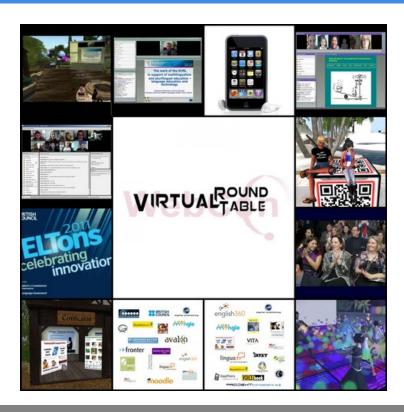


About us



... a unique web conference on language learning technologies which brings together

- Practitioners
- · Educational technologies and
- Language service providers and publishers

15-17 April **2021**

www.virtual-round-table.com

Target group: English teachers

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The VIRTUAL ROUND TABLE web conference is a web conference dedicated to language learning technologies. It is aimed at educators and language teaching professionals in language schools, institutes or other language related organisations.

It is held **entirely online** using virtual classroom technology and virtual world such as Second Life and provides a superb opportunity to profile one's company as being truly 'state-of-the-art' in understanding and promoting Internet-based learning.

Many appreciative comments from past conferences testify that the conference demonstrates well our efforts to provide "innovative, inspiring and sociable teacher training" for language teaching professionals around the globe.

The Virtual Round table has been sponsored by Heike Philp, CEO of let's talk online sprl.



The previous VIRTUAL ROUND TABLE WebConferences saw a total of **500+ presenters** offering **hundreds of sessions** to **6000+ unique visitors** and more than **2600 signed up** on the conference website. These were from the following fields:

- Language teaching professionals
- Directors of Studies
- Teacher training organisations
- Programme Managers and Education Administrators
- Technology and Service Providers
- Training Consultants and Company Representatives
- Deans, Directors and Researchers from Universities and the Higher Education Sector

The VIRTUAL ROUND TABLE Web Conference is unique because ... it is a free web conference for language teaching professionalsit takes place in a virtual classroom solution without installation, log-in nor any registration requiredit is solely dedicated to language teaching and learning with technology. ALL of the sessions are being recorded.



















Guest speakers included amongst others (listed in alphabetical order)...

- ...honorable guest speakers such as Dr. Waldemar Martyniuk of ECML who presented the opening speech at the 2ndVIRTUAL ROUND TABLE conference about the work of ECML in the area of language learning and technology
- ...researchers and representatives of CALL(Computer Assisted Language Learning) organizations such as Stephen Bax, Graham Davies, John Gillespie, Ton Koenraad, Inge-Anna Koleff, Andrew Lian, Robert O'Dowd et al.
- ...Second Life experts such as Helen Myers [Karelia Kondor], Hajnalka Beck [Dorka Nemeth], Nergiz Kern [Daffodil Fargis], Ylva Lindberg, Chris Smith [Shamblesguru], Dennis Newson [Osnacantab Nesterov], Joe Pereira [Creed Juran], Shiv Rajendran [Kingsbury Yeats], Edith Paillat [Cyber Placebo], David Richardson [Davidric Rinkitink], Graham Stanley [Baldric Commons], Dr. Doris Molero [Pionia Destiny], Paul Sweeney [Paolo Inventor], Amparo Cervantes [Amparo Delvalle], Kae Novak [Kavon Zenovka] and others.
- ...teacher trainers and teacher training organisations such as Shaun Wilden of International House, Gavin Dudeney of The Consultants-E, Pete Sharma and Kevin Westbrook of Pete Sharma Associate, Russell Stannard of TeacherTrainingVideos, Marisa Constantinides of CELTAthens, Holly Longstroth of ViTA Virtual Teachers Agency, Lindsay Clanfield Marina Petrovic of EduCo, Karenne Sylvester of KalinagoEnglish.
- ...EU funded projects and other organisations, NGOs such as MUVENATION, AVALON, NIFLAR, ARGuing, eCLIL, IATET, Chain Stories, Lullabies from the Cradle, Don't give up, EduComics, EuroLib, Web2.0ERC, TOOL for Online and Offline Language Learning, AVATAR, APLaNet.
- ...**ELTons winners and nominees** such as Lindsay Clanfield, Nicky Hockly, David Warr, Marcos Benavides, Philip Gienandt, Charles Goodger, Nik Peachey, Rob Howard and others.
- ... webservices, publishers, products vendors and industry representatives such as Graham Stanley and Sirin Soyoz of the British Council, Deborah Capras of Business Spotlight, Bernhard Niesner of Busuu.com, Tim Darling of digital publishing AG, Brad Patterson of EduLang, Stace Wills of Elluminate, Kenny Christian of English Profi, Valentina Dodge and Emma Watson of English 360, Paul Maglione of English Attack Site, Carol Rainbow of Learn4Life, Andrew Donnelly of Mikogo, Simon Beeston of Oxford English Testing, Lukas Palecek of Fronter, Arkady Zilbermann of Language-bridge, Philip Gienandt of LinguaTV, Ben Palmer of OURLesson, Jeff Evans of MindSnack, Lars Gyorvari of phase6, Paul East of Pyramid Group, Ben Buckwold of Red River Press, Duane Sider of Rosetta Stone Inc., Janusz Hamerski of SolarNet, Henry Hon of Vyew, Anthony Green of VOICEBook, Karenne-Joy Sylvester of Voxy, Gagan Biyani of Udemy and others.
- ...Live online language schools and individual live online teachers such as Shiv Rajendran of LanguageLab, Gerhilde Meissl-Egghart von Talkademy, Stefan Booy of Myngle, Lukas Palecek of WebSchool, Monica Thomas of AdLib, Stephen Jones, Soaad, Hala EL-Khawanky, Vyara Daskalova.
- ... bloggers, web 2.0 enthusiasts and individual language teachers such as Burcu Akyol, Sean Banville, Tara Benwell, Genevieve Besser, Antonella Berriolo, Janet Bianchini, Isil Boy, Paul Braddock,

Paul Breibisch, Neal Chambers, Andy Chaplin, Kalyan Chattopadhyay, V Anitha Devi, Nataly Eydelman, Seth Dickens, David Dodgson, Carl Dowse, Guido Europeaantje, Alexandra Francisco, Mike Harrison, Judie Haynes, Barbara Hoskins Sakamoto, Vicki Hollett, Ozge Karaoglu, Cornelia Kreis-Meyer, Tamas Lorincz, Sue Lyon-Jones, Miguel Mendoza, Helen Myers, Henrick Oprea, Nik Peachey, Marina Petrovic, Nicholas Provenzana, Ed Russell, Greta Sandler, Björn Sauerhammer, Vicky Saumell, Tyson Seburn, Faisal Ibrahim al Shamari, Bethany Smith, Shelly Terrell, Silvia Rosenthal Tolisano, Berni Wall, Kirsten Winkler.

... **networkers** such as Kenny Christian (EnglishProfi), Angelika Güttl-Steinhofer (DaF Community) and Maeshell West-Davies (sosocial club)

...Webheads such as Teresa Almeida d'Eca, Carla Arena, Daniela Cuccurullo, Michael Coghlan, Erika Cruvinel, Barbara Dieu, Dafne Gonzalez, Elizabeth Hansen-Smith, Evelyn Izequierdo, Miguel Mendoza, Dr. Doris Molero, Miguel Mendoza, Patrick Murphy, Vance Stevens, Jennifer Verschoor and many more

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Testimonials

"The recent Virtual Round Table conference resulted in a powerful exchange of ideas among accomplished peers that belied its comfortable, intimate ambience. The events were carried off flawlessly using video conferencing, and the recordings make a substantial contribution to the burgeoning multiliterature on the field of language learning through technology. The organizers are to be thanked and congratulated." Vance, UAE

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- I've spoken at many conferences and conducted workshops in the "real world", but the best response I've had is still from Virtual Roundtable. Let's do it again! *Mauricio*, *Australia*
- To join such a conference, from the comfort of home, at times which suited me, was a delight. I made contact with others around the world who had interesting opinions and were happy to share them. I would love to take part in another virtual conference. *Sue, USA*



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