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English Teachers Gather in Seoul for Two-Day Conference

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On October 15-16, about one thousand English educators will meet in Seoul for the 24th Annual Korea TESOL International Conference hosted by Sookmyung Women's University. The two-day conference supports Korea TESOL's mission to "assist teachers in self-development and improve ELT in Korea." However, there will be a number of presenters and attendees from around the world. As Korea TESOL President Lindsay Herron puts it:

"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."

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, Korea TESOL International Conference attendees are sure to learn new and exciting things.

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>

Additional information:**Pricing**

2-Day Conference Pass	Onsite Registration
KOTESOL Members	60,000
Non-members	85,000
Undergraduate students	35,000
Sunday only	
KOTESOL Members	40,000
Non-members	60,000
Undergraduate students	20,000

Major Speakers**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 Mirrts – 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>

Background on KOTESOL, and photos, available from the menu on the page <https://koreatesol.org/media/>



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