

# PROMOTING ELT: “DIVERSE PERSPECTIVES & NEW HORIZONS”

## LETTER OF INVITATION

In order to create a forum for the national and international teaching and learning communities and to share different perspectives, while applying new and modern approaches in teaching and learning English, the Ho Chi Minh City University of Education will host the **3rd International Conference on English Language Teaching** entitled **"Promoting ELT: Diverse Perspectives and New Horizons"**.

The details of the workshop are as follows:

### 1. Purpose

To raise the academic issues in teaching foreign languages in general with a particular interest in English, and to promote the application of current approaches in foreign language learning, while improving the effectiveness of transferring skills of foreign languages.

### 2. Time and location of conference

- From 8am till 5pm on Saturday the 25<sup>th</sup> of August, 2018
- Convention Hall B and Panel Rooms B404, B405, and B604 at the Ho Chi Minh City University of Education located at 280 An Duong Vuong Street, Ward 4, District 5, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

### 3. Participants:

The international conference aims to welcome approximately 120 delegates. They are:

- scientists and experts from international universities and institutions of learning from Australia, New Zealand, Japan, Indonesia, Taiwan, Singapore, and other countries;
- managers, lecturers, teachers from national universities, educational institutions, and schools that teach English in Vietnam;
- language specialists, educators, and psychologists interested in the topic of the conference.

### 4. Article topic and format requirements of conference

#### 4.1. Topics:

The article presentations should focus on one of the following issues:

- To share experiences and new findings on teaching and learning foreign languages;
- To analyze and evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of current English teaching;

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- To introduce or propose new approaches and methods to improve English language teaching and learning in educational institutions;
- To promote professional development in the field of multi-faceted English teaching and learning, including current issues as well as urgent changes;
- To position English teaching in schools, educational establishments and centers; share current issues in foreign language competency-based testing and assessment; and
- To suggest awareness, evaluate and propose solutions in training English language teachers in order to meet the trends in diversified views and applications of new findings in teaching English.

## 4.2. Format:

- Abstract: approximately 300 to 500 words in English. This includes the title, author(s) (without academic titles). Abstract format includes: problem, aim, theory, method, and findings, followed by 5 to 7 keywords. Biodata: approximately 70 words.
- Full paper: Maximum 10 pages in English in the following format: Times New Roman font, size 12, A4 size paper (210mm x 297mm), including graphs, tables and APA references. Top margin: 20mm, bottom margin: 20mm, left margin: 35mm, right margin: 25mm, spacing 1.3.

## 5. Registration of intended speakers to participate and present papers at the conference panels

- Register to participate not later than the 10<sup>th</sup> of August, 2018.
- Register interest by submitting an abstract and biodata not later than the 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2018.

Register and submit abstracts online at [uetesol.weebly.com](http://uetesol.weebly.com).

- After receiving confirmation by email, submit the full paper not later than the 1<sup>st</sup> of August, 2018.

Email address for submitting full papers: [tungnth@hcmue.edu.vn](mailto:tungnth@hcmue.edu.vn)

The selected papers will be published in the conference proceedings by the Ho Chi Minh City University of Education Press (ISBN) and available before the conference commences, or in the Scientific Journal of the university (ISSN).

Articles of high quality and direct relevance to the theme of the conference will be selected by the organizing committee and invited to be presented at the conference.

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## 6. Fees for the delegates and participants

- For national delegates and participants: 500,000 VND / person.
- For international delegates and participants: 50USD / person.

Account information: Ho Chi Minh City University of Education, account number: 1606201017670 at An Phu Branch of Ho Chi Minh City Agribank. Please specify: **Participant's full name + "Fees for ELT Conference 2018"**.

## 7. Contact information

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The Organizing Committee would like to invite all interested scientists, educational administrators, lecturers, and teachers of English to attend and send papers to the conference.

Best regards.

Recipients:

- As above;
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