## Representative talks and workshops given by Martin Eayrs

Recently I have been giving talks in the general areas of testing, language and literature. However I have a catalogue of past talks and workshops that I can rework if required and am happy to produce new topics on request if they fit in with my areas of expertise

Listed below are some representative topics (not titles) that I have given recently or which I am preparing for clients in 2017.

- Using photos in ELT teaching and materials production
- Using poetry in the language class
- Critical thinking and reflective teaching
- The language of advertising
- Some differences between US and UK English
- Argentine English
- Language taboos and –isms
- EAP in England and Argentina
- Why, what and how we test
- How to write tests some pointers
- Advanced language workshops
- Problems faced by Spanish-speaking learners of English.

I can also arrange some longer sessions as workshops up to 12 hours: typically these are in the area of language and cover areas such as 'dialect and accent', 'jargon and slang', 'style and register', etc.

Please contact me at <u>martin@eayrs.com</u> with the subject header 'Talks Enquiry' if you would like to discuss the possibility of my coming to your institution,