

# Daegu-Gyeongbuk KOTESOL E-Bulletin ~ January 2016

## January 2016 Workshop/New Year's Party Program

Daegu-Gyeongbuk KOTESOL begins the New Year by **meeting in a new, easy-to-reach venue downtown** (see details below)

Speakers: Will Wickham & Jeroen 'Chop' Root

Topics: ePortfolio: Seesaw & Goal Setting for Professional Development in the New Year

Date: Saturday, January 9, 2016

Time: 3:00pm – 5:00pm

Venue: ELMO Study Cafe, Downtown Daegu

Directions: a) Take Exit 10 from Banwoldang Station b) Go straight and turn left at 메트로약국 c) Turn left at the first intersection d) ELMO Study Café is on your right – look for the orange “ELMO” sign)

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### ePortfolio

#### Abstract

Imagine a class where every paper, conversation, video creation or weblink could be chronicled, shared and commented on all in one app. Seesaw: The Learning Journal allows you to do just that. In this interactive workshop you get hands on experience with this easy to set up and use app. We will also do a bit of app smashing and then brainstorm possible activities or projects Seesaw could facilitate.

#### About the Presenter:

William Wickham currently facilitates learning at Daegu National University of Education where he attempts to guide future elementary school teachers to becoming inspiring educators. He has a BA in English and finished an MA in Educational Technology from Boise State University in 2012. He is mostly interested in blended learning environments, technology supported PBL and helping educators find novel, authentic approaches to delivering and assessing lessons.

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### Professional Development

#### Abstract

It's time to hit the ground running in 2016! With the New Year upon us, educators should be making New Year's resolutions to pursue professional development. But where to begin? In this short, interactive mini-session, we will brainstorm, share our ideas and narrow these down into clear objectives which we can set to motivate ourselves and prosper in 2016.

#### About the Presenter:

Jeroen Root is currently a Visiting Professor at Kyungpook National University in Daegu. He completed his MA in TESOL at the University of Auckland, New Zealand in 2012. His professional interests include second language reading and writing, project-based learning, assessment, and gifted education, as well as reflective practice and teacher development.

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