**Topic-International Conference on English Language Teaching and Learning- ICELTL 2018**

**Venue: PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore-Tamilnadu-INDIA**

**International Conference on English Language Teaching and learning** aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their experiences and research results on all aspects of English Language Teaching and learning. It also provides a premier interdisciplinary platform for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns as well as practical challenges encountered and solutions adopted in the fields of English Language Teaching and learning.

**Objective of the Conference:**

The conference organizing committee are honoured to invite you to be part of a dialogue about common contemporary challenges facing the field of English language teaching and learning. It is obvious that changes in the economic, social, and educational contexts were behind the increasing challenges that the field of ELT has to meet in the early decades of the 21st century. In fact, the demands of today's world and the recent changes and challenges brought up by the impacts of globalization and the growth of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) require a revolution in teaching and learning. In a knowledge-based and highly digital society, there is a growing interest in bridging the gap between the skills being developed in schools and universities and those required by the job market and the skills of a literate 21st century citizen. The conference, which will be an opportunity to advance professionalism and excellence in English language teaching and learning, aims at: exploring the English language skills and key competencies that will enable the students as future agents of change to cope with life in the 21st Century. exploring new pedagogical approaches and creating a network of educators from the four sectors (primary, secondary, tertiary and vocational) working in the field of English Language teaching in order to foster collaboration on the ongoing challenges facing the field and to develop means to promote professionalism and excellence. bringing together teachers, researchers, publishers, entrepreneurs and representatives from the professional world and from the civil society to discuss key issues around promoting civic values, life skills, peace and tolerance through English language instruction preparing students to learn, work, and live in a global community.

 **ICELTL 201**  conference is intended to be a forum for exploring different avenues to promote professionalism and excellence in ELT by focusing on high quality input and its impact on learners’ output. The conference offers a full range of papers, publisher presentations, workshops, poster sessions and Special Interest Groups meetings and discussions. Participants are invited to submit their proposals to be evaluated by the scientific committee on the basis of their relevance to the conference theme.

**Research papers are invited on the following**

All honorable authors are kindly encouraged to contribute to and help shape the conference through submissions of their research abstracts, papers and e-posters. Also, high quality research contributions describing original and unpublished results of conceptual, constructive, empirical, experimental, or theoretical work in all areas of English Language Teaching and Learning are cordially invited for presentation at the conference. The conference solicits contributions of abstracts, papers and e-posters that address themes and topics of the conference, including figures, tables and references of novel research materials.

**Major Themes**

The Conference will address a range of critically important issues and themes relating to the English language Teaching and Learning. The main topics of the conference are:

-       New trends in English language teaching and testing

- New trends in English language learning

-       Teaching language skills

-       Language testing and assessment

-       Innovations in ELT

-       ESP and EAP

- Applied Linguistics and Language Practice

- Approaches and Methodologies

- Curriculum / Materials

- Use of ICT in Language Teaching

-       Individual differences

-       TBLT

-       Literature in ELT

-       Syllabus design and materials development

-       Language teacher education

-       CALL & MALL

-       Discourse analysis

-       Pragmatics

- Language testing

- Material Writing and Design

- Teaching Young Learners

- Language Policy

- Teaching English as a Foreign/ Second Language

- Teaching Language Skills

**Special Journal Issues**

**ICELTL 2018** has teamed up with the Special Journal Issue on [English Language Teaching](https://waset.org/Publications/Cognitive-and-Language-Sciences) and Learning. A number of selected high-impact full text papers will also be considered for the special journal issues. All submitted papers will have the opportunity to be considered for this Special Journal Issue. The paper selection will be carried out during the peer review process as well as at the conference presentation stage. Submitted papers must not be under consideration by any other journal or publication. The final decision for paper selection will be made based on peer review reports by the Guest Editors and the Editor-in-Chief jointly. Selected full-text papers will be published online some amount of charge.

###  Tentative schedule

**Important Dates**

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| Abstracts/Full-Text Paper Submission Deadline |   |  15, 2019 |
| Notification of Acceptance/Rejection |   | April 31, 2019 |
| Final Paper (Camera Ready) Submission & Early Bird Registration Deadline |   | June 22, 2019 |
| Conference Dates |   | July 22 - 23, 2019 |

**Registration Fee Details**

Faculty- - 1200

Research scholars- - 750

Participation- - 300

Publication- - Decided later.

Foreign Delegates- - Decided later.

**International Committee Members**

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Coimbatore is known as “the Manchester of South India” and is surrounded by serene Western Ghats, Ootacamund (Ooty), the Queen of Hills which is just about 90 kms away from the city. Coimbatore city is also famous for top class education, world class textile and superior health service. Coimbatore is also known for its hospitality, folklore and ancient temples. Coimbatore is very well connected by air, rail and road. Marudhamalai, which is one of the abodes of Lord Muruga, is located near our University. The atmosphere is serene with herbal plants. The campus has a rich variety of flora and fauna and beautiful peacocks and peahens steal our hearts with their enchanting movements.

**About The Department**

The Department of English was established in 1951.. The Department has a state of the art language laboratory and a foreign language laboratory. The Department has smart classrooms. The teaching-learning is interactive. Research projects are based on Literature and ELT.

**PSG College of Technology**

PSG College of Technology is an autonomous, government aided, private engineering college in Peelamedu, Coimbatore. It is affiliated to Anna University Chennai. The college offers a total of 48 full-time and part-time programs in Science, Engineering and Management at undergraduate and postgraduate levels. The college was founded in 1951 by Dr.G.R.Damodaran, who served as first Principal of the college. It is one of the many educational institutions nurtured by PSG & Sons Charities Trust. It is the first private engineering institution established in Tamil Nadu. The college is located in the same campus with the PSG Industrial Institute. It is the only college in India to have an industry attached to it.

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