



Annual Conference for Teachers of English 2017

Seizing opportunities in ELT

June 15th, 8am to 6pm
Convention Center, Hotel Dominican Fiesta



El Dominico Americano
Santo Domingo
Dominican Republic

7:30 -9:00 am	Late Registration and tote bag pick up				
8:00-8:50am	Concurrent sessions I				
	Thiago Ribeiro The Power Beyond Stories <i>Salon Pitiusas</i>	Raul Billini Teaching English Pronunciation to Spanish Speakers: Enhanced Priorities and Opportunities. <i>Salon Churchill</i>	Ramon Rodriguez Differentiated Instruction: A Humanistic Approach to Targeting Students <i>Salon La Niña</i>		
9:00 -10:00 am.	OPENING CEREMONY				
10:00-10:50 am.	OPENING PLENARY Dudley Reynolds - From Threat to Opportunity: The Road Ahead for ELT Professionals <i>Gran Salon Ambar</i>				
10: 50-11:10 am	Coffee Break/ Exhibitor Sessions and Activities				
11:10-12 M	Plenary Session II Josephine Kennedy - Seizing Opportunities for Professional Development: Stories of Reinvention and Hope <i>Gran Salon Ambar</i>				
12:00-1:15 pm.	Luncheon for all participants- <i>Gran Salon Ambar</i>				
1:15-2:05am	Concurrent sessions II				
	Roger Ramirez Bringing Culture to Life in the Classroom <i>Salon Pitiusas</i>	Lisa de los Santos & Lissette Perez Non-violent communication for classroom management <i>Salon Churchill</i>	Chad Roche Building classroom community through music <i>Salon La Niña</i>	Alexander Cueto &Anabel Camacho Coaching : Inside and outside the classroom <i>Salon La Pinta</i>	
2:15 -3:05pm	Concurrent sessions III				
	Josephine Kennedy Literature Circles: Getting Students Excited about Reading and Group Collaboration <i>Salon Pitiusas</i>	Dudley Reynolds Seizing Opportunities to Teach: Lesson Designing from Scratch <i>Salon Regency</i>	Rick Rosenberg Strategies for Activating Tasks and Materials <i>Salon Churchill</i>	Laura Zalazar To BE or Not To BE <i>Salon La Niña</i>	Nicolas Cardenas Fluency activities: Unscrewing the training wheels <i>Salon La Pinta</i>
3:05-3:20 pm	Coffee Break/ Exhibitor Sessions and Activities				
3:20-4:10 pm.	Academic Session				
	Mary Scholl Knock, knock. Who's really there and how does that affect learning? <i>Salon Regency</i>			Eleanor Henning Back to Basics: Building Motivation in a Learning Community <i>Salon Ambar</i>	
4:20-5:30 pm.	Plenary Session III & Closing Ceremony Rick Rosenberg - Gaming and Activating the EFL Classroom: Techniques,Resources, Courses, Communities <i>Gran Salon Ambar</i>				