

An Evening/Retreat with Scott Thornsbury

JALT 4 Corners Tour - Hamamatsu/Toyohashi Chapters

Evening Programs - Thursday, OCTOBER 31st, 6:30 – 8:00
Retreat - Thursday & Friday, OCTOBER 31st/NOVEMBER 1st

Miasaka (near Bentenjima station on lake Hamana)
Hotel Kuratake “THE OCEAN” <http://kts-the-ocean.com>

Presentation Title: Grammar or speaking? Or both?

Can you learn to speak without grammar? Can you learn grammar without speaking?
Is there a special grammar of speech? What's the best way to learn speaking?
In this workshop I will address these questions and demonstrate ways that speaking and grammar can be integrated.

BIOGRAPHY: (FROM SCOTT'S WEB SITE) My name is Scott Thornsbury. I'm a teacher and teacher educator, with over 30 years' experience in English language teaching, and an MA from the University of Reading. I am currently Associate Professor of English Language Studies at the [New School](#) in New York, where I teach on an on-line MATESOL program. My previous experience includes teaching and teacher training in Egypt, UK, Spain (where I live), and in my native New Zealand. My writing credits include several [award-winning books](#) for teachers on language and methodology. I am series editor for the [Cambridge Handbooks for Teachers](#) (CUP). I was also the co-founder of the **dogme** ELT group, whose archived website, called *Teaching Unplugged*, can be [found here](#). I am also the Academic Director of the [International Teacher Development Institute \(iTDi\)](#), an online campus dedicated to teacher development.

MORE ABOUT SCOTT and DOGME in the July/August “The Language Teacher”
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Evening Program (includes presentation & buffet dinner):
¥ 4,000 (member), ¥5000 (nonmember)

Retreat Stay (includes presentation, buffet dinner, hotel room):
¥10,300 (member), ¥11,300 (nonmember)