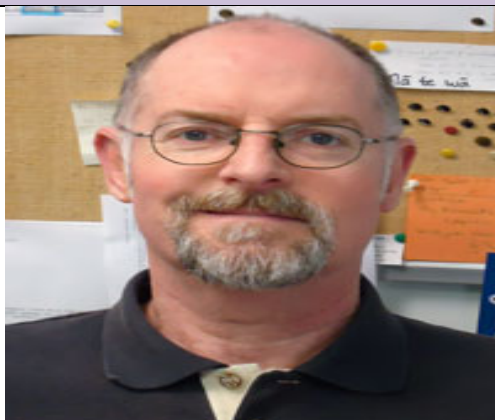


Year of 2012

Conference Theme

*Language Acquisition and Teaching in the 21st Century: Perspectives and Practices*

Keynote Speaker - **Dr. Gary Barkhuizen**



**Dr. Gary Barkhuizen**

- Department of Applied Language Studies and Linguistics, University of Auckland in New Zealand
- 講題: Using narrative frames to explore language teaching and learning

### Profile

Gary Barkhuizen is one of the plenary speakers and Associate Professor in the Department of Applied Language Studies and Linguistics at the University of Auckland. His research and teaching interests are in the areas of sociolinguistics, language teacher education and narrative inquiry, and he has published widely on these topics in a range of international journals, including TESOL Quarterly, Applied Linguistics, International Journal of the Sociology of Language, International Journal of Bilingualism, Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development, Linguistics and Education and ELT Journal. He has been editor of Southern African Journal of Applied Language Studies and New Zealand Studies in Applied Linguistics and is currently assistant editor of Language Teaching Research. He is guest editor of two special-topic journal issues: Language Teaching Research (with Simon Borg) on language teacher education (July 2010), and TESOL Quarterly on narrative research in TESOL, to appear in 2011. He is author of *Analysing learner language* (with Rod Ellis, OUP, 2005). Gary has taught ESOL at high school (in Mmabatho, South Africa, near where Mma Ramotswa lives) and at community college level (in New York, where Calvin Klein was a student), and has been involved in teacher education in South Africa, New Zealand and the US. He has also conducted short-term teacher/researcher professional development seminars in China, Cambodia, Hong Kong and Japan. Gary loves telling and listening to stories, that is, when he is not listening to Bob Dylan, reading Bill Bryson and John Irving, or watching the Warriors.

### Research Interests

Language teacher education, sociolinguistics: learner language, studies that use narrative inquiry and other interpretative methodologies.

Keynote Speaker - **Dr. Elaine K. Horwitz**



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- Director, Graduate Program in Foreign Language Education and Professor of Curriculum & Instruction, The University of Texas at Austin
- 講題: Teacher Beliefs and Teacher Training

**Keynote Speaker - Dr. Qiu-fang Wen 文秋芳博士**



**Dr. Qiu-fang Wen 文秋芳博士**

- Professor and Director of the National Research Center for Foreign Language Education
- 講題: Theory and Practice of Running a Large-scale Workshop for Tertiary-level English Teachers' Professional Development in China

**Educational Background**

- 1976 Nanjing Teachers University
- 1985 Bombay University, India, obtained MA in linguistics (First Class)
- 1985 Institute of English and Foreign Languages in Hyderabad, India obtained Postgraduate Certificate in Oral Communication in English with distinction
- 1993 Hong Kong University, obtained Ph. D
- 1999 - 2000 Visiting scholar in Harvard University

**Working Experience**

2005 - present

- Director of the National Research Center for Foreign Language Education, Beijing Foreign Studies University

2000 - 2005

- Full professor of English in Department of English, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1997 - 1999

- Full professor of English in Department of English, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1997 - 1999

- Chair of Department of English, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1993 - 1997

- Associate professor of English in Department of English, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1995 - 1997

- Deputy Head of Department of International Business Communication, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1993 - 1995

- Deputy Head of Department of English, Nanjing University (Full-time)

1996 (June - August)

- Research Associate of Department of Education, Hong Kong University (Full-time)

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- Research Associate of Department of Education, Hong Kong University (Full-time)

1990 - 1993

- Tutor of Department of Education, Hong Kong University (Part-time)

1987 - 1989

- Deputy director of the Preparatory Committee of Ginling College (Full-time)

1986 - 1988

- Vice - dean of the said department (Full-time)

1976 - 1989

- Lecturer of English in Foreign Languages and Literature Department, Nanjing Teachers' University (Full-time)

Keynote Speaker - **Dr. Phyllis Blumberg**



**Dr. Phyllis Blumberg**

- Director of the Teaching and Learning Center, University of the Sciences in Philadelphia
- 講題: Ways to Teach English as a Foreign Language that Increase Student Learning