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Topic

The development of speaking tasks for specific purposes including academic.

Abstract

This session will focus on Speaking task design and the different questions that developers need to ask and address as they develop speaking tasks for specific testing purposes. The session will key concepts such as context and authenticity, and provide some sample tasks for participants to consider. This session will be useful to anyone developing tests for Speaking skills or interested in becoming a test item writer.

