

MwALT & TSLL 2011 Conference Program



Friday, September 16, 2011				
11:00am - 11:30am	Registration	Gallery Room		
11:30am - 1:00pm	TSLL Innovators' Poster Session with refreshments (light lunch)	Pioneer Room		
1:00pm - 2:30pm	Automatic Evaluation of Writing Volker Hegelheimer, Ahmet Dursun, Zhi Li, Aysel Saricaoglu, & Hyejin Yang: The Use of Criterion as a Formative Assessment Tool in Second Language Writing Classrooms Kirk Hagen: Computer-assisted Writing Assessment: The Constraints of Accreditation and Remediation Victor Santos, Marjolijn Verspoor, & John Nerbonne: How can machine learning help towards automated essay scoring?	Gallery Room		
2:30pm - 2:45pm	Break	Gallery Room		
2:45pm - 3:45pm	Plenary Sara Weigle: Automated essay scoring in high stakes language testing	Gallery Room		
3:45pm - 4:00pm	Break	Gallery Room		
4:00pm - 5:30pm	Test Development Joan Jamieson, Jacqueline Church, & John Laird: Issues Developing a Semi-adaptive English Placement Test Sun Joo Chung: Development of a Web-based Placement Test for International Students Erik Voss, Barbara Schwarte, Jarred Brinkmann, Jesse Patterson, & Kristi Ver Mulm: Confronting Development, Administration, and Technical Issues Involving Online Achievement Tests	Gallery Room		
5:45pm	Reception and Dinner			

Saturday, September 17, 2011				
8:00am - 8:30am	Registration	Gallery Room		
8:30am - 8:45am	Welcome to MwALT & TSLL : Carol Chapelle	Gallery Room		
8:45am - 10:15am	<u>Colloquium</u> : Investigating Innovative Assessment Tasks (Lia Plakans)	Gallery Room		
	Elena Cotos : How Can Automated Feedback Enhance the Qualities of Formative Assessment?			
	Cindra Visser : Considering the Use of Curriculum Based Measurement (CBM) with ELLs			
	Aurore Mroz: L2 Negotiation of Meaning in a Problem-based Virtual Learning Environment: A Mixed Methods Study			
10:15am - 10:30am	Break	Pioneer Room		
	Poster Setup	Sun Room		
10:30am - 11:30am	Paula Winke : Formative, Oral Assessments for Improving Self-regulation in the L2 Classroom	Gallery Room		
	Yujie Jia : Investigating the Relationship between Selfassessment and Oral Test Performance			
	Chih-Kai (Cary) Lin: Examining the Association Between Content Standards and Academic English Language Proficiency Standards	Pioneer Room		
	Anu Virkkunen-Fullenwider : Task-based LSP Testing in Universities			
11:45am - 12:15pm	Poster introductions	Sun Room		
12:15pm - 1:00pm	Discussion with Poster Presenters	Sun Room		
1:00pm - 2:00pm	Lunch and Poster time	Sun Room		
2:00pm - 3:30pm	Elena Cotos, Jing Xu, & Hye-won Lee : Revising an Oral Proficiency Interview Test for ITAs	Gallery Room		
	Xiaoming Xi & Yoo-Ree Chung : Developing Grammar and Vocabulary Usage Features to Enhance an Automated Speech Scoring System			
	Huei-Lien Hsu : The Impact of World Englishes on Language Assessment: Rater Perception Scale			

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2:00pm - 3:30pm Jesse Gleason: Mixed-methods and Systemic Functional

Grammar: Different Approaches to Evaluating Automated Oral

Assessment

Cristina Pardo-Ballester: Using Video in Web-based Listening

Tasks

Elana Spector-Cohen, Miriam Schcolnik, & Sara Kol: Reading

Comprehension Tests on Screen: An Option?

3:30pm - 3:45pm	Break	Gallery Room
3:45pm - 4:45pm	<pre>Plenary Margaret Malone: Innovative language tests: What the test- takers say</pre>	Gallery Room
4:45pm - 5:15pm	Awards and Business Meeting	Gallery Room
6pm	Reception and Dinner	

Posters for TSLL Innovators' Session:

Posters on the use of technology for second language learning and assessment. (11:30am -1:00pm, Friday, Sept. 16—No introductory comments; light, stand-up, walk around lunch available)

Pioneer Room

- Eric Bodin, iPhone/iPod Touch Multimedia Flashcard Application for Pronunciation Practice
- Elena Cotos, Sarah Huffman, Stephanie Link, & Todd Paden, SFL and Genre Analysis for Formative Assessment Technology
- Helen Heaney, An Eco-friendly Reading Test at 800 wpm
- o Moonyoung Park, A Task-based Needs Analysis for Mobile-assisted Language Learning
- Jim Ranalli, Motivated Learning of L2 Vocabulary Depth-of-Knowledge Features: Self-regulation, appraisal, and self-assessment

MwALT Posters: Before lunch on Saturday (11:45am - 12:15pm) – with 3-minute introductions by

presenters (Posters to be set up in Sun Room during the mid-morning break (10:15am -

10:30am))

- Mark Chapman, Development of a New Trait in Second language Writing Assessment
- Ahmet Dursun, Assessing the Second Language Ability of Young Learners: Turkish English Teachers' Assessment Purposes and Practices
- Stéphanie Gaillard, Yeon-Sook Yi, & Annie Tremblay, Implementing an Elicited Imitation Task as a Component of a Language Placement Test in French at the University Level
- o **Heesung Grace Jun**, A Web-search-permitted Integrated ESL Writing Test: Processes, Products, and Perceptions
- o Jia-Ying Lee, Reading Strategies for Multiple-choice Questions- Familiar vs. Unfamiliar Topics
- o Ruslan Suvorov, Interacting with Visuals in L2 Listening Tests: Eye Tracking Study
- Yeon-Sook Yi & Stephanie Gaillard, Implementing Cognitive Diagnostic Assessment in an Institutional Test
 Through Collaboration of Language Testers: A New Networking Model in Language Testing