

SATURDAY PLENARY**10:30 – 11:45 am Hilton International Ballroom****Whole-Person Learning and Teaching in the SECOND Decade of the Millennium***H. Douglas Brown, Emeritus Professor of English, San Francisco State University*

As we wrap up the first decade of the new millennium in a few months (yes, 2009 is the tenth year of the twenty-first century!), what have we learned in those ten years and what challenges present themselves to English teachers for the next decade? The focus in this presentation will be on three important issues in our practice that speak to the conference theme of whole-person learning and teaching: (1) addressing the *situated lives* of learners; (2) authentic *assessment* in our classrooms; and (3) our critical role as *socially responsible* teachers. The audience will be challenged in all their diverse contexts of teaching to use lessons from our past to shape our future.

Dr. Brown is Emeritus Professor of English, San Francisco State University. For 22 years, he was the Director of SFSU's American Language Institute. Previously, he taught at the University of Michigan and the University of Illinois. He is a former President of TESOL, and is a recipient of TESOL's James E. Alatis Award for Distinguished Service. He has lectured across the USA and in many foreign countries. He has published many articles and books on second language acquisition and pedagogy, including: *Principles of Language Learning and Teaching* (5th Edition, 2007), *Teaching by Principles* (3rd Edition, 2007), and *Language Assessment: Principles and Classroom Practices* (2004). Professor Brown's current research interests center on critical pedagogy, classroom language assessment, and second language acquisition.

Wine & Light Dinner Social

Cost: \$24

Tickets available at the Hospitality Booth

Saturday, 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

CATESOL has reserved the Red Room at the nearby Bodega Wine Bar, across the street from the Convention Center in trendy Paseo Colorado. After the bustle of the conference, enjoy some good music in a conversation-friendly atmosphere along with a glass of your favorite wine or something new from Bodega's extensive collection of reds and whites. Relish a scrumptious variety of gourmet pizzas, cheeses, hummus and pita, and more.

Your admission includes a glass of premium wine and a selection of food, plus tax and gratuity. For those who don't care for wine, two glasses of beer or soft drinks may be substituted. Additional beverages and food are available for purchase. The Wine Bar is open until 1 a.m., so feel free to stay as long as you like and experience the full extent of what Bodega has to offer.