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The role of grammar in Japanese Language learning and teaching

Free workshop

13th September 2014

Daiwa Foundation
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London NW1 4QP

In this workshops we are proposing to address a number of questions: What is the role of grammar instruction in Japanese language learning? What is the role of grammar in pragmatics? What is it the role of grammar in developing Japanese reading skills? Is there a particular approach or pedagogical intervention to the teaching of Japanese grammar which is more effective than others?

The aim of the workshop is twofold:

- to reflect and discuss the theory and the research on the role of grammar in Japanese language learning and teaching;
- To offer pedagogical solutions to the teaching of grammar.

Contributors

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What is the role of grammar in second language learning and teaching?

Sayoko Yamashita

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Pragmatics and grammar

Noriko Iwasaki

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The role of grammar in reading (and writing)

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Communicative tasks for Japanese grammar teaching [workshop]



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SPEAKER	TIME	CONTENT
Alessandro Benati (University of Greenwich)	10:00 ~ 11:00	What is the role of grammar in second language learning and teaching?
Sayoko Yamashita (Jissen Women University)	11:00 ~ 12:00	Pragmatics and grammar
	12:00 ~ 12:30	Lunch break
Noriko Iwasaki (SOAS)	12:30 ~ 13:30	The role of grammar in reading (and writing)
	13:30 ~ 13:45	Break
Benedetta Basile (University of Greenwich)	13:45 ~ 14:30	Communicative Tasks in Japanese grammar Teaching

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