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## **ESOL: A Critical Guide**

This book is about the teaching and learning of ESOL – English for Speakers of Other Languages – for adult migrants in countries where English is the dominant language. It is for teachers and teacher-educators who wish to extend their understanding of the issues and debates surrounding ESOL in an age of globalization and mass migration.

The authors draw on their experience of researching and teaching ESOL, and the book is brought to life with the voices of students and teachers involved in their research.

ESOL: A Critical Guide adopts a questioning stance towards the practices, policies, and cultures that shape the field.

## The chapters cover:

- ESOL students and teachers, their diversity and range
- the content and practice of ESOL
- teaching and learning oral communication
- literacy and electronic literacy
- teacher education
- ESOL around the world.

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