

人間社会学部／基盤教育センター	職名	教授	氏名	Stuart Gale
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## 1. 教員紹介・主な研究分野

Stuart Gale was born and raised in Hertfordshire, England. After graduating from The University of Leeds with a BA in history, he came to Japan in the spring of 1993 to pursue a career in teaching. He returned to the UK to study for a Master's degree in English language teaching at The University of London, passing with a distinction grade in 2002, and has since taught at Fukuoka Women's University, Fukuoka University, Kyushu University, Kyushu Sangyo University, and Seinan Gakuin University. He joined Fukuoka Prefectural University as a full-time faculty member in the spring of 2007 and was awarded a professorship in 2018. He teaches a variety of English-language and liberal arts subjects in FPU's General Education Center within the Faculty of Integrated Human Studies and Social Sciences.

Stuart Gale's research activities encompass three main areas of enquiry, the first concerning the development of critical thinking skills in Japanese university students. Aside from designing courses in pursuit of this objective, he has also authored the textbooks *Provoke a Response: Critical Thinking through Data Analysis* (2016) and *Japan Goes Global! Thinking Critically about Japanese Popular Culture* (2018). His second area of research concerns academic writing and how it may be taught more effectively to Japanese university students. This (action) research is conducted in university writing classes and involves a process of ongoing evaluation and modification. The results of this research have been incorporated into the academic writing textbook *Structure, Structure, Structure: The Best Guide to Reading and Writing Ever* (2012) and FPU's virtual learning website. Stuart Gale was invited to present on the subjects of teaching academic writing and the enhancement of critical thinking skills at the Fukuoka ALT Skills Development Conference in 2012 and 2013, and the Oita ALT Skills Development Conference in 2014. His third and final area of research concerns the development of study-abroad and online exchange programmes and the facilitation of intercultural communicative competence.

## 2. 研究業績

### ①最近の著書・論文

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### ②その他最近の業績

<学会発表>

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### ③過去の主要業績

- Gale, S. (Feb., 2019). Putting the critical cat among the patriotic pigeons: guiding principles for the teaching of critical thinking as a precursor to critical writing in the Japanese EFL classroom. *Journal of the Faculty of Integrated Human Studies and Social Sciences Fukuoka Prefectural University*, Vol. 20, No. 1, pp. 1-13.
- Gale, S. (Sept., 2019). Evaluating a university preparation course for a short-term study abroad program in terms of its ability

to alleviate student anxiety prior to departure. *Journal of the Faculty of Integrated Human Studies and Social Sciences Fukuoka Prefectural University*, Vol. 28, No. 1, pp. 1-25.

- Gale, S. (Feb., 2020). Addressing a supposed deficiency: a critical thinking and process-writing methodology for Japanese EFL. *Journal of the Faculty of Integrated Human Studies and Social Sciences Fukuoka Prefectural University*, Vol. 28, No. 2, pp. 19-40.

### 3. 外部研究資金

### 4. 受賞

### 5. 所属学会

Japan Association of Language Teachers (Fukuoka Chapter, Critical Thinking Special Interest Group);

Asia TEFL

### 6. 担当授業科目

リーディング・ライティング上級(1)・1単位・1年・前期

リーディング・ライティング上級(2)・1単位・1年・後期

スピーキング・リスニング上級(1)・1単位・1年・前期

スピーキング・リスニング上級(2)・1単位・1年・後期

総合英語上級(1)・1単位・2年・前期

総合英語上級(2)・1単位・2年・後期

英語 IV(1)・1単位・3年・前期

英語 IV(2)・1単位・3年・後期

海外語学実習事前指導・1単位・1~4年・後期

海外語学実習・1単位・1~4年・後期

Introduction to Studying in English・1単位・1~2年・前期

Advanced English Achievement・1単位・3~4年・後期

グローバル社会論(補助)・1単位・1~4年・後期

Postgraduate Presentation Skills Development in English・1単位・大学院生・後期

### 7. 社会貢献活動

Stuart Gale hosts bi-monthly, two-hour discussion group meetings at the university. These meetings run all year round—even when university classes are not in session—and are attended by high school English teachers, business leaders and other local citizens. The meetings are designed to facilitate the further development of their English-language and critical thinking skills in a relaxed and stimulating academic environment.

## 8. 学外講義・講演

【6月3日】出前講義・入試説明会等

電気ビルみらいホール

福岡市中央区渡辺通 2-1-82 電気ビル共創館 3階

## 9. 附属研究所の活動等

As the head of Fukuoka Prefectural University's International Exchange Committee (国際交流推進部会長), Stuart Gale is the de facto head of the International Exchange Center (国際交流センター) and, by extension, a member of the Affiliated Research Center's management committee (附属研究所運営部会).