Call for Proposals: 2020 Special Topic Issue

TESOL Quarterly (TQ) is seeking proposals from prospective guest editors for the 2020 special topic issue. Proposals are chosen by the TQ Editorial Advisory Board, and the guest editor(s) are responsible for overseeing the review process and selecting the content of the issue. The issue will appear in September 2020. Successful proposals have an overarching theme that is timely and interesting to the TQ readership. Examples of previous special issues are:

- 2006: Race and TESOL
- 2007: TESOL and Policy Enactments: Perspectives from Practice
- 2008: Psycholinguistics and TESOL
- 2009: Teacher-Based Assessment: An International Perspective on Theory and Practice
- 2010: Policy, Research, Theory and Practice in Adult Immigration Programs
- 2011: Narrative Research in TESOL
- 2012: Novice Professionals in TESOL
- 2013: Plurilingualism in TESOL
- 2014: K-12 Standards-Based Educational Reform: Implications for Immigrant and Indigenous English Language Learner Populations
- 2015: Multimodality in TESOL
- 2016: Language Teacher Identity in Multilingual Education
- 2017: Complementary Perspectives on Task-based Classroom Realities
- 2018: At the Cross-roads of TESOL and English Medium Instruction
- 2019: No special issue

Proposals should include the following information:

- Need and rationale for this special issue (double-spaced, 3 pages)
- Possible specific topics of inquiry (double-spaced, 3 pages)
- Potential contributors
- Call for abstracts for the issue (1 page)
- Curriculum Vitae of the guest editor(s) (Maximum of two guest editors)

Our timeline is as follows:

- Notification decisions: October 1, 2018
- Call for papers appears: October 15, 2018
- Abstracts due: January 31, 2019
- Papers due: August 1, 2019
- Papers sent to reviewers: August 20, 2019
- Reviews sent to authors: October 31, 2019
- Final revisions due: January 1, 2020
- Final papers to TQ editors: March 31, 2020

For a sample proposal, or to submit a proposal, please contact Charlene Polio or Peter De Costa. The editors will provide the outline of a special issue and more detailed information for proposals. All proposals should be emailed to polio@msu.edu and pdecosta@msu.edu no later than **August 15, 2018**.

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