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Pre-registration closing for the Korea TESOL International Conference

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Discounts and benefits with pre-registration end this Saturday, October 1, 2016, for the [24th Annual Korea TESOL International Conference](#). Hosted by Sookmyung Women's University, the Korea TESOL International Conference, Oct. 15-16, 2016, welcomes scholars, educators, and teachers from around the world.

The theme of the conference, "Shaping the Future with 21st Century Skills," highlights innovation in all areas of education. Conference Chair Jamie Carson explained that she "wanted to make sure that there are new and exciting things for everyday teachers." With more than 200 sessions to choose from over two days, attendees are sure to learn new and exciting things.

The conference's [featured speakers](#) are experts in ELT fields. Saturday's plenary speaker Thomas S.C. Ferrell, of Brock University in Canada, is a leading researcher in the area of reflective practice. Tracey Tokuhama-Espinosa, Sunday's plenary speaker is a researcher in mind, brain and education science, who will discuss the five major changes to hit education in the 21st century. Other noteworthy presenters on the feature speaker list include Dr. Boyoung Lee, the well-known radio host and English educator, and Robert S. Murphy, a leading voice for neuroELT in Asia.

As Korea TESOL President Lindsay Herron points out:

"The KOTESOL International Conference is a fantastic opportunity to explore new perspectives, gain new insights, reflect on your teaching, and socialize with teachers from around the globe."

Those interested in attending may pre-register online by October 1, 2016. Attendees who pre-register will receive a discount and are guaranteed a conference bag and program book.

After October 1 registration will only be available on-site, with free bags and program books limited to the first 200 on-site registered attendees.

For more information about KOTESOL, please go to <https://koreatesol.org/> and for more information about the International Conference navigate to <https://koreatesol.org/IC2016/about>

2-Day Conference Pass	Pre-registration	Onsite Registration
KOTESOL Members	50,000	60,000
Non-members	75,000	85,000
Groups (5+ people)	65,000	Not available
Undergraduate students	25,000	35,000

Additional information:

Plenary Speakers

Thomas S.C. Farrell – Brock University, Canada

Tracey Tokuhama-Espinosa – Harvard University Extension School, USA

Featured Speakers

Willy A. Renandya – National Institute of Education, Singapore

William Littlewood – Hong Kong Baptist University

Robert S. Murphy – University of Kitakyushu, Japan

Boyoung Lee (이보영) – Ewha Womans University, Seoul

Burcu Tezcan-Unal – IATEFL TTed-SIG & Zayed University, UAE

Todd Beuckens – ELLLO & Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Japan

Kara Mac Donald – Defense Language Institute, USA

Lynda Yates – Macquarie University, Australia

Invited Speakers

Chuck Sandy – iTTi: International Teacher Training Institute, Japan

Whitney Mirts – Regional English Language Officer (RELO), U.S.

Embassy in Manila

Richard Waddell - Australian Centre for Education Campus in Siem Reap / CamTESOL

Web resources

Photos of the major speakers, and more information, is available from <https://koreatesol.org/ic2016/Major-Speakers>

General information on the conference from <https://koreatesol.org/ic2016>

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Conference image



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