

Wireless Ready

Podcasting Education and Mobile Assisted Language Learning

Saturday, 24th March 2007

NUCB Graduate School, Fushimi Campus, Nagoya University of Commerce & Business, Japan

09:00 - 09:50	Registration	
09:50 - 10:00	Welcome to Wireless Ready	
10:00 - 10:50	Professor Steve McCarty, Osaka Jogakuin College <i>Web 2.0 Technologies and iPods for Research and Mobility</i>	
10:50 - 11:00	<i>Break</i>	
11:00 - 11:50	Chris Houser, Educational Technology Consultant and Trainer <i>Using Mobile Phones for Foreign Language Education</i>	
11:50 - 13:20	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:20 - 14:10	Michael Vallance, Future University, Hokkaido <i>iPod therefore iWrite: the Challenge of 'Informed Use' of Learning Technologies</i>	
14:10 - 14:20	<i>Break</i>	
14:20 - 15:30	Panel A <i>Robert Chartrand & Bill Pellowe</i> <i>Bob Diem & Roberto Rabbini</i>	Panel B <i>Nicolas Gromik</i> <i>Jenny Ang Lu</i>
15:30 - 15:40	<i>Break</i>	
15:40 - 16:50	Panel C <i>Terasa Chen</i> <i>David Ockert</i> <i>Nathaniel Carney</i>	Panel D <i>Marcel Van Amelsvoort</i> <i>William Gatton</i> <i>Toshikazu Kikuchi</i>
16:50 - 17:00	<i>Break</i>	
17:00 - 17:30	Keynote Speaker Panel <i>Web 2.0 Technologies and Language Learning: the Transformation of Learning</i>	

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Keynote Speakers



Professor Steve McCarty

Steve McCarty is Professor of English at Osaka Jogakuin College in Japan. Since 1983 he has been active in the Japan Association for Language Teaching, including the highest appointed office representing all research groups. In 1988 he was elected President of the World Association for Online Education (WAOE) accessible at: <<http://www.waoe.org>>. His keynote paper discusses the relationship between Web 2.0 technologies, podcasting and mobile learning. His website is at: <<http://www.waoe.org/steve/presence.html>>



Michael Vallance Ph.D.

Michael Vallance is Associate Professor at Future University in Hokkaido, Japan. He is the co-author of *Using IT in the Language Classroom* and co-editor of *Teaching English to ESL Chinese Students*. His keynote presentation begins with a summary of the transformation potential of ICT, presents an overview of current practice utilizing iPods in education, and focuses on his research on the use of iWriter software for writing project. He is currently researching task design and associated cognitive outcomes enabled by synchronous technologies. His website is at: <<http://homepage.mac.com/mvallance>>



Chris Houser Ph.D.

For the past decade, Associate Professor Chris Houser has been involved with computer arts and sciences at Kinjo Gakuin University in Japan, where he teaches computer animation and programming - in Japanese. His research, published in 29 papers and 42 presentations, includes developing and testing mobile and web-based educational technology, novel user interfaces, and experimental programming languages and systems. Earlier, Chris spent a decade working as a programmer. He holds a Ph.D. in the human use of computers. His website is at: <<http://www.studypatch.net/houser/>>

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We are close to the Kanko Hotel, one of the most famous in the city of Nagoya and ideal for overnight accommodation..

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