



#### <u>Centre for Teaching Excellence in Language Learning Previous</u> Events

# The Centre for Teaching Excellence in Language Learning Launch Event 2 November 2018, Language Lounge

This event brought together language teaching experts from the University and beyond to launch the Centre for Teaching Excellence in Language Learning (CTELL).

### 'Coffee, Cake and Conferences' 16 November 2018, 3pm - 4pm, Language Lounge

Language teaching colleagues, pedagogues and applied linguists exchange ideas from conferences they have attended in the past.

### Technology Enhanced Learning Forum (Michaela Seserman, ELC) 23 November 2018, 3.30pm - 4pm, Language Lounge

This was a platform for sharing and discussing TEL methodology and practical ideas.

# Under Formative Sun – are we moving towards learner-centeredness? (Sebastian Kozbial, ELC)

30 November 2018, 3.15pm - 4pm, Language Lounge

This talk examined various methods of testing and assessment in an EFL classroom, with a particular focus on the formative approach (FA) as an example of learner-centred assessment.

## Authentic Grammar? (Hitomi Masuhara) 5 December 2018, 3-4pm, Rendall Building

In this session Hitomi explored ways of helping learners improve their accuracy in theoretically sound and enjoyable ways in the light of Second Language Acquisition studies.

#### Oxford Reading Circles and Learner Autonomy 14 December 2018, 3.15pm-4pm, Language Lounge

In the session, Anna Kokkinozis outlined how she has used and adapted the Oxford Reading Circles activity pack, in conjunction with her own resources, in both timetabled classes on the ELC's Activate course and in an extra-curricular reading club.

### Increasing Engagement with the VLE – Making VITAL more Learner Friendly Friday 18th January 2019, 3.00-3.45pm, Abercromby Square

This session looked at ways in which VITAL has become more navigable and approachable for students, with interactive elements and a more customised layout.





### The History of Language Learning and Teaching 25 January 2019, 3-5pm, Language Lounge

Professor Nicola McLelland delved into the past allowing a fascinating insight into the development of educational and linguistic theories over time.

The SAMR Framework - Are you exploiting Tech Well? with Paul Dickinson (English Language Centre)
08 February 2019, 3-4pm, Abercromby Square

This session will introduce the SAMR model and how it can help teachers to evaluate and develop an understanding of how tech tools can be used to make an impact on their teaching practice.

#### Literature in Language Learning Conference 14 June 2019, University of Liverpool Management School

Keynote speakers Professor Geoff Hall, Dr Idoya Puig, and Dr Ana Gonçalves Matos joined EFL and other Modern Languages teachers and researchers from across the globe, including researchers from the UK, Jordan and Japan, to share best practice.

### Using Technology for Pedagogical Purposes: how to teach with technology 25 June 2019, Language Lounge

University of Liverpool lecturers demonstrated the creative and innovative use of technology in their language teaching at this staff development event.