

ITA Interest Section Schedule - TESOL 2010 - BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

**THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 2010**

10:00 AM-10:45 AM Discussion Group (45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 104 C  
**ITA Performance Test Rubrics: What Works? How Do We Know?**  
Virginia Maurer, Barbara Gourlay, Susan Sarwark

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10:00 AM-11:45 AM Intersection with CALL and SPLIS (1 hour 45 minutes) BCC 102A  
**Can Oral Skills and Pronunciation be Taught Effectively On Line?**  
Deborah Healy, Holly Gray, Kathi Cennamo, Peter Brandt

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11:00 AM - 11:45 AM Discussion Group (45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 106  
**ITA Programs Using Technology: A Follow-Up**  
Mary Jetter, Stew Markel

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1:00 PM - 3:45 PM Academic Session (2 hours 45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 105  
**Interpretation and Misinterpretation With ITAs**  
Barbara Beers, Barbara Gourlay, Douglas Margolis, Pamela Pollock

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5:00 PM – 7:00 PM ITA Come one come all! The ITA-IS needs to hear your voice!  
**Interest Section Business Meeting** (followed by ITA-IS Dinner/Social)

**FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 2010**

10:00 AM - 10:45 AM Research-oriented Presentation (45 minutes) Westin - Douglas  
**Task-Based Assessment of International Teaching Assistants' Spoken English**  
Autumn Witt, Karen Barto-Sisamout, Jun Liu Research-oriented Presentation

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10:00 AM - 11:45 AM Workshop (1 hour 45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 105  
**Innovative Uses of Video in Pronunciation and Oral Language Classrooms**  
Nicolas Gromik, Janet Goodwin, Virginia Maurer, Laura Sicola

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2:00 PM – 2:45 PM Discussion Group (45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 207  
**What ITAs Should Know About U.S. Nonverbal Classroom Communication**  
Zeynep Altinsel, Colleen Meyers, Elena Stetsenko

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3:00 PM-3:45 PM Discussion Group (45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 254 B  
**Imagining (and Cultivating) Programs for International Faculty**  
Patricia Watts, Laura Hahn

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4:00 PM - 4:45 PM Practice-oriented Presentation (45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 209  
**Budget Crisis Equals Opportunity: Cost-Effective Collaborations in Higher Ed**  
Diane Cotsonas, Elizabeth Wittner

**SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2010**

7:30 AM - 8:15 AM Practice-oriented Presentation (45 mins.) Boston Convention Center 209  
**Using a Blended Course Format in an ITA Program**  
Jody Gabler, Kim Kenyon

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10:00 AM - 10:45 AM Research-oriented Presentations (45 minutes) Westin - Adams  
**Re-Imagining ITA Training as Investment in ITAs' Future Careers**  
Gwendolyn Williams

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11:00 AM - 11:45 AM Practice-oriented Presentations (45 minutes) Westin - Adams  
**Bridging Language and Teaching Skills in ITA Programs**  
Cynthia Zooca, Derina Samuel

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1:00 PM - 2:45 PM Workshop (1 hour 45 minutes) Boston Convention Center 208  
**Just-in-Time for ITAs**  
Anne Halbert