



FR 4.3 Anglistik, Amerikanistik und Anglophone Kulturen,
Zentrum für Lehrerbildung (ZfL),
Landesinstitut für Pädagogik und Medien (LPM) &
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4th Teachers' Day: Grammar Rules?

Workshop Scott Thornbury

How Grammar Fits: The Role of Text

Traditionally, questions of grammar are dealt with at the level of the sentence, and divorced from their larger contexts - an inevitable consequence of a bottom-up view of language. However, discourse analysis has revealed a greater interdependence of word, grammar and text than language descriptions have traditionally acknowledged. In this workshop, I will demonstrate the interdependence of grammar, text and context, and show a range of ways in which texts and contexts can be given a more prominent role in language instruction. Text-based consciousness-raising activities will be outlined, showing how the three levels of word, grammar, and text can be integrated.