

Biodata: Getachew Bekele, Tamiru Olana, Sherif Ali



Getachew Bekele is an accomplished scholar with a PhD in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL). With nearly three decades of teaching experience across primary, secondary, and tertiary levels, he has made a significant contribution to English language education in Ethiopia. The extensive classroom practice he has is complemented by a deep research interest in language skills development, critical thinking enhancement, and the pedagogical implications of code switching. He is also devoted to advancing effective, contextually responsive English language teaching methodologies that empower learners to think critically and communicate confidently in academic and real-world settings.



Tamiru Olana Defa is an Associate Professor in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL). Currently, he has been teaching and advising M.A. and Ph.D. TEFL students. He has more than 37 research publications and 38 years of teaching experience at Nekemte College of Teacher Education and Wollega University, Ethiopia. He is a director of Six Journals at the University.

Sherif Ali is an experienced scholar who held his BA, MA and PhD in TEFL at Addis Ababa University. He has been teaching English at secondary and tertiary levels for about four decades. Currently, he is teaching at Wollega University. He has been teaching BA, MA and PhD students. He has advised more than 150 MA students and seven PhD students.