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## Conference Announcements

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The twenty-third annual convention of TESOL (Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages) will be held at the San Antonio Convention Center in San Antonio, Texas March 6-11, 1989. Contact: Richard Orem, Convention Chair, TESOL '89, TESOL Central Office, 1118 22nd Street, NW, Suite 205, Washington, D.C. 20037.

The third annual Conference on Pragmatics and Language Learning, organized by the Division of English as an International Language at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and its Intensive English Institute, will be held April 12-14, 1989. The focus is on the interaction of pragmatics (including discourse analysis and conversation analysis) with the teaching and/or learning of a second or foreign language (especially English) in either formal or informal surroundings. Keynote speakers will be Charles Ferguson and Georgia Green. Proposals for papers are invited. The deadline for receipt of abstracts is February 3, 1989. Contact: Lawrence F. Bouton and Yamuna Kachru, Conference Co-chairs, Division of English as an International Language, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 707 South Mathews Avenue, 3070 Foreign Languages Building, Urbana IL 61801.

The second International Language Testing Conference, sponsored by the Japan Association of Language Teachers, is scheduled to be held March 30-31, 1989 at the Foreign Language Center, The University of Tsukuba in Japan. Proposals for papers are encouraged. The deadline is October 1, 1988. Contact H. Asano, International Language Testing Conference, Foreign Language Center, The University of Tsukuba, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken 305, Japan.