

# Abstract

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## **“Teaching English in the Middle East: Cultural and Pedagogical Perspectives”**

? It is a 45-minute presentation on various challenges of teaching in the Middle East, including specific pragmatic speech issues relevant to student-teacher interaction, lack of learner autonomy, culturally specific classroom gender issues, teaching from a communicative approach, &#97;&#110;&#100; using task-based &#97;&#110;&#100; constructivists learning models