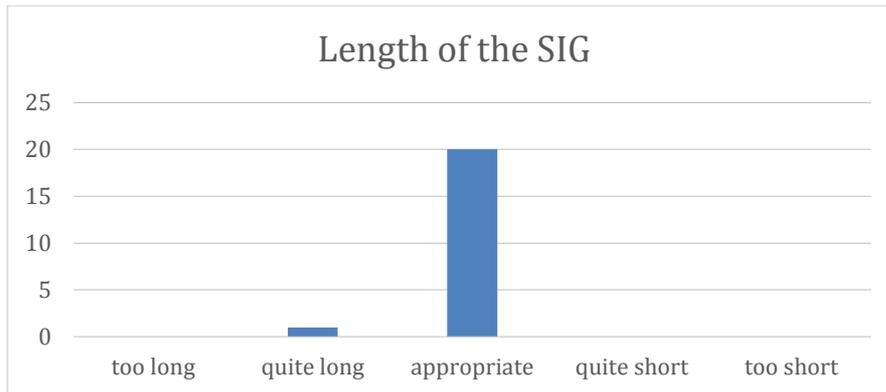


Evaluation of the EALTA SIG Meeting 6/7 February 2015
The Centre for Applied Linguistics, University of Warwick, UK
Organized by Claudia Harsch, convenor of the SIG

About 30 participants attended the EALTA SIG Meeting for assessment of writing and EAP. 21 kindly evaluated the meeting. The following reports the results from the evaluation forms:

1. Length of the SIG:



2. Quality of the SIG



3. Opportunity for participation and discussion:

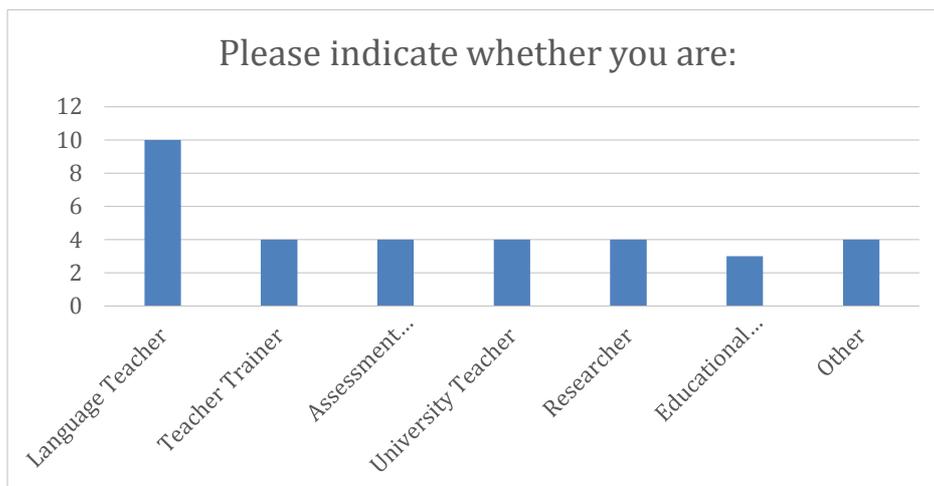


4. Opportunity to learn:



5. Job:

In this question, participants had the chance to choose one or more options. MA students and a test developer were among those who chose *other* as one of the given options.



Comments:

1. The meeting was so broad in focus but also relevant. I learned a lot from each session.
2. Brilliant meeting. Well organized. And I have learned a lot from it.
3. I really appreciate the time allocated for each presentation and the ample opportunities for discussions that were offered. Two very valuable days!!
4. The opportunity for discussion was the best part. There was a decent amount of discussion time after each presentation.
5. I really appreciate this chance. It's a great opportunity to study.
6. Happy to be here.
7. This seminar has been unlike any other I have attended. I found the overall friendless and transparency and collaborative spirit is a breath of

fresh air. Variety and quality of presentations were well selected and done.

8. This is really fantastic. I enjoyed it so much. The presentations and the seminar are interesting.
9. It was a great meeting.
10. Good arrangements.
11. Loved how positive all it was!
12. *Thank you* are used in most of the forms

Suggestions for future SIG meetings:

1. Focus on assessment of oral skills.
2. Approaches to rater training.
3. I am from Asia and cannot attend these meetings all the time, I suggest uploading the presentations after the meeting to keep track of everything in EALTA SIG meetings.
4. I would like to know more about Pearson testing. And to invite a speaker from Pearson.
5. Discussion of common preessional writing issues.
6. I am a teacher at junior high and high school in my country. I believe schoolteachers like me should have opportunities to take part in this kind of meetings. Why don't you invite them?