaptive Learning Strategy in English Language Teaching (ALS-ELT)** *John Mark Navarette Saldivar* *Bernadeth L. Fernandez*
11:00-11:30	**Workshop** **Making the Most of Teacher Talk** *Michael Griffin*	**The Application of Project-Based Learning to Motivate and Improve Grade 11 Students to Learn English** *Tran Thi My*	**The Effects of Shadowing Technique on Pronouncing -ED Ending Sounds: The Case of Saigon University** *Dang Vu Minh Thu* *Tran Thi Diem My* *Phan Le Hien Mai*	⌨ **Difficulties in Academic Writing of Arts and Design Students: Basis for the Development of a Contextualized Learning Material** *Dr. Rona Ann E. Cea*
11:30-12:00		**Building Problem-Solving Competency in EFL Curriculum in Bac Lieu Secondary Schools: Teachers' Perceptions of Challenges and Implications** *Le Hoang Nam*	**Enhancing English Proficiency through Integrated CLIL and ESP: A Study in Taiwanese Higher Education Context** *Hoang Le Quoc Dat*	⌨ **Rethinking of multilingual practices in science assessments processes to enhance Linguistic justice: A Namibian Primary school case study** *Dr. Set Beatha*

12:00-14:00	*Lunch Time*			
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Moderator:	*Mr. Dieter Bruhn*	*Ms. Mach Buu Hien*	*Mr. Tran Phuoc Linh*	*Mr. Hoang Le Quoc Dat*
14:00-14:30	**Workshop** **Teaching Humor in the EFL Classroom: Are you serious?!** *Prof. Anne Pomerantz*	**Applying Cognitive Linguistics Theory and Sino-Vietnamese Knowledge to Enhance English Translation Teaching** *Prof. Vo Quang Hien*	**Exploring Tertiary Student's Perceptions of Self-Assessment Practices in Writing Skill** *Dr. Huynh Ai* *Nguyen Phuong Linh*	⌨ **Exploring the Impact of E-Portfolios on ESL Writing: A Classroom-Based Study of Assessment** *Mary Joy Vailoces Sienes*
14:30-15:00		**Status Quo and Solutions to Teaching English Business Courses as ESP to English Language Majors** *Nguyen Ngoc Vu*	**Blended Learning for Beginner-Level English: Integrating LMS and Flipped Classrooms for Effective Language Acquisition** *Pham Vo Duc Duy*	⌨ **SPARKS: Strategic Reading Practices for Advancing Reading and Knowledge Skills, Aimed at Enhancing Science Comprehension and Critical Thinking** *Jaymar S. Dela Cruz*
15:00-15:30	**Beyond the Classroom: Vietnamese EFL Learners' Engagement in Informal Second Language Learning** *Nguyen Tien Duc*	**Artificial Intelligence as Teaching Tools to Strengthen Listening Skills for English Major Students** *Vo Thi Nhu Linh*	**Assessing ESL Student Writing in the Age of Artificial Intelligence: Challenges and Best Practices** *Dau Thi Thanh Luy* *Lam Thuy Trang*	*On-site presentation* **Non-English Major Students' Perceptions toward the Use of Duolingo for English Vocabulary Learning** *Nguyen Duc Chi Thanh*
15:30-15:45	*Tea Break & Poster Time*			
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Moderator:	*Prof. Anne Pomerantz*	*Mr. Huynh Bao Phuong*		*Mr. Nguyen Ngoc Vu*
15:45-16:15	**Workshop** **Beyond the Textbook: Innovative Approaches to Boost Student Engagement** *Dieter Bruhn*	**Differentiated Efficacy of Web 2.0 Tools in Cooperative Writing among EFL Learners** *Nguyen Duong Hoang Minh*		⌨ **Assessing the Impact of Digital Education on Achieving SDG 4 in Pakistan's Higher Education Sector** *Zohaib Hassan Sain*
16:15-16:45		**A Study on the Role of Digital Technologies in Fostering English Language Learning beyond the Classroom in Vietnam** *Nguyen Thien Khoa*		⌨ **Utilizing AI to Replicate Real-Life Speaking Contexts for Language Learners** *Pandu Perdana Putra* *Endang Kusrini*

DAY 2: Friday, November 15, 2024		
	PLENARY SESSION	
	International Hall	
8:30-9:30	**KEYNOTE SPEECH #2: Meet your AI assistant: Teaching English in and for a Tech-enhanced World** **Prof. Anne Pomerantz**, University of Pennsylvania, USA RELO Specialist	
Moderator:	*Ms. Lori Shea*	
	PARALLEL SESSIONS	
	International Hall	**Room A101**
Moderator:	*Mr. Tran Phuoc Linh*	*Assoc. Prof. Rhonda Oliver*
9:35-10:05	🖥 **New Research Directions in Second Language Learning** *Dr. Jake Stone*	**Workshop**
10:05-10:35	**Integrating AI into Task-Based Language Teaching: Making Writing Fun and Effective** *Tran Duy Bao & Doan Thi Thuy*	**Language Learning Apps: Do They Really Work?** *Prof. Shawn Loewen*
10:35-10:50	***Tea Break***	
	International Hall	**Room A101**
Moderator:	*Ms. Nguyen Thi Anh Thu*	*Prof. Anne Pomerantz*
10:50-11:20	**Evaluating ChatGPT Plus as a Reference and Preparation Tool for IELTS Speaking: Score Comparison and Student Insights** *Nguyen Viet Linh*	**Workshop**
11:20-11:50	**Play-Based Learning Meets Technology: Innovations in Kindergarten ELT** *Abhishek Rajamanickam*	**Applying Design Thinking Practices to Professional Development** *Sandra Houghton*
	International Hall	
11:50-12:05	**CLOSING** ❖ Prize Draw ❖ Closing Remarks	

Poster presentations

1. **Enhancing Vietnamese Students' Reading Vocabulary: A Case Study** *(Ta Thi Hong Diem)*
2. **Exploring English Major Students' Preferences on Formative Assessment** *(Do Thi Hoa Quyen)*
3. **Harnessing ChatGPT as a Dialogic Agent: A Case Study at Nha Trang University** *(Do Vu Hoang Tam)*
4. **Strategies To Address Common Enigmas in Translating English Legal Texts into Vietnamese** *(Nguyen Thi Van Anh & Pham Vu Minh Loc)*
5. **Using Humor in Language Classrooms - A Positive or Negative Aspect?** *(Nguyen Trang Dung)*