

# PGR Symposium 2010

**Venue:** Trent Building A46

## Conference Programme

Day 1 - 12th May		
Time Slot	Subject/Activity	
09:30	Welcome	
09:45	Session 1 Chair - Dr Louise Mullany	
	Anthony Fisher - Debate or Dominate? Gender and Power in Mediated Political Discourse	LM & KH
	Daniel Hunt - Early results in the study of online discussions of anorexia	KH & RC
	Florentina Taylor - The public selves of foreign language learners	LM & KH
	Pawel Szudarski - The impact of explicit teaching on the use of formulaic language by learners of English as a foreign language	RC & LM
10:45	Coffee Break	
11:15	Session 2 Chair - Dr Sarah Davison	
	Clare Wright - Movement, Kinaesthesia and Early English Drama	JD & NR
	Joseph Anderton - Mastery and Ownership: Beckett's Creatures and Derrida's Cat	JM & MR
	Gill Brigg - The power of transformation	GR & JR
	Comfort Break	
	Elaine Hudson - Writing Sylvia, Sylvia Writing	SM & LKS
	James Haddow - Performing Context	JR & MR
12:45	Lunch	
13:45	Session 3 Chair - Clare Wright	
	Annette Jones - Patterns of use shown by Runic Graffiti in Stavechurches in Medieval Norway	JJ & CL
	Teva Vidal - At Home with the Vikings: What's Hiding Behind a Stereotype	JJ & CL
	Natasha Hedderman - Grendel: monster or stranger	RM & JM
14:30	Afternoon Coffee and Biscuits	
15:00	Session 4 Chair - Professor Peter Stockwell	
	Dave Peplow - Negotiating interpretations of Joyce's 'The Dead' in the book group setting	PS & VS
	Wenjuan Yuan - Poets as Painters: Towards a Cognitive Account of British and Chinese Landscape Poetry	PS & KC
	Duttawan Insorn - A stylistic analysis on contact literature in Thai EFL context	RC & KH
	Marcello Giovanelli - The <i>Feel</i> of Keats: Negotiating and Navigating the Worlds of John Keats' Final Poem	PG & KH
16:30	Conclusion	
Day 2 - 13th May		
Time Slot	Subject/Activity	
9:30	Session 5 Chair - Professor Josephine Guy	
	Daniel Weston - Plots: narrating place in contemporary literature	JS & DJ
	Klaudia Lee - Reconfiguration of Dickensian Cityscape Across Cultures	JG & JS
	Sarah Townley - 'I leave the reader to estimate': Literary, Form and Modes of Attention in Henry James' <i>The Tragic Muse</i> (1890)	JG & DJ
	Comfort Break	
	Ivan Pregnolo - Byron on the Historical Spot: Received Knowledge, Accuracy and Legitimacy	MG & LP
	Lucia Lemen - 'And where is the impiety in loving celestial natures?' Byron's <i>Heaven and Earth</i>	BH & MG
	Paul Whickman - A Promethean Conqueror: The Portrayal of Christ in Percy Bysshe Shelley's <i>Prometheus Unbound</i>	LP & MG
11:15	Morning Coffee and Biscuits	
11:30	Session 6 Chair - Dr Kevin Harvey	
	Jim King - Silence in second language learning: a mixed methods investigation	ZD
	Colin Gallagher - The Impact of Network Centrality on the Willingness to Communicate in the L2 (L2 WTC)	ZD
	Michael Magid - Enhancing the Vision of Chinese International Students' Ideal Second Language Self: An Intervention Programme	ZD

12:30	Lunch - During this lunch Break Ron Martinez and Maria-Eirini Panagiotidou will be in A54 with their poster presentations: <b>A Phrasal Expressions List for Vocabulary Testing</b> and <b>Towards a Cognitive Model for Intertextuality</b>		
13:45	Session 7 Chair - Dr Neal Alexander		
	Nicola Bowring - Man vs Monsters: Otherness and Community in Matheson's <i>I Am Legend</i>	MG	&
	Jude Roberts - 'Embodying men': writing from the body in Iain M. Banks's Culture novels	MG MnF	
	Madhu Krishnan - Perspectives on Exoticism and Metonymy in Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie's <i>Half a Yellow Sun</i>	PS & MnF	
	Tim Wheelhouse - Collecting Allan: The role of the Editor in Haggard's Allan Quatermain novels	MnF	
14:45	Afternoon Coffee and biscuits		
15:00	Session 8 Chair - Professor Norbert Schmitt		
	Anne Li-E Liu - Multi-word discourse markers in use: the patterns in spoken and written corpora	SA	&
	Ana Pellicer-Sánchez - Using reaction times to assess vocabulary knowledge	NS	
	Alice Doherty - Using the Visual World Paradigm to explore French Pronoun Processing	KC WvH	
	Suhad Sonbul - Acquisition of Collocations by Adult Natives: The Interface of Explicit and Implicit Knowledge	NS	
16:30	Pre-Lecture Drinks Reception		
17:00	Lecture by Professor Dominic Head - 'H. E. Bates: Reading Against the Nostalgic Grain'		