



## IATEFL BESIG Facilitator Scholarship

The IATEFL BESIG Facilitator Scholarship is for a teacher to attend the IATEFL Conference and to give a presentation during the BESIG Showcase.

This scholarship is for a teacher who has been a Business English SIG (BESIG) member for at least six months and will be awarded to a person interested in starting up and/or facilitating local Business English events in their home areas and contributing to BESIG through articles for Business Issues or for BESIG's web-based communication tools.

### *The award consists of:*

- registration for the BESIG Pre-Conference Event
- registration for the IATEFL Annual Conference
- travel costs up to a maximum of GBP 500.00 against receipts

### *To qualify you must:*

- have been a member of IATEFL and the Business English SIG for at least 6 months at the time you apply
- have participated in BESIG, e.g. by writing an article for the newsletter, contributing to the blog, doing a weekend workshop, taking part in the BESIG Electronic Village Online session, or organizing a local event.
- be willing to give a presentation or lead a workshop on an aspect of teaching business English during the BESIG Showcase at the IATEFL Annual Conference
- undertake to promote BESIG in your area as well as to organize and/ or report on Business English events
- have good ICT skills and a sound knowledge of Web 2.0 technologies
- write a report on your 2019 Conference experience for the Business Issues newsletter by the end of July 2019

### *To be considered you should submit:*

- an online speaker proposal on Business English by the scholarship deadline
- a 400-500-word summary outlining your plans for facilitating business English in your area

The submission deadline is **16.00 (UK time) on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2018**. Early submissions are very welcome; late submissions will not be considered.

The results will be announced between Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2018 and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Please do NOT contact the IATEFL Head Office about scholarship decisions; the Scholarship Committee will send everyone the results as soon as they are available.