



Research into practice: Towards a data-driven curriculum

One-day Virtual Conference
23rd March 2022

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開催されるヴァーチャル・カンファレンス

Programme

Wednesday, 23rd March One-day Virtual Conference

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SESSION 1

12:00 - 12:15	Conference Opening and overview of data-driven curriculum
12:15 - 13:15	<p>National English Ability Assessment in Japan and possible repercussions for language teaching</p> <p>Ichikawa Nobuko and Shimizu Tomoaki</p> <p>Senior Specialists for Academic Ability, Senior Curriculum Specialists, Department for Curriculum Development, Curriculum Research Center National Institute for Educational Policy Research (NIER) of Japan</p>
13:15 - 13:45	<p>Closing learning gaps in Singapore geography lessons</p> <p>TEO Yen Peng and Dr. LAM Wei Ling (Karen)</p> <p>Assessment Specialists (Humanities and Aesthetics) Singapore Examinations and Assessment Board (SEAB)</p>
13:45 - 14:45	<p>Round table: Data in Education - Challenges, Opportunities and Solutions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shimizu Tomoaki Senior Specialist for Academic Ability, Senior Curriculum Specialist NIER, Japan• TEO Yen Peng Assessment Specialist (Humanities and Aesthetics) SEAB, Singapore• Dr. LAM Wei Ling (Karen) Assessment Specialist (Humanities and Aesthetics) SEAB, Singapore• Dr. Suat Hoon Director of Academic Quality Unit and a Principal Academic Mentor Singapore Polytechnic• Jun Huang Data Scientist Jobtech, Singapore• Nguyen Ho Thuy Anh Education consultant, Vietnam
14:45 - 15:00	Break
15:00 - 15:30	<p>Curriculum Development and Review using Natural Language Processing</p> <p>Dr. Suat Hoon</p> <p>Director of Academic Quality Unit and a Principal Academic Mentor Singapore Polytechnic</p> <p>Jun Huang</p> <p>Data Scientist Jobtech, Singapore</p>
15:30 - 16:00	<p>A case study of Implementation of curriculum innovation in English Language teaching at an elementary level in a school in Bien Hoa city, Dong Nai Province , Viet Nam</p> <p>Nguyen Ho Thuy Anh</p> <p>Education consultant, Vietnam</p>

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SESSION 2

16:15 - 16:30

Introduction

16:30 - 17:30

The impact of the Foundation Program resource Data on the reformation of Curriculum and Assessment instruction

Dr. Ahmed Hamed AlRahbi

Director | Nizwah University, Oman

17:30 - 18:00

The Scholarship of Teaching and Learning: Research into Practice Across the Disciplines

Prof. Christina Gitzaki

Director - Center for Educational Innovation | Zayed University, UAE

18:00 - 19:00

Round table: Data and Research in Higher Education

- Dr. Reem M. Al Qenai

Kuwait College, Kuwait

- Prof. Christina Gitzaki

Director - Center for Educational Innovation | Zayed University, UAE

- Dr. Philip Quirke

Executive Dean - Faculty of Education | Higher Colleges of Technology, UAE

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SESSION 3

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| 19:45 - 20:00 | Introduction |
| 20:00 - 21:00 | PISA Reporting
Miyako Ikeda
Senior Analyst OECD, France |
| 21:00 - 21:30 | Classroom Research Impacting Curriculum Development: A Case Study
Dr. Philip Quirke
Executive Dean - Faculty of Education Higher Colleges of Technology, UAE |
| 21:30 - 22:00 | Rating scales development and validation
Dr. Joaquín Cruz Trapero
Coordinator of Language Test Design and Validation Universidad de Jaén, Spain |
| 22:00 - 23:00 | Round table: Cambridge Colloquium <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Nick Saville
Director Research and Thought Leadership Cambridge Assessment English• Dr. Hanan Khalifa
Director, Education Transform & Impact Cambridge Assessment English• Clare Williams
Senior Assessment Manager Cambridge Assessment English• Laura Grimes
Senior Research Manager (Curriculum) Cambridge Assessment English• David Bradshaw
Senior Assessment Services Manager Cambridge Assessment English |
| 23:00 - 23:30 | A review of the university entrance exam in Madrid
Jesús García Laborda
Dean of Education Universidad de Alcalá de Henares, Spain
Dr. Miguel Fernández
Associate Professor Universidad Politécnica de Madrid, Spain |
| 23:30 - 24:00 | Break |
| 00:00 - 00:30
(24 th March) | Data and research in the Cambridge English Curriculum Framework
Clare Williams
Senior Assessment Manager Cambridge Assessment English
Laura Grimes
Senior Research Manager (Curriculum) Cambridge Assessment English |
| 00:30 - 01:00 | Debate as a teaching strategy in ELT
Dr. Letizia Cinganotto
Researcher INDIRE, Italy |

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SESSION 4

01:30 - 01:45

Introduction

01:45 - 02:45

Fostering pedagogical innovation in a time of crisis

Gisella Langé

Foreign Languages Inspector | Ministry of Education, Italy

Dr. Enrica Piccardo

Professor in Applied Linguistics | OISE - University of Toronto, Canada

02:45 - 03:15

Analysing learner language to inform the CEFR/CV descriptors: the FineDesc Project

Dr. Belén Díaz Bedmar

Universidad de Jaén, Spain

03:15 - 04:15

Using data to improve the WIDA Consortium's ACCESS for ELLs assessment and its impact on policy in the United States

Mark Chapman

Senior Assessment Innovation Manager | WIDA, USA

Gary Cook

Senior Director of Assessment | WIDA, USA

04:15 - 05:15

Round table:

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05:30 - 05:45

Closing

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