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## CALL FOR PAPERS

### **4<sup>th</sup> International Conference** ***Teaching English to Young Learners:*** ***Assessment and Learning*** **5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> June 2015**

The field of assessment has undergone many changes in recent years, particularly in the area of teaching English to young learners (TEYL). Current educational theories advocate a shift from using summative testing tools to applying alternative assessment techniques that focus on formative assessment. Recognising the fact that assessment is and should be an integrative part of the teaching and learning process, the conference aims to shed more light on various aspects of assessment in TEYL. We therefore invite proposals from researchers, scholars and practitioners in, but not restricted to, the following thematic areas:

- Assessment of language skills in TEYL
- Assessment strategies in TEYL
- Assessment and culture in TEYL
- Assessment and motivation in TEYL
- Assessment and differentiation in TEYL

#### **Confirmed plenary speakers:**

Professor Marianne Nikolov, PhD, University of Pécs, Hungary  
Professor Jelena Mihaljević Djigunović, PhD, University of Zagreb, Croatia  
Professor JoAnn (Jodi) Crandall, PhD, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, USA  
Professor Shelagh Rixon, PhD, University of Warwick, UK

#### **Proposal submissions:**

Please submit your proposal to [teyl2015@gmail.com](mailto:teyl2015@gmail.com) by **1<sup>st</sup> March 2015**, using the attached application form. Abstracts should be up to **300 words** long, with the papers focusing either on research and the empirical findings or developing the topic from a theoretical point of view. The notification of acceptance will be sent by **30<sup>th</sup> March 2015**. The working language of the conference will be English. A selection of papers will be published after the conference in a peer-reviewed edited collection.

#### **Presentation format:**

Paper presentations (20-minute presentations followed by 10-minute discussions)  
Poster presentations

#### **Programme committee (in alphabetical order):**

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