



Welcome to the 2019 Annual Emerald Coast TESOL Winter Conference!

Theme: Exploring Paths to Literacy Proficiency

When: Saturday, February 9, 2019, from 9:30 am-3:00 pm

Where: Building 71, International Center, University of West Florida

Registration Fee: \$25.00

Tentative Conference at a Glance

9:30 – 10:00 Registration

10:00 – 10:10 Welcome: Ms. Rachel Hendrix, Executive Director, International Affairs, University of West Florida

Overview of Conference : Dr. Arlene Costello, President, Emerald Coast TESOL

10:15 – 10:55 Keynote Speaker: Ms. Ginger Alberto, Program Director, Student Achievement through Language Acquisition, Florida Department of Education

Topic: Meeting the Needs of English Learners in Literacy Proficiency

11:00 – 11:30 Concurrent Sessions

11:35 – 12:00 Lunch and 12:00 – 12:15 Cultural Performances DOOR PRIZES

12:20 – 1:00 Feature Presentation: Dr. John Pecore, Associate Professor University of West FL

Topic: Writing a winning TESOL grant proposal

1:05 – 1:35 Concurrent Sessions

1:40 – 2:15 Concurrent Sessions

2:20 – 2:50 Special Presentation General Session

The Dynamics of Literacy: Language and Science

Dr. Vanessa Mangual, Bi-literacy Consultant, Benchmark Education

2:50 – 3:00 Brief Business Meeting

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3:00 – 3:20 ECTESOL Board Meeting Conference Room

Please register by January 26, 2019. You may bring your payment onsite on the day of the conference.

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