

Session Program

23-24 May 2026

Building Language Competencies
Through Community

May 23-24, 2026 - Nagoya, Japan



PanSIG 2026 - Building Language Competencies through Community

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Chukyo University - Nagoya Campus

Saturday 23 May

11:00

607: Sat morning 607

Session | **Location:** Chukyo University, 0号building/6-607

11:00-12:05

SIG Forum: Performance in Education

12:20-12:45

Beats & Pieces: Poetry and Music Performance in University EFL Settings

Speaker

Philip Norton

12:45

13:30

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13:30-13:55

Improv Principles and Skills to Help Students Make Spontaneous Real Life Communication

Speaker

David Gray

14:10-14:35

Reading for Change: Contemporary Picturebooks as Social Justice Texts

Speaker

Alison Hasegawa

14:50-15:55

SIG Forum: Literature in Language Teaching

Speakers

Anna Shershnova, Daniel Patrick Chesmore, John Maune, John Roberts, Joshua lee SOLOMON, Suzanne Kamata

15:55

Sunday 24 May

09:30

607: Sun morning 607

Session | **Location:** Chukyo University, 0号building/6-607

09:30-09:55 **Teaching Presentation Skills with Storytelling Techniques**

Speaker
Todd Hooper

10:10-10:35 **Effect of peer support on speaking task performance.**

Speaker
Dawn Kobayashi

10:50-11:15

No correct answers: Fostering autonomy and creativity in the L2 classroom

11:30-11:55

Creating an empowering community of language-learners through a film festival

Speakers
Ashley Ford, Kinsella Valies

11:55

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From Memorization to Critical Thinking: How Random Topics Transform Speaking Assessments

14:00-14:25

Investigating the Impact of Flipped Learning on Foreign Language Anxiety in a Japanese University Context

Speaker
Mr James Broxholme

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