

## TESOL Journal Special Issue on *Globalization and TESOL in Asia*

### Call for Papers

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TESOL Journal invites academics, researchers, educators, and teachers to its special issue entitled *Globalization and TESOL in Asia* to be published in June 2011. With the emergence of critical theory and cultural studies in TESOL scholarship, the field has diversified and has started to consider the local and global forces and tensions that influence the practice of English language teaching in different parts of the world. This is greatly felt in Asia as there are cultural, social, and political influences that compel scholars to look into the intricacies and nuances that manifest in our language classrooms.

Given the diverse areas of TESOL such as methodology, technology, materials and test design and teacher training, language policy and planning, and psychology of language acquisition and learning and the goals of the Journal, submissions are welcome on the following areas:

1. The impact of globalization on the TESOL profession in Asia
2. The clash between global forces and local norms and its manifestations in TESOL-related practices
3. The search of Asian identity in TESOL
4. The impact of technology in English language instruction in Asian educational systems
5. The notion of Asian values and ideologies in English language teaching
6. The social, political, and cultural assumptions underlying TESOL practices in Asia

The deadline of submission is on October 25, 2010. Proposals, which should have not been submitted elsewhere, may be sent as e-mail attachments to the Guest Editor, Paolo Nino Valdez, [paolo.valdez@dlsu.edu.ph](mailto:paolo.valdez@dlsu.edu.ph). Attachments should include the following details:

Name Author/s  
 Position/Affiliation  
 E-mail Address  
 3-5 Key Words

Out of the proposals anonymously reviewed, a number shall be notified to submit full papers on December 31, 2010. Note that the selection at this stage does not guarantee publication. Authors shall be notified as regards results of the review on February 28, 2011. Full papers should be around 5,000-7,500 words in length and conform to the writing style prescribed in the latest edition of APA Publication Manual. The selected papers for publication incorporating suggestions made by the reviewers need to be submitted on April 1, 2011.

For questions, send inquiries to Paolo Valdez using the aforementioned e-mail address.