



# International *IATEFL Slovenia* Conference 2017

24th International IATEFL Slovenia conference

**I teach therefore I learn**

**THURSDAY, 9th MARCH 2017**

14.00 – 19.00 Registration of the participants

16.00 – 17.00

PLENARY

**This house regrets the fact that social media have become primary source of information**

(Debate club Logos, mentor Jakob Štraus)

17.30 – 18.00

**Official opening of the conference**

18.15 – 19.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Jean Linehan **The 6 (w)R's Read, Remember, Report, Write, Regroup and Recap**

PLENARY HALL 2 Nataša Meh **Tricks and Treats for the Busy Teacher**

19.00 – 20.00 Dinner break

20.30 – 22.00 **International get-to-know-each-other evening**

### **FRIDAY, 10th MARCH 2017**

7.00 – 7.30 Morning gymnastics in the pool

8.30 - 8.50

PLENARY HALL 2 Jasna Krajnc Sukič **Comenius+ grants for teachers**

ROOM 2 Sanja Radošević, Katarina Slapničar **How to incorporate ESP in technical and vocational schools** sec

ROOM 3 Irena Varga Dervarič **Online Learning**

8.50 - 9.00 Welcome, Changes etc.

9.00 – 10.00 **OPENING PLENARY**

Huw Jarvis

**I link therefore I am: issues for Education Technology and Continuing Professional Development in an online environment**

10.15 – 11.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Steven Lever **The Power of Play**

PLENARY HALL 2 Marša Jović, Tobija Siter **Imaginary Island** prim

ROOM 2 Huw Jarvis Q&A

ROOM 3 Luka Lavrin **What Tribal Leader Do You Want to Be?**

ROOM 4 Mateja Todorovski **Developing super minds thinking skills** ROKUS

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 – 12.15

PLENARY HALL 1 Mark Almond **The Art of Language Teaching and Power of Rapport ... in practice**

PLENARY HALL 2 Katarina Ule, Nick Kiley **Think-Pair-Share Yourself!**

ROOM 2 Mija Selič **Visual story and grammar** prim

ROOM 3 Aleksandra Jevtović **Pictures into Words**

ROOM 4 Nataša Puhner **And Remember, Always Reach for the Stars** comm

12.30 – 13.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Seán Thompson **Vocabulary: What needs to be taught and how?**

PLENARY HALL 2 Irena Škulj

**Q & A with mag. Irena Škulj, editor of new edition of Reach for the Stars series** comm

ROOM 2 Tadej Braček **Translating as the Highest Form of Mastering a Language**

ROOM 3 Janja Čolić, Sandra Vida **Survive** sec

ROOM 4 Nina Gorkič **A Picture is worth a Thousand Words**

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch break

14.15 – 15.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Margit Szesztay, Uwe Pohl **Ready, steady, talk! - ideas for classroom interaction** sec

PLENARY HALL 2 Regina Szuszkiewicz **Games-the key to grammar awareness**

ROOM 2 Gregor Pirš **Dos and don'ts of teaching reading**

ROOM 3 Bojana Mihelač **The best of both worlds, YL**

ROOM 4 Sanja Rašković **A bucket full of games and activities, prim**

15.15 - 15.45.

PLENARY HALL 1 Mariana Manolova **From DELTA to teaching Young learners – an inspirational personal challenge !**, prim

PLENARY HALL 2 Irena Kragel **The use of Pinterest in an ELT Classroom**

ROOM 2 Vera Stoilov Spasova **Kamishibai projects, prim**

ROOM 3 Bojana Nikic Vujic **Whole school approach in learning English**

ROOM 4 Alenka Gortan **Animal Farm in videoclips, Sec**

16.00 – 16.30 **Coffee break sponsored by OUP + raffle!**

16.30 – 17.15

PLENARY HALL 1 Peter Medgyes **Who's better: natives or nonnatives?**

PLENARY HALL 2 Barbara Dvornik **No technology, no problem!**

ROOM 2 Katja Leban **Phonics - Shall we start reading?, VYL, YL**

ROOM 3 Darja Vtič **Teaching Happiness Is a Serious Business, prim**

ROOM 4 Lynda Steyne

17.30 – 18.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Barbi Bujtás **Is your lesson user-friendly?**

PLENARY HALL 2 Sanja Božinović **Rubrics for Teachers and Students**

ROOM 2 Andreja Hazabent **Learning through Lego bricks**

ROOM 3 Branka Segvic **What we Teach 'Between the Lines' ..., prim**

18.15 - 19.15

PLENARY **Thom Jones Learning to teach, teaching to learn**

19.30 – 21.00 Dinner break

21.00 – 23.00 Social evening – **Irish dancing**

## **SATURDAY, 11th MARCH 2017**

7.00 – 8.00 Yoga session with Nicola Epps - gym

8.30 - 8.50

PLENARY HALL 2 Maja Savorgnani **Shakespeare: Lost in translation, sec**

ROOM 2 Tanja Fajmut **(No) smartphones in the classroom, please!**  
ROOM 3 Petra Mikeln **How to “formatively” choose a perfect present, prim**  
ROOM 4 Tanja Stare Pušavec **CLIL is here**

8.50 - 9.00 Welcome, Changes etc.

9.00 – 10.00 PLENARY Mark Almond **The Art of Language Teaching and Power of Rapport**

10.15 – 11.00

PLENARY HALL 1 Queenie Tan **3 Strategies For Working Effectively With Children With Learning Difficulties**  
PLENARY HALL 2 Valeria Arva **English in the kindergarten: Is it worth it?, vyl**  
ROOM 2 MacArthur Jen **13 Ways of Using Poetry in the EFL Classroom**  
ROOM 3 Vesna Popovic, Dragana Jovanovic Kupresanin **Teaching Vocabulary**  
ROOM 4 Mark Almond Q&A

11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 – 12.15

PLENARY HALL 1 Mojca Belak **Keenly kinaesthetic – classroom activities for body-smart students**  
PLENARY HALL 2 Danny Singh **Learning English through the mind and the body**  
ROOM 2 Nicola Epps **A picture paints a thousand words**  
ROOM 3 Zoran Ristović **Multilingual Corpora in the Classroom**  
ROOM 4 Adela Tompoš **Equal Chances, prim**

12.30 – 13.30 PLENARY HALL 2 **AGM** Annual general meeting

13. 30 – 14.30 Lunch break

14.30 - 15.15

PLENARY HALL 1 Karen White **Practising grammar can be fun**  
PLENARY HALL 2 Nina Stankovič **Very young EFL learners - what to do with them?, VYL**  
ROOM 2 Nada Đukić **Why critical thinking matters in language teaching and learning**  
ROOM 3 Helena Miklavčič Jakovac **Life lessons to learn in English Matura poems, sec**

15.30 – 16.15

PLENARY HALL 1 Barbi Bujtás **Lip sync is a learning tool**  
PLENARY HALL 2 Claudia Molnár **Overcoming Lack of Confidence to Improve Language Competence**  
ROOM 2 Jelena Spasic **Storytelling with The Giving Tree**  
ROOM 3 Breda Banovšek, Anja Kotnik Lebar **It's tea time!, prim**

16.15 – 16.45 Coffee break

16.45 – 17.45 PLENARY Peter Medgyes **Why won't the little beasts behave?**

18.00 – 18.45

PLENARY HALL 1 Vassiliki Mandalou **Poetry in Motion: the hidden kinesthetic Philosophy**  
PLENARY HALL 2 László Katona, Nóra Tartsay Németh **Science Experiments and ICT in the English Classroom**  
ROOM 2 Tjaša Lemut Novak **Teamwork = ideal work**  
ROOM 3 Klavdija Kremlj Slana **Bringing Language Learning to Life: Start Your Own Language Camp!**

18.45 – 19.30

PLENARY HALL 2 **Paraffin bath** for your hands

19.15 – 20.30 Dinner break

20.30 – 23.00 Social evening:  
raffle of main prizes, sketch show, lip-sync battle

**SUNDAY, 12th MARCH 2017**

9.00 – 9.45

PLENARY HALL 1 Przemysław Łazaronek **Let it flow. How to keep spirits high and avoid trouble**

PLENARY HALL 2 Lidija Branilović **Students teach, I learn**

ROOM 2 Polona Vičič **Enhancing language teaching and learning through Moodle**

Room 3 Milan Mandeljc

10.00 - 11.00

CLOSING PLENARY **Steven Lever: 21st Century Skills Taught by 21st Century Teachers**

Announcement of the winners of poetry competition

11.10 - 11.30 Open space: time for reflection