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Foreword

Hajime Terauchi, PhD
President of JACET
(Takachiho University)

Thank you for your continuing support of JACET. My third and last two-year term as its president started in June 2019. I will continuously strive to manage and develop the association to better meet the needs of each member.

1. Personnel Changes in FY2020 (Advisor and Honorary Members)

The following is a list of new advisor and honorary members from April 2020 (honorifics omitted):

Advisor Yoko Kurahashi (Chubu Chapter)
Honorary Member (overseas) Angel M. Y. Lin; Willy Renandya; Marlies Whitehouse
Honorary Member (domestic) Tsuneo Takanashi (Tohoku Chapter)

Since shain and members of the headquarters and chapters will be in the second year of their two-year term from April 1, 2020, only some modifications have been made. Please visit the JACET website for information on new personnel in FY2020. In October 2020, a shain election will be held for the next fiscal year.

2. Revision of the JACET Award

The JACET Award (hereafter, this award), which has played a major role in JACET activities, was reviewed and revisions were approved at the FY2019 6th Board Meeting (March 15, 2020) as follows. We plan to announce the new system at events such as the general shain meeting in June 2020, chapter conferences, and the international convention. Requests for recommendations will be sent to individual members based on the new system from December 1, 2020. The purpose of the revision is to clarify the nature of the award and to further invigorate members' research. For this purpose, we have 1) reclassified the types of this award; 2) made a clear distinction between this award and the convention awards; and (3) expanded the scope of persons who can make recommendations, from the directors, shain, and research planning committee members to individual members.

3. JACET Archive and JACET 60th Anniversary

Since its establishment in 1962, JACET has played a leading role in English education not only in Japan but also overseas. The first phase of work to collect, organize, and preserve various

materials related to the history of JACET ("JACET Archive Project") was completed in FY2018, and the second phase has begun. In the first phase, much time was spent on collecting and organizing valuable historical materials, focusing on the "summer seminar" and "international convention" which have become JACET traditions. In the second phase, these materials will be curated as tangible assets for future generations. We are preparing to present the materials at the 60th Commemorative International Convention (Hiroshima, 2021). I hope that all JACET members can deepen their understanding of the history and traditions of JACET and become encouraged to even more actively participate in its activities. Publicity of what JACET has been doing, not only among our members but to a wider audience both within Japan and overseas should help us achieve the aims of our association.

4. Change in International Convention Participation Fee

In Japan, the consumption tax has been increased from 8% to 10% since October 1, 2019. This means increases in expenses from the rent of the JACET office to postage for mailing to our members. In addition to this, fees are now being charged for the use of venues for meetings, seminars and conventions. As a result, our expenses for FY2020 have substantially increased.

In light of this situation, the participation fees for the international convention have been reviewed. Please check the enclosed "transfer form." There is a greater discount for the Early

Bird registration and a new student member fee has been established.

5. Abolition of “JACET Members List” in line with the “Policy on the Protection of Personal Information” and changes in “JACET Articles”

As mentioned in “JACET News” No. 206, from the perspective of protecting personal information and the recent social milieu, JACET will discontinue the publication of the “JACET members list” from FY2020. As can be seen from the “JACET members list for FY2019” delivered in December 2019, the number of members who are willing to disclose personal information has drastically decreased, and there are many who do not wish to publish their names. In the past, the list has played an important role in furthering JACET aims, but in keeping with the current social milieu, its publication will be discontinued. Prior to the abolition of the list, as of April 1, 2020, the “JACET Policy on the Protection of Personal Information” and a proposal to change the “JACET Articles” are being prepared. The change in the “JACET Articles” will be deliberated at the general shain meeting in June.

6. Improvement of Payment Methods for Annual Fees and Participation Fees

Until now, payment of fees to JACET has only been accepted by postal transfer but this will be revised to accept payment by credit card or via services such as PayPal and Air Pay. On a trial basis, online payments will be accepted for two events: “JAAL in JACET 2019 (Tokyo, 2020)”

to be held at Takachiho University on December 5, and “The 3rd JACET Summer (47th) and English Education (8th) Joint Seminar (Kyoto, 2020)” to be held at Kyoto University from March 8 to 10, 2021. Prior to this, we will start issuing electronic receipts for fee payments, instead of paper receipts, unless otherwise requested.

7. Early Arrangement of Hotel Accommodations in Kyoto

The number of participants at the international convention and the seminar, which are scheduled to be held in Kyoto in FY2020, has been increasing in recent years. We urge that you make early arrangements for hotel accommodations for the 59th JACET International Convention (Kyoto, 2020) scheduled for September 8 to 10. With the Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic Games to be held from August to September 2020, many people are expected to visit Kyoto for sightseeing. Early arrangements for the 3rd JACET Joint Seminar (Kyoto, 2020) to be held in March 2021 are also encouraged as spring is a popular tourist season.

This is a brief overview of JACET activities for FY2020. I will continue to do my best to improve JACET and English education in Japan during my term in office. I ask for the continued support and cooperation of all JACET members.

Report from the JACET Headquarters

Secretary General
Yukinari Shimoyama
(Toyo Gakuen University)

We thank all of you for your academic and practical efforts and contributions supporting JACET's progress throughout the year.

In 2019, JACET conducted a range of activities such as conferences, seminars, workshops, and, publications. One of the most important ones was the JACET 58th International Convention, which was held at Nagoya Institute of Technology in Aichi from August 28 to 30. It featured a variety of lectures, symposiums, presentations, and workshops under the theme of "Beyond 'Borderless': English Education in a Changing Society." The number of participants was 742, and the event was completed successfully.

In 2020, JACET will also host many conferences, seminars, and other events. We hope all JACET members will utilize these opportunities for professional development. In addition, 2020 is essential for JACET members because we will have the fourth election for *shain* in October. We would like to ask for your active participation.

As of December 1, 2019, JACET membership counted 2,429. We would appreciate your continued support and cooperation to make 2020 even more successful and productive for JACET and its members. The significant events of headquarters in the

academic year 2020 are listed below. More information concerning these events will be announced on the JACET website.

April 18: The 1st Steering Committee Meeting (Venue: JACET office)

May: 15: The 5th JACET Networking Event (Tokyo, 2020) (Venue: Takachiho University)

May 17: The 1st Board Meeting (Venue: Eiken Bldg, Meeting Room B)

June 3-5: MELTA 29th International Conference (Venue: Penang, Malaysia)

June 21: The 2nd Board Meeting (Venue: TBA)

June 21: *Shain* Meeting (Venue: TBA)

July 1: *JACET Newsletter* No. 208 (Japanese, web version)

July 2-4: KATE 2020 International Conference (Venue: Gyeonggi, South Korea)

July 18: The 2nd Steering Committee Meeting (Venue: JACET office)

August 8: AILA EBIC business meeting (Venue: Groningen, Holland)

August: JACET *International Convention Selected Papers* Vol.7 (online journal)

September 7: The 3rd Board Meeting / Committee Meetings (Venue: Doshisha University)

September 8-10: The 59th JACET International Convention (Kyoto, 2020) (Venue: Doshisha University) Theme: “Well-being” in English Education: Discovering the Possibilities for Learners, Teachers, and Society

September 8: JACET Award Ceremony (Venue: Doshisha University)

September 9: General Membership Meeting (Venue: Doshisha University)

September: PKETA 2020 International Conference (Venue: TBA, South Korea)

September: ALAK 2020 International Conference (Venue: TBA, South Korea)

October 15-31: The 4th election for *Shain*

October 16-18: CELEA 9th International Conference (Venue: Beijing Foreign Studies University, China)

November 14-15: ETA-ROC 29th International Symposium and Book Fair on English Teaching (Venue: Taipei, Taiwan)

November 20-23: JALT2020: 46th Annual International Conference on Language Teaching and Learning & Educational Materials Exhibition (Venue: Tsukuba International

Congress Center (Epochal Tsukuba))

December 1: *JACET Newsletter* No. 209 (Japanese, print version and web version)

December 5: The 3rd JAAL in JACET One-Day Conference (Tokyo, 2020) (Venue: Takachiho University)

December 20: The 4th Board Meeting

January, 2021: Thailand TESOL 41st International Conference (Venue: TBA, Thailand)

February, 2021: *JACET Journal* No. 65

March, 2021: *JACET Newsletter* No. 210 (English, web version)

March 8-10, 2021: The 3rd JACET Summer (47th) and English Education (8th) Joint Seminar (Kyoto, 2020) (Venue: Kyoto University) Theme: ELT materials development and use: Linking theory and practice

March 14, 2021: The 5th Board Meeting

March 31, 2021: *JAAL in JACET Proceedings* No.3 (online journal)

March, 2021: RELC 56th International Seminar (Venue: SEAMEO Regional Language Centre, Singapore)

Reports from Chapters

Kyushu-Okinawa Chapter Report

1. Conferences, Seminars

(1) Chapter Conference

The 31st Chapter Conference and General Meeting

Date: July 13, 2019

Venue: Tokai University, Kumamoto Campus
Conference Theme: Content Based Instruction in L2 Learning

(2) Special Lecture

Chapter Special Lecture in Autumn 2019

Date: November 23, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Lecture: “Activating College English Classes through the LTD Model” Satoru Yasunaga (Kurume University)

(3) Seminars

SIG East Asia English Education 196th Seminar

Date: April 20, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Common Theme: Authenticity of Learning Materials Reconsidered

Presentations

1) “Review of the Classes Using Authentic

Materials” Mitaka Yoneta (Mukogawa Women’s University)

2) “Motivating Repeaters of English Classes Making Use of Authentic Materials Online” Shizuka Sakurai (Fukuoka University)

3) “A Development of an English Learning Material Based on a TV Program on Japan” Akiko Tsuda (Nakamura Gakuen University), Kayoko Kinshi (Hyogo Prefectural University)

SIG East Asia English Education 197th Seminar

Date: May 18, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentation

1) “A Chronological Study on Applied Linguistics and TESOL” Masayuki Oda (Tamagawa University)

SIG East Asia English Education 198th Seminar

Date: June 15, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

1) “Teacher Training for Elementary School English Classes and Analysis of the Contents and Vocabulary Used in Classes”

Masayoshi Kinoshita (Professor Emeritus, Fukuoka International University), Tetsuya Kashiwagi (University of Kitakyushu)

2) “Serious ENGLISH with Lego Bricks: Facilitating Communicative Competence in English Education” Hisako Ohtsubo (Showa Women’s University)

SIG East Asia English Education 199th Seminar

Date: July 27, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

- 1) “Vocabulary to be Used in English Classes in Elementary Schools” Maiko Ishida (Kobe University Grad. Student), Shinichiro Ishikawa (Kobe University)
- 2) “Prospects of a CLIL Approach” Mijaji Higashi (Toa University)

SIG East Asia English Education 200th Seminar

Date: September 14, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Special Lecture

- 1) “The Past, Present, and Future of the East Asia English Education Society” Masayoshi Kinoshita (Professor Emeritus, Fukuoka International University)

Presentation

- 1) “Current Situation in ELES in Japan, Korea, and Taiwan: Teacher Training and Future Prospects” Akihiko Higuchi (Miyazaki International University), Mae-Ran Park (Pukyong National University, Republic of Korea), Jenny Chen (National Taipei University of Education, Taiwan), Noriko Kawakami (Kagoshima Junshin Women’s College)

SIG East Asia English Education 201st Seminar

Date: October 26, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

- 1) “A New Approach to the Development of Global Human Resources” Jiro Katsura (Jyroscope)
- 2) “Teaching and Learning of Languages at School in Europe: Main Findings from Eurydice Report 2017” Akihiko Higuchi (Miyazaki

International University)

SIG East Asia English Education 202nd Seminar

Date: November 16, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

- 1) “Writing Activities Based on Inputting” Keizo Tatsukawa (Hiroshima University)
- 2) “An Analysis of English Reading Tests in Entrance Examinations to Colleges in Japan, Taiwan, and Korea” Tetsuya Kashiwagi (University of Kitakyushu)

SIG East Asia English Education 203rd Seminar

Date: December 14, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Symposium: “College English Education of Tomorrow: From Literature to Academic Writing” Organizer: Akira Tajino (Nagoya University of Foreign Studies)

SIG East Asia English Education 204th Seminar

Date: January 25, 2020

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

- 1) “Transfiguration of College English Curriculum in China” Takayuki Hara (Kagoshima University)
- 2) “On the Role of Mother Tongue in Learning English: From the Viewpoint of Trans-Languaging” Junko Kanbara (Fukuoka University)

SIG East Asia English Education 205th Seminar

Date: February 15, 2020

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

Presentations

- 1) “Will English Proficiency of College Students Improve After an Intensive Short-term Study Abroad Program?” Miki Tokunaga (Fukuoka Jo Gakuin Women’s University)
- 2) “A Study on English Teaching and Reformation of College Entrance Examinations in Japan” Atsushi Fukunaga (Kyushu Institute of Technology)

Date: July 6, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 3rd Chapter Board Meeting

Date: July 12, 2019

Venue: Tokai University, Kumamoto

The 3rd Editorial Meeting for Annual Review of English Learning and Teaching

Date: August 27, 2019

Venue: (Web Meeting)

2. Chapter Meetings

(1) Chapter General Meeting 2019

Date: July 13, 2019

Venue: Tokai University, Kumamoto Campus

Agenda: 1) Review of Activities in 2018,

2) Plans for Activities in 2019

The 4th Chapter Board Meeting

Date: October 12, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 4th Editorial Meeting for Annual Review of English Learning and Teaching

Date: October 26, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

(2) GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD MEETINGS

The 1st Chapter Board Meeting

Date: April 20, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 5th Chapter Board Meeting

Date: November 23, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 2nd Chapter Board Meeting

Date: May 25, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 6th Chapter Board Meeting

Date: February 15, 2020

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 1st Editorial Meeting for Annual Review of English Learning and Teaching

Date: June 8, 2019

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 7th Chapter Board Meeting

Date: March 14, 2020

Venue: Seinan Gakuin University

The 2nd Editorial Meeting for Annual Review of English Learning and Teaching

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(1) Publications

1) *JACET Kyushu-Okinawa Chapter Newsletter* was published on April 13, 2019.

2) *Annual Review of English Learning and Teaching* Vol. 24 was published on November 30, 2019.

(Kenichi Ito,
The University of Kitakyushu)

Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

(1) Spring Chapter Conference

Date: June 1, 2019

Venue: Shujitsu University

Presenters:

Room 1

1) “Developing the English Speaking Skills of Staff at a University Hospital” Ian Willey (Kagawa University)

2) “Teaching English Vocabulary to Avoid the Misuse of Loan Words” Hironobu Matsuoka (Yasuda Women’s University)

3) “Willingness to Communicate and the Use of Self-access Centers” Gerardine McCrohan, Arran Chambers (Kagawa University)

4) “First-Year English Education for Healthcare and Medical Welfare Students with a Special Focus on Interprofessional Collaboration” Junko Kosaki (Kawasaki University of Medical Welfare)

Room 2

1) “Breaking Barriers for L2 Learners of English” Douglas Robert Parkin (Yamaguchi Gakugei University)

2) “Socio-cultural Influences on the Learning, Use, and Employment of Communication Strategies Among Japanese EFL Learners” Christian Burrows (Okayama University of Science)

3) “An English Grammar Lesson in Which Learners Collect ‘Aha!’” Koki Sekitani (Hiroshima Jogakuin University)

4) “Workshop: Let’s Read *The Japan Times* Together” Hiroko Murakami

Room 3

1) “Will Errors in Learning a Foreign Language Go Away over Time?: A Study on English Essays of Middle and High Level Learners” Kohei Nishitani, Takashi Nakazaki (Shujitsu University)

2) “The Practice of PE CLIL for Fourth Grade Children: A Case of “Stretching and Gymnastics” in English” Yoshihiro Nigo (Japan Coast Guard Academy), Hirotake Tomioka (Mihara Elementary School Attached to Hiroshima University)

3) “A Study on the Acquisition of the English Progressive Aspect” Tomoaki Iguchi (National Institute of Technology, Oshima College)

Lecture:

“Celebrating the Sounds of Written Words”

Lecturer: Masanori Toyota (Honorary professor of Kyoto University and Kansai Gaidai University)

(2) Autumn Chapter Conference

Date: October 19, 2019

Venue: Ehime University

Presenters:

Room 1

1) “Interactive and Individual Oral Rehearsals and Peer and Individual Reviews for Developing Communicative Ability in University English Speaking Classrooms” Mutsuko Nagasaki, Sunao Orimoto (Ehime University)

2) “Further Breaking Barriers for L2 Learners of English” Douglas Robert Parkin (Yamaguchi Gakugei University)

3) “The Influence of Pictures on College Students’ Memory of Written Language for the Motivation of Studying English” Atsuko Williams (Kagawa University)

4) “Factors Influencing Learners’ Attitudes Toward Teaching English in English: The Relationship between WTC, Communication Anxiety, Perceived Competence and Teaching English in English” Takahiro Iwanaka (Yamaguchi Gakugei University)

Room 2

1) “Can Processability Theory Explain the Developmental Stages of Japanese EFL Speaking and Writing?” Yuko Michimoto (National Institute of Technology, Ube College)

2) “Problems of Team Teaching with ALTs: From the Viewpoint of Elementary and Junior High School Teachers in Imabari” Osamu Ikeno (Ehime University)

3) “The Possibilities of PE CLIL for the First-year Students at the National College of Technology Part 3: A Case of Basketball Classes

in English” Yoshihiro Nigo (Japan Coast Guard Academy), Kosaku Ito (National Institute of Technology, Ube College)

Lecture:

“The Current Situation and Future Hopes for the English Curriculum in the Faculty of Global Science Studies of Yamaguchi University”

Lecturer: Mami Fujiwara (Yamaguchi University)

(3) 2020 Spring Chapter Conference

Date: June 6, 2020

Venue: Kagawa University

(4) 2020 Autumn Chapter Conference

Date: October 17, 2020

Venue: Yamaguchi Gakugei University

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD MEETINGS

(1) Chapter General Meeting

Date: June 1, 2019

Venue: Shujitsu University

Agenda: Schedule for 2019; Some changes in the board members for 2019-2020; Activity plan for 2020; Host university for the 60th Memorial International Conference by Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter in 2021; Chapter Bulletin; Information of the 2nd JACET [Summer (46th) and English Education (7th)] Joint Seminar (Tokyo, 2019)

(2) Chapter Board Meetings

2019 1st Chapter Board Meeting

Date: June 1, 2019

Venue: Shujitsu University

Agenda: Schedule for 2019; Some changes in the board members for 2019-2020; Plan for 2020; Host University for the 60th Memorial International Conference by Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter in 2021; Nomination of Chair of the Bulletin Committee

2019 2nd Chapter Board Meeting

Date: October 19, 2019

Venue: Ehime University

Agenda: Report on the 2019 activities; A list of board members for 2019-2020; Schedule and budget for 2020; the 60th Memorial International Conference by Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter in 2021; Partial revision of the issuance regulations of the chapter bulletin

2020 1st Chapter Board Meeting

Date: June 6, 2020

Venue: Kagawa University

2020 2nd Chapter Board Meeting

Date: October 17, 2020

Venue: Yamaguchi Gakugei University

(3) The 11th Oral Presentation & Performance (OPP) Annual Event

Date: December 15, 2019

Venue: Mahoroba Hall, Yasuda Women's University

Coordinator: Yoshifumi Mikuma (Hiroshima Institute of Technology)

Participants: 79 students and 7 English teachers

Presentation titles and entries (Figures in parentheses represent the number of student performers):

1) “Peace Songs in the World – Part II” (9, Hiroshima City University)

2) “Drama: Cinderella; Speech: To Find the Good in Everyone” (16, Yasuda Women's University)

3) “Drama in English: A Midsummer Night's Dream, Act III Scene II” (5, Prefectural University of Hiroshima)

4) “HIT-Chants 2019~Chanting Introduction of Our Majors; Original Speech” (10, Yoshifumi Mikuma & Hiroshima Institute of Technology)

5) “POSEIDON: Ocean Guardian” (16, Japan Coast Guard Academy)

6) “The Sound of Music: Yamaguchi Gakugei University's Version” (18, Yamaguchi Gakugei University)

7) “A Story of Three Taros~After the Old Tales~” (5, Hiroshima International University)

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(1) Publications

1) *JACET Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter Research Bulletin Vol. 17* is scheduled for publication on March 31, 2020. This issue includes 3 articles.

2) *JACET Chugoku-Shikoku Chapter Newsletters* No. 23 and No. 24 were issued on July 30, 2019 and January 16, 2020 respectively. No. 25 is scheduled to be issued on July 30, 2020.

(Hironobu Matsuoka,
Yasuda Women's University)

Kansai Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

(1) JACET Kansai Chapter 2019 Conference

Date: November 16, 2019

Venue: Doshisha University, Imadegawa Campus

Theme: English Language Education in a Time of Rapid Change

Keynote Lecture:

“Questioning Language Ideologies in English Language Teaching” Ryuko Kubota (The University of British Columbia)

Special Talks:

1) “Emotions, Cultures, and Stories: Against the Impoverishment of Meaning” Yosuke Yanase (Kyoto University)

2) “Theory and Methodology in Policy Research of Foreign Language Education” Takunori Terasawa (Kwansei Gakuin University)

Invited Symposium:

“Behind the Scenes of Large-Scale Speaking Tests. What is the Reality?: A Report from the Practice of Kyoto Institute of Technology” Yumi Hato (Kyoto Institute of Technology), Katsunori Kanzawa (Kyoto Institute of Technology), Haruhiko Mitsunaga (Nagoya University)

Research Papers:

1) “Toward Successful Scientific Presentations in English Based on the Views of Native English-Speaking Scientists” Toyoko Shimamura (Osaka University)

2) “Analysis of Negotiation of Meaning in Conversations Between Japanese English Learners and English Speaking International Students during English Language Learning

Support Sessions” Saeka Toshioka (Kindai University)

3) “An Analysis into Tutors’ Instructional Strategies in the Writing Support Center SAPP” Miho Yamashita (Ritsumeikan University)

4) “An Attempt to Assess the Influence of Achievement on Proficiency Changes Using Latent Growth Curve Modeling” Atsuko Nishitani (Kyoto Sangyo University)

5) “Prosodic Features of Model Speech Recorded in Speech Corpus of English Learners” Takuya Hattori (Osaka University)

6) “A Preliminary Report on a Rasch Analysis of Auditory Perceptual Difficulty” Yuko Matsumura (Kindai University)

Practical Reports:

1) “Toward Improvement of Argumentative Writing Skill” Kazumi Tsutada (Kansai Gaidai College)

2) “Effects of a Joint Class Presentation Event on Student Learning Motivation” Yoshimi Ochiai (Ritsumeikan University), Mayumi Oga (Ritsumeikan University)

3) “Report on Audience and Presenter Perspective on the Use of Learning Commons in a Required English Course at Ritsumeikan University” Mayumi Oga (Ritsumeikan University), Yoshimi Ochiai (Ritsumeikan University)

4) “Assessing the Potential Benefits and Problems in Using Podcasts in English Language Education in Japan” Martin Parsons (Hannan University)

5) “Active Learning in a CALL Class: Planning and Promoting UNESCO World Heritage Tours” Kayoko Shiomi (Ritsumeikan University)

6) “Effects of a Can-do-based Self-reflection Sheet on Self-regulated Learning” Miki Noda (Osaka City University), Osamu Yamamoto (Osaka City University)

Colloquiums:

1) “Key Frameworks of Academic Literacy and Case Studies: Implications for EAP Research in Higher Education” Takeshi Kamijo (Ritsumeikan University), Akiko Nagao (Ryukoku University), Masaki Nishijo, (Biwako Seikei Sport College)

2) “Rethinking Language Needs in Globalising Japan: Through Cases of Visual and Performing Artists” Noriko Watanabe (Ritsumeikan University), Atsuko Misaki (Kindai University), Judy Noguchi (Kobe Gakuin University)

3) “Puzzling: Lesson Analysis by Exploratory Practice” Hiromi Murakami (Kansai Gaidai College), Yoko Kashimoto (Graduate Student, Osaka City University), Lica Takeda (Himeji Dokkyo University), Tetsuro Takada (Kyoto University of Foreign Studies), Fusanori Tomita (Graduate Student, Nagoya Gakuin University), Tazu Togo (Kyoto Notre Dame University)

(2) Lecture Meetings

1) The 1st Chapter Lecture of the 2019 Academic Year

Date: June 22, 2019

Venue: Kobe International House

Speaker: Hitoshi Isahara (Toyohashi University of Technology)

Title: “Evolving Machine Translation Using Deep Learning: What You Can Do with It”

2) The 2nd Chapter Lecture of the 2019 Academic Year

Date: October 5, 2019

Venue: Doshisha University, Imadegawa Campus

Speakers: Atsuko Takase (Kwansei Gakuin University), Hiroko Yoshida (Osaka University of Economics), Mami Yoshida (Kyoto University of Foreign Studies)

Theme: What Is the Teacher's Role in a University Extensive Reading Program?: Back to the Basics"

3) The 3rd Chapter Lecture of the 2019 Academic Year (Postponed due to the coronavirus outbreak.)

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD MEETINGS

(1) General Assembly

Date: November 16, 2019

Venue: Doshisha University, Imadegawa Campus

(2) Executive Board Meetings

1) The 1st Executive Board Meeting

Date: June 22, 2019

Venue: Kobe International House

2) The 2nd Executive Board Meeting

Date: October 5, 2019

Venue: Doshisha University, Imadegawa Campus

3) The 3rd Executive Board Meeting

Date: March 14, 2020

(Written Resolutions by email due to the coronavirus outbreak.)

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1) Publications

- 1) *JACET Kansai Newsletter* No. 83 was published on June 17, 2019.
- 2) *JACET Kansai Newsletter* No. 84 was published on July 31, 2019.
- 3) *JACET Kansai Newsletter* No. 85 was published on November 1, 2019.
- 4) *JACET Kansai Journal* No. 22 will be published on March 31, 2020.

(Kiyoko Sakamoto,
The University of Shiga Prefecture)

Chubu Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

(1) Chapter Conference

Chapter Lecture

Date: June 15, 2019

Venue: Meijo University, Tempaku Campus

Plenary Lecture: Andy Nonaka
(Communication Skills Association)

“A New Way of English Education Based on
Presentation Training”

Symposium: “How to Teach English

Presentations: Instruction and Evaluation”

Moderator: Yasumi Murata (Meijo University)

Presentation I

“For Presentations to Appeal to the Audience”

Masumi Koguchi (MARBLES)

“Preparing for ‘Matsuri’: Creating a Community
of Practice Learning of English Speech”
Yoshifumi Mikuma (Hiroshima Institute of
Technology)

(2) Autumn Study Meeting

Date: November 16, 2019

Venue: Aichi University, Nagoya Campus

Symposium: “New Developments in English
Education in Higher Education” Moderator:
Yuka Ishikawa (Nagoya Institute of Technology)

Presentation I

“A Case Study of Expanded Learning--Aimed at
Multilateral Perspectives--” Tomoyasu Kimura
(Emeritus Professor, Nagoya University of
Foreign Studies)

“All-English and Bilingual classes : Proactive,
interactive, and deep learning from cognitive
brain science” Harumi Oishi (Gifu Shotoku
Gakuen University)

“Vulnerability of Coreless Perspectives in
College English Education: Discipline of C.E.E.
should be Fact and Fiction” Yujitsu O'mori
(Aichi Prefectural University)

Chapter SIG Presentation (Developmental
Education Chubu Chapter): Akitomo Mori,
Takehiro Sato (Nagoya University of Foreign
Studies) “Focusing on Dialogues of Learners”

Presentations: There were two practice reports
given.

(3) Spring Study Meeting

Canceled

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD

MEETINGS

(1) Chapter General Assemblies

The 1st Assembly

Date: June 15, 2019

Venue: Meijo University, Tempaku Campus

Agenda: Reports on the Central Board meeting; Report on the Chapter events of 2018; Report on the Chapter account of 2018; Proposal on board members for 2019; and Proposal on Chapter schedule and budget for 2019.

The 2nd Assembly

Date: November 16, 2019

Venue: Aichi University, Nagoya Campus

Agenda: Proposal on Chapter schedule and budget for 2020; Proposal on Chapter schedule and budget for 2020.

(2) Chapter Board Meetings

The 1st Meeting

Date: April 6, 2019

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Chubu Chapter Lecture.

The 2nd Meeting

Date: May 18, 2019

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Chubu Chapter Lecture; and the first 2019 Chapter General Meeting.

The 3rd Meeting

Date: June 15, 2019

Venue: Meijo University, Tempaku Campus

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; and Report on the Chapter budget

The 4th Meeting

Date: July 13, 2019

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Autumn Study Meeting.

The 5th Meeting

Date: October 19, 2019

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Autumn Study Meeting.

The 6th Meeting

Date: November 17, 2019

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Chapter Lecture Meeting; Chapter schedule and budget for 2020.

The 7th Meeting

Canceled

The 8th Meeting

Date: January 11, 2020

Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology

Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting; Report from the secretariat; Report on the Chapter budget; Chapter Spring Study Meeting.

The 9th Meeting
Date: March 2, 2019
Venue: Nagoya Institute of Technology
Agenda: Report on the Central Board meeting;
Report from the secretariat; Report on the
Chapter budget; Chapter Spring Study Meeting.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1) Publications

1) *JACET Chubu Journal* Vol. 17 was published on December 25, 2019. This issue includes two invited articles, a research article, and a research note.

2) *JACET-Chubu Newsletter* No. 42 and No. 43 were published on May 10, 2019, and January 10, 2020, respectively.

For further information on the chapter activities and schedule, please refer to the Chubu Chapter Website at
<http://www.jacet-chubu.org/index.html>.

(Takehiro Sato,
Nagoya University of Foreign Studies)

Kanto Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

(1) Chapter Conference

The 12th Annual Convention of JACET Kanto

Chapter

Date: July 7, 2019

Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Theme: Changing Eras & Moving English
Education: Collaborations for Diversity Among
Professional, Governmental and Academic
Fields

(2) Chapter-Sponsored Lecturer Series

The 1st Lecture

Date: May 11, 2019

Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Kayoko Murakami (Konan Women's
University)

“Problems of English Learning and Teaching for
Students with Developmental Difficulties in
Japan”

The 2nd Lecture

Date: June 8, 2019

Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Charles Chiharu Nishikawa (Partner
Fellow, Sasakawa Sports Foundation; Meiji
University and Hosei University, Part-time)

“English, the Common Language of Olympic
Operation: The Volunteer Programme by Way of
Illustration”

The 3rd Lecture

Date: December 14, 2019

Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Shien Sakai (Chiba University of
Commerce)

“Learners' Values Shaken by Foreign Language
Education: What Can We Teach in the Era of
Globalization and Machine Translation?”

(3) Kanto Chapter & Toyo University Co-Sponsored Lectures & Workshops
The 1st Joint Lecture
Date: April 13, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Shingo Ashizawa (Toyo University)
“Global Competency Education and Learning Outcome Assessment”

The 2nd Joint Lecture
Date: September 14, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Rab Paterson (Toyo University)
“Creative Commons & Copyrights for the Creative Minded Teacher”

The 3rd Joint Lecture
Date: November 9, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Ken Hisamura (Den-en Chofu University), Fumiko Kurihara (Chuo University)
“Rationale for ‘Independent, Interactive and Reflective Learning’: Tools for English Teachers to Realize the Didactic Transition between Elementary, Secondary and Tertiary Education”

The 4th Joint Workshop
Date: January 11, 2020
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus
Presenter: Takane Yamaguchi (Shumei University)
“Basic Statistics from Standard Error (SE) to the Column Proportions Tests”

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD

MEETINGS

(1) General Meetings
The 1st General Meeting
Date: July 7, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 2nd General Meeting
Date: November 9, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

(2) Executive Committee Meetings
The 1st Meeting
Date: April 13, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 2nd Meeting
Date: May 11, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 3rd Meeting
Date: June 8, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 4th Meeting
Date: September 14, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 5th Meeting
Date: October 12, 2019
Venue: Online conferencing because of the approaching typhoon

The 6th Meeting
Date: November 9, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 7th Meeting
Date: December 14, 2019
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 8th Meeting
Date: January 11, 2020
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

The 9th Meeting
Date: March 14, 2020
Venue: Toyo University, Hakusan Campus

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Publications

- (1) *JACET KANTO Journal* vol. 7 will be published on March 31, 2020.
- (2) *JACET Kanto Newsletter* vol. 13 was published online on September 30, 2019.
- (3) *JACET Kanto Newsletter* vol. 14 will be published online on March 31, 2020.

For further information on the Chapter conference and other events, please refer to the Kanto Chapter website at <http://www.jacetkanto.org/>.

(Etsuo Taguchi,
Daito Bunka University)

Tohoku Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

- (1) 2019 Annual Tohoku Chapter Convention
Date and Time: June 29, 2019
Venue: Tohoku Gakuin University, Tsuchitoi

Campus
Lecture: “Overseas Training for Curriculum Improvement” Kaoru Tomita (Yamagata University)

Presentation: “Grammatical Analysis of ‘Small Talk’ Activities in the Elementary School” Kiyoshi Takahashi (Miyagi University of Education)

Practical Report: “Implementing Speaking Tests in University EFL Courses” Hitoshi Muranoi (Tohoku Gakuin University)

(2) 2019 Chapter Workshop

Date: November 24, 2019

Venue: Sendai TKP Sendai Nishiguchi Business Center

* The meeting was jointly organized by Japan Communication Association (JCA) Tohoku Chapter and JACET Tohoku Chapter.

Presentation: 1) “Using Bloom’s Revised Taxonomy: Students’ Awareness of English Pronunciation” Kazue Kawai (Miyagi University)

Practical Report: “Comparison of Text Reproductions from Written and Spoken Sources” Eiji Kobayashi (Yamagata Prefectural Yachi High School)

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD MEETINGS

(1) 2019 Annual Tohoku Chapter General Meeting

Date: June 29, 2019

Venue: Tohoku Gakuin University, Tsuchitoi Campus

Agenda: 1) Report on activities and final accounts for 2018
2) Chapter business plans and budget for 2019
3) Publication of *TOHOKU TEFL* Vol. 8 and *JACET-Tohoku Newsletter* No. 46

(2) 2019 1st Executive Committee Meeting

Date: April 20, 2019

Venue: Hotel Metropolitan Sendai

Agenda: 1) Report on activities and final accounts for 2018

2) Chapter business plans and budget for 2019

3) 2019 Annual Tohoku Chapter Convention

4) Publication of *JACET-Tohoku Newsletter* No. 46

(3) 2019 2nd Executive Committee Meeting

Date: June 29, 2019

Venue: Tohoku Gakuin University, Tsuchitoi Campus

Agenda: 1) Reports from board of directors

2) 2019 Chapter Workshop

3) Publication of *TOHOKU TEFL* Vol. 8 and *JACET-Tohoku Newsletter* No. 46

(4) 2019 3rd Executive Committee Meeting

Date: November 24, 2019

Venue: TKP Sendai Nishiguchi Business Center

Agenda: 1) Chapter business plans and budget for 2020

2) Publication of *TOHOKU TEFL* Vol. 8 and *JACET-Tohoku Newsletter* No. 46

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1) Publications

1) *TOHOKU TEFL* Vol. 8 will be published in March, 2020.

2) *JACET-Tohoku Newsletter* No. 46 will be published in March, 2020.

(Kumiko Okazaki,
National Institute of Technology, Sendai
College)

Hokkaido Chapter Report

1. CONFERENCES, SEMINARS

(1) Chapter Conference

The Chapter Conference 2019

Date: July 6, 2019

Venue: Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College

Presentations:

1) "Analysis of Demotivating Process and its Factors in English Learning" Makoto Mitsugi (Otaru University of Commerce)

2) "Forging an English Program for Prospective Therapists through Task- and Project-Based Learning" Kyoko Oike (Hokkaido Chitose College of Rehabilitation)

Keynote Lecture:

"Feasibility of English Speaking Assessment in the Classroom: Toward Stable Test Administrations throughout the Year" Rie Koizumi (Juntendo University)

Symposium:

Theme: Integrating Theory and Practice in Testing and Assessment

- 1) “A Testing and Assessment Course for Pre-service English Teachers” Kiwamu Kasahara (Hokkaido University of Education)
- 2) “Evaluating Classroom Speaking Activities with a Performance Test: Is It Really Valid and Reliable?” Rintaro Sato (Nara University of Education)
- 3) “Evaluating Students’ Writing: Why, What, and How?” Aiko Sano (Sapporo International University)

(2) Chapter Study Meeting

The 1st Chapter Study Meeting 2019

Date: November 23, 2019

Venue: Hokkaido University of Education's Satellite Campus

Presentations:

- 1) “Develop L2 Learners’ Metacognitive Strategies through an In-class Reflection Activity” Ivy Lin (Hokkai-Gakuen University) and Yumi Nakamichi (Hokkaido University)
- 2) “Does Domestic Seminar Work?” Yukie Ueno (Hokkai-Gakuen University)

Presentations on Study Abroad Programs:

- 1) “Let’s use English—Canada Business Study Program of the Faculty of Business Administration, Hokkai-Gakuen University” Hisashi Naito (Hokkai-Gakuen University)
- 2) “Five Overseas Study Programs for Hokusei Gakuen University Junior College English Majors” Masashi Takemura (Hokusei Gakuen University Junior College) and Kyoko Morikoshi (Hokusei Gakuen University Junior College)
- 3) “Glocal Bridge Program and Gap Year Program in Otaru University of Commerce”

Masanobu Nakatsugawa (Otaru University of Commerce)

2. GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BOARD MEETINGS

(1) Chapter General Meeting

The Chapter General Meeting 2019

Date: July 6, 2019

Venue: Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College

(2) Chapter Executive Committee Meeting

The 1st Chapter Executive Committee Meeting 2019

Date: May 25, 2019

Venue: Hokkai-Gakuen University

The 2nd Chapter Executive Committee Meeting 2019

Date: July 6, 2019

Venue: Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College

The 3rd Chapter Executive Committee Meeting 2019

Date: November 23, 2019

Venue: Hokkaido University of Education's Satellite Campus

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1) Publications (Forthcoming)

1) *Research Bulletin of English Teaching*, No. 16 will be issued in March, 2020.

2) The 33rd issue of the chapter newsletter will

be published online in March, 2020.

(Makoto Mitsugi,
Otaru University of Commerce)

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