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ESEA@2019 Workshops



Grammar (as Structure or Choice?) in the English Language (EL) Classroom

Dr Christine Xavier (National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore)

Do you teach grammar and writing in silos or teach grammar and writing in an integrated manner? Should you teach grammar as structure or grammar as choice? How is grammar viewed as choice, as a meaning-making resource and how do you teach this? What is the impact on students and teachers when grammar is taught as a meaning-making resource?

Come explore these questions at this workshop on grammar in the English language (EL) classroom. Some relevant grammar content knowledge and pedagogical practices that support a process of teaching grammar as a meaning-making resource in a writing class will also be shared.

Registration is open now and closes on 31st Oct



Visual Literacy in the English Language (EL) Classroom

Dr Victor Lim

(National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore)

How do pictures 'mean'? Do we need to teach our students how to interpret images or is it a skill that they naturally have?

Many of our students are active on social media today. How can we build on our students' experiences and fluency with digital communication and guide them in developing the literacies to be future-ready?

Drawing from data arising from an Educational Research Funding Programme project on "Integrating Multiliteracies in the English Language Classroom", this workshop discusses ways in which visual literacy can be taught in the EL classroom.

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