

## Learning Technologies SIG Roving Reporter

A travel fund to assist attendance at the IATEFL Annual Conference in Brighton 2018. You do not have to be a member of IATEFL to apply. The award is open to all, though the winner will be expected to become actively involved in the LTSIG.

The roving reporter scholarship is aimed at a tech-minded educator who wishes to attend IATEFL and the LTSIG PCE event to write articles and create media on sessions they attended.

Over the course of the conference the scholarship winner will be expected to attend a number of technology related talks and report and write articles on them for LTSIG members. It is expected that at least one of the articles will be produced during the conference. They will also be expected to provide a review of the LTSIG PCE event and SIG Showcase. The exact sessions will be determined prior to the conference in consultation with the LTSIG committee.

Additionally the scholarship winner will be asked to produce small video and / or audio clips to help capture the feel of the conference.

Articles and media will be used by the LTSIG on their website and any LTSIG publications.

### **The award consists of:**

- registration for the LTSIG Pre-Conference Event
  - registration for the IATEFL Annual Conference
  - one year's IATEFL and LTSIG individual membership for the following year
  - an economy flight to the UK (up to a maximum of GBP 1000.00)\*
  - GBP 500.00 towards conference-related expenses
- \*this includes the cost of flights but not the cost of stopovers, we will require receipt of the economy flight before we can award the cash payment.

### **To qualify you must:**

- Watch the session from IATEFL Glasgow at this link:  
<https://iatefl.britishcouncil.org/2017/session/outside-bringing-new-technology-perspectives-elt-0>
- Write a review of 400-500 words on one of the talks within the session that would explicitly give a non-viewer an overview of the talk and the key points from it.
- Submit a statement in either video or audio format stating
  1. who you are
  2. how attending the conference will benefit you personally
  3. how you will disseminate your learning from the conference in your local ESL/EFL community

**NB: Since the application form does not allow for the uploading of media, you will need share your statement with us by including a link to it on the Internet. For example upload it to YouTube or share it via any cloud based account.**

- Submit a passport size photo (for inclusion in the conference programme and on the scholarship poster if you win – remember to smile! Please refer to the General Guidelines for full photo requirements)

The submission deadline is **16.00 (UK time) on Tuesday 18th July 2017**. Early submissions are very welcome; late submissions will not be considered.

The results will be announced between **Monday 28th August 2017** and **Thursday 7th September 2017**. Please do NOT contact the IATEFL Head Office about scholarship decisions; the Scholarship Working Party (SWP) will send everyone the results as soon as they are available.