

NCLE Symposium: AI and Language Education

November 28th, 2025

Woburn House, Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9HQ

| Time | Title | Speaker |
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| 09:30 | <i>Arrival and Networking for in-person attendees</i> | |
| 09:50-10:00 | Opening Remarks | Professor Norbert Pachler, IOE/UCL |
| 10:00-10:25 | A Framework for Teacher-AI complementarity | Professor Mutlu Cukurova, IOE/UCL |
| 10:25-10:50 | Translanguaging and AI [Remote] | Dr Kevin Tai, The University of Hong Kong, and Seongyong Lee, University of Nottingham Ningbo China |
| 10:50-11:15 | AI and assessing and developing second language listening and speaking [Remote] | Associate Professor Vahid Aryadoust and Professor Christine Goh, NTU Singapore |
| 11:15-11:40 | AI and assessment and feedback in foreign language education | Professor Mary Richardson and Dr Catarina Correia, IOE/UCL |
| 11:40-12:00 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 12:00-12:25 | Multiparty Co-Learning and Transdisciplinary Collaboration: Cultivating Critical AI Literacy in the Development of Automated Speaking Assessment for high-stake examinations [Remote] | Dr Nick Wong, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology |
| 12:25-12:50 | Generative AI as conversational partner: Developing Critical Interactional Competence in language and culture learning | Dr David Dai and Professor Zhu Hua, IOE/UCL |
| 12:50-13:15 | The Principles of Strategic Integration of ChatGPT into Foreign Language Writing: Mediation, Design, and Guidelines | Yunan Zhang, The University of Hong Kong, and Professor Yongcan Liu, University of Cambridge |
| 13:15-14:00 | <i>Lunch</i> | |
| 14:00-14:25 | Reinforcing GCSE Vocabulary through AI-Generated Stories and Music | Joe Dale, independent consultant |
| 14:25-14:50 | Reading Between the (AI-Generated) Lines: Using NotebookLM in Language Learning | Jérôme Nogues, IOE/UCL |
| 14:50-15:15 | Delineating algorithmically mediated and human-mediated pedagogy (incl. lesson planning) | Professor Norbert Pachler and Dr Keith Turvey, IOE/UCL |
| 15:15-16:00 | <i>Plenary</i> | |

Format: 15 minutes presentations followed by 10 minutes Q&A

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