

About AINET

AINET is a community of teachers, trainers, teacher educators and others interested in the teaching of English. It is affiliated to the International Association of Teachers of English (IATEFL), UK. Its main activities include publications, conferences, workshops, training, research projects and supporting institutions in organizing academic events. Besides a biennial international conference, AINET also conducts theme-based conferences, workshops and projects every year.

About STPBCS

Sri T. P. Bhatia College of Science is managed by the well-known Kandivli Education Society, Mumbai and counts among the leading higher secondary institutions in Mumbai. It offers +2 level courses in science of Maharashtra State Board of Education. The college has excellent infrastructure and learning-friendly environment. It offers a blend of modern technology, personal care, opportunities for all-round development and emphasis on practical application of learning. Its students and teachers have many academic and extra-curricular achievements to their credit.

About MEET

MEET (Mumbai English Educators Team) was launched by a passionate group of English teachers from Mumbai as a forum for professional development especially targeting secondary and higher secondary teachers. It conducts periodic workshops, training programmes and other need-based activities for English teachers.

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4th AINET International Conference

MUMBAI, 2-3 FEBRUARY, 2018

Conference Theme

“Future of ELE –
Perceptions and Perspectives”

Venue

Sri T. P. Bhatia College of Science

Shantilal Modi Road, Bhagat Colony,
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Mentoring Support

Facing difficulties with your presentations? AINET is happy to offer mentoring support for presenters. We will help you to prepare your presentations. If you plan to base it on a research study, we may help you with the study as well. Please send a mail to theainet@gmail.com and we will connect you with our experienced mentors.

Important Deadlines

- ◆ Presentation proposal submission – 30 November 2017
- ◆ Feedback on submissions – 15 December 2017
- ◆ Registration of presenters – 02 January 2018
- ◆ Early bird delegate registration – 15 January 2018

How to Reach?

Location map: <http://tinyurl.com/ainet2018venue>

- ◆ **By train** – (coming from North/ West) nearest station is **Borivali**, about 25 minutes drive by taxi. (From South/ East) Take a taxi from **Dadar** (55 minutes) or from **CST** station (75 minutes), or take a western line local train to **Kandivali** (35/45 min), and then a taxi/ auto (7-8 min).
- ◆ **By air** – about 45 min drive from Mumbai airport.

Conference Programme (Tentative)

Friday, 2 February 2018	
10.00 – 11.00	Inaugural Session
11.15 – 12.00	Keynote Address
12.10 – 1.00	Opening Plenary
2.00 – 3.30	Paper Presentations Round 1
4.00 – 5.00	Workshops Round 1
Saturday, 3 February 2018	
10.00 – 11.30	Paper Presentations Round 2
12.00 – 1.00	Panel Discussion
2.00 – 3.00	Workshops Round 2
3.30 – 4.15	Closing Plenary
4.20 – 5.00	Valedictory Session

Focus Areas

- Curriculums and Syllabuses
- Learner Strategies/Styles
- Materials/ Coursebooks
- Methods and Approaches
- Learner/ Teacher Motivation
- Technology in ELE
- ELE Policies in India and Asia
- Teaching Language Skills
- Teacher Training/ Development
- Testing and Evaluation
- Psychology of Learners/ Learning
- History of ELE in India
- Teaching of English Literature
- English as Medium of Instruction

Call for Presentations

Proposals are invited for

- * Paper Presentations (15 min) * Workshops (30 min)
- * Poster Displays
- ◆ Email the completed **Presenter Proposal Form** (available at conf.theainet.net) to theainet@gmail.com by 30 November 2017.
- ◆ Send ONLY as **MS Word** file via **email attachment**. No PDF, scanned images or other formats please!
- ◆ All approved presenters must complete their registration by **02 January 2018**, failing which their proposals may not be included in the conference programme.
- ◆ Proposals will be subjected to scrutiny and editorial review. Presenters may be asked to make revisions, if necessary, as suggested by the Review Committee.

Special Highlights

- ◆ Poster presentations are highly encouraged. There will be special awards for outstanding posters.
- ◆ **NEW!** We are happy to give space to any presenters who may prefer to use Hindi for their presentations. Please mention in your presenter form that you wish to present in Hindi.



How to Register?

Email the completed **Delegate Registration form** (available at conf.theainet.net) to theainet@gmail.com. **Only MS Word files; no PDF or scanned images, please!**

How to Pay?

- ◆ **By bank transfer** to account number 520101026162871 (Corporation Bank, Bhandara, IFSC Code CORP0003349, A/c name "AINET"). **Send a copy of the transaction slip by email to theainet@gmail.com or by WhatsApp to 73049 11033.**
- ◆ **By Cheque/DD** in the name of "AINET" (+ Rs. 60 bank charges for cheques). Write your name on the reverse of the cheque and send to Amol Padwad, Secretary, AINET, 69, Tondon Ward, Bhandara 441904 Mah)

Delegate Fee

- ◆ **Until 15 January 2018**
Rs. 1500 (USD 40 for overseas participants)
- ◆ **After 15 January 2018**
Rs. 2500 (USD 60 for overseas participants)

Delegate fees will cover conference material, lunch, snacks and teas.

Grants and Awards

- ◆ AINET travel grants to teachers without enough means to support their participation.
- ◆ Special awards for innovative and insightful high-value presentations!
- ◆ Loads of other prizes and surprises on offer!

Accommodation

Delegates are expected to make their own arrangements of accommodation. Hotels with a wide range of tariffs are available around the conference venue. Besides Kandivali – the location of the conference venue – you may also search in Borivali, Malad, Jogeshwari and Goregaon which are close to Kandivali.