

The JALT task-based learning SIG in association with The University of Central Lancashire, UK and Osaka Shoin Women's University, Japan present:

Task-based learning and teaching in Asia:

Challenges and Opportunities

Featuring Plenary Speakers David Carless and Michael Thomas and two days of presentations and workshops from TBLT practitioners and theorists from around Asia and beyond.



David Carless

"Task-based language teaching in Confucian-heritage settings: prospects and challenges"

David Carless is Associate Professor in the Faculty of Education at The University of Hong Kong and is a well-known researcher and writer in the fields of task-based learning as well as assessment and the management of educational change.

Michael Thomas

"Tasks, Technologies and Asian Students: Beyond Digital Natives"

Michael Thomas is a senior lecturer in IDBC and Language Learning Technologies at the University of Central Lancashire, UK. He is the author of many books on technology and language learning, including "Task-based Language Learning and Teaching with Technology".



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