Series of Research- and Practice-Based Seminars 2016

Date & Venue	Session Topic and Speaker
8 Jan; 11:00 to 12:00	Social Class and the Visual in Mathematics
Venue: BA05	Dr. Peter Gates, UNUK
16 Feb; 11am - 1pm	Teacher-Student Interaction: The Micro-Moments
Venue: BA64	Mr. Rustam Babayev, MA TESOL student, UNMC
29 Feb; 2 – 4 pm	Doctor Speak: Language in Medicine
Venue: BA64	Ms. Felicia Ong, Doctoral student, UNMC
1 Apr; 10am - 12pm	The Teaching Labyrinth
Venue: BA64	Ms. Phoebe Yong, BEd TESOL student, UNMC
28 Apr; 2 - 4 pm	Englishes in the Philipines: One Size Does Not Fit All
Venue: F1A09	Associate Professor Isabel Pefianco Martin, Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines.
5 May; 9am - 4pm Venue: F4C10	Beyond My Little Fingers Workshop on teaching Mathematics to young children and children with special needs
	Dr. Tida Tubpun, Thammasat University, Thailand
21 Nov; 11 a.m to 12 p.m.	Is this academy a place where teacher agency can flourish?
Venue : F3B03	Dr. Neal McGowan, University of Stirling.
23 Nov; 2:00- 4:00pm	The role of the English language in the internationalisation of education
Venue: F1A22	Dr. Tida Tubpun and Dr. Pimsiri Taylor, Thammasat University, Thailand
6 Dec; 1 - 2 pm	Interaction, Embodiment and Technologies in Early Learning
Venue: F1a03	Dr Andrew Manches, Chancellor's Fellow in the School of Education and Leader of the Children and Technology group at the University of Edinburgh.

15 and 16 Dec; 9:30 am - 4:45 pm

Venue: F4LG06

Workshop: Language and Literacy Research in a Multilingual Context

Programme:

Research presentations

- The complexities of acquiring literacy skills in English (Associate Professor Daisy Powell, Institute of Education, University of Reading, UK)
- Word recognition in the Malay language (Prof Lee Lay Wah, School of Educational Studies, Universiti Sains Malaysia)
- Identification of bilingual children at-risk for language and learning difficulties (Associate Professor Susan J. Rickard Liow and Dr Mary Lee Lay Choo, National University of Singapore)
- Cross-language transfer of early literacy skills in Malay and English speaking children (Dr Wong Tze Peng, School of Education, University of Nottingham Malaysia)
- Appraising children's receptive and expressive, written and oral language skills in Malay (Dr Beth O'Brien, Education and Cognitive Development Lab, National Institute of Education, Singapore)
- Literacy and language abilities of Malay children with dyslexia (Associate Professor Rogayah A Razak, Faculty of Health Sciences, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia)
- Early vocabulary assessment of young Malaysian children with the MacArthur-Bates Communicative Development Inventories (Dr Low Hui Min, School of Educational Studies, Universiti Sains Malaysia)
- Processing of Grammatical Morphemes: Evidence for Morphological Decomposition? (Associate Professor Yap Ngee Thai, Faculty of Modern Languages and Communication, Universiti Putra Malaysia)
- How language experience can affect word learning ability (Eleanor Luckcock, University of Reading Malaysia)
- Spoken English Discrimination (SED) training and speech production in multilingual Malaysian speakers (Dr Jessica M. Price, School of Psychology, University of Nottingham Malaysia)

Research workshops (by Dr Daisy Powell)

- Standardised tests of reading and reading-related skills
- Introduction to quantitative methods
- · Experimental design and intervention studies
- Experimental design 2: Statistical power and sample size considerations

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