

Curriculum Vitae: Mary Adams

Education, Qualifications:

- 2010-2011 **Diploma in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (DELTA)**,
University of Cambridge, UK: (Received: March 2012)
Modules 1, Module 2 and Module 3 (Specialism: ESP- English for Health Visitors).
- 1990-1997 **Official Oral Examiner of French as a foreign language** (National Examining
Board, Department of Education, Ireland).
- 1986 Certificate in TEFL (intensive course), Cork, Ireland.
- 1980 **Registered Secondary School Teacher in the Department of Education, Dublin,
Ireland.**
- 1980 **Higher Diploma in Education - teacher training (PGCE - Postgraduate
Certificate in Education in teaching English)**, University College Cork, Ireland.
- 1979 **Bachelor of Arts in English and French, University College Cork, Ireland.**
- 1976-1979 Studied English and French at University College Cork, Ireland.

Work Experience:

Free University of Bolzano.

- 2020/2025 *Teaching Assistant: Academic Writing for the Faculty of Design and Art*, Free
University of Bolzano 1st Semester (30 hours per semester)
- 2020/2025 *Teaching Assistant: Specialised Language Course for Economics and Social
Sciences – Basic*, Free University of Bolzano 1st Semester (60 hours per semester)
- 2022/2024 *Teaching Assistant: Communication and Presentation Skills in Specialised
Language (Tourism, Sport and Event Management)*, Free University of Bolzano
2nd Semester
- 2024 **Extensive language course C1** Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
(40 hours)
- 2022 **Intensive language course B2.2a**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
(September 60 hours)
- 2022 **Intensive language course B2.1a**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
(July 60 hours)
- 2021 **Extensive language course B2.2a** Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
(40 hours)

- 2021 **Extensive language course C1** Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2021 **Intensive language course C1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (September 40 hours)
- 2021 **Extensive language course C1 for Academic Staff** , Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2021 **Intensive language course C1 for Academic Staff** , Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (February 40 hours)
- 2020 **Intensive language course C1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (September 40 hours)
- 2020 **Extensive language course B2** , Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2020 **Intensive language course B2** , Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (July 60 hours)
- 2019 **Intensive language course C1** , Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (September 80 hours)
- 2019 **Intensive language course C1 for Academic staff**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (July 40 hours)
- 2019 **Extensive General English C1 Admin. Staff**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2019 **Extensive General English B2.2a**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2019 **Intensive language course C1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (February 80 hours)
- 2018 *Teaching Assistant: Specialised Language Course for Economics and Social Sciences – Basic*, Free University of Bolzano 1 Semester (30 hours)
- 2018 **Extensive General English B2.2b**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2018 **Extensive General English A2/B1 Admin. Staff**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2018 **Intensive language course B2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (September 120 hours)
- 2018 **Intensive language course C1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (February 80 hours)

- 2017 **C1 Course for Administrative Staff**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2017 **General English B2.2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2017 **Intensive language course B2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2016-2017 **Specialised Language Course for Economics – Basic**, Free University of Bolzano 1 Semester (40 hours)
- 2016 **Intensive language course B2.1a, 1b, 2a, Language Centre**, Free University of Bolzano (120 hours)
- 2015 **Intensive language course B2.1a, 1b, 2a**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano (120 hours)
- 2014-2016 **General English B2.2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2014-2015 **General English B1.1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2014-2015 **CAE Preparation Course** (co-teaching), Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (20 hours)
- 2014-2015 **General English B1.2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2014-2015 **General English B2.1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2014-2015 **English language advisor** at the Language Centre, Brixen.
- 2013-2014 **English for University Lecturers C1**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2013-2014 **Studium General (Refresh your English) A2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2013 **General English C1** (Researchers/Professors), Language Centre, Brixen. (20 hours)
- 2013-2014 **General English B1-B2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2013-2014 **Speaking and Listening in English B1-B2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2012-2013 **Studium General (Refresh your English) A2**, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours)
- 2012 **IELTS Preparation Course** at the Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (30 hours)
- 2012 **FCE Preparation Course** (one-to-one Director of Administration), FUB.
- 2010 **Teaching General English to Administration Staff**, Free University of Bolzano. (20 hours)

2001-2004 **Teaching English to Design students in preparation for LAT**, at the Language
2006-2008/ Centre, Free University of Bolzano. (40 hours per course)
2011

Claudiana – Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano.

- 2007-2023 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Biomedical Laboratory Science, The Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Rome** at Claudiana: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (75 hours per course)
- 2018-2019 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Occupational Health and Safety, The Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Rome** at Claudiana: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (36 hours)
- 2016-2018 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Radiology, The Catholic University of the Sacred Heart (UCSC), Rome** at Claudiana: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (36 hours)
- 2011-2012/ **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree
2014-2015 Scientific English course in **Podiatry, University La Sapienza, Rome** at Claudiana: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (75 hours) + (75 hours)
- 2014-2015 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Occupational Health and Safety, The Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Rome** at Claudiana Bolzano: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (75 hours)
- 2012-2013 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Midwifery, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Roma (UCSC) / Claudiana Bolzano: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (30 hours)**
- 2009-2012 **Designing and teaching** general English course and Scientific English for the degree course in **Health Visiting, The Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Rome** at Claudiana: Third Level College of Healthcare, Bolzano. (75 hours)
- 2000-2005 **Responsible for co-ordinating teachers/ materials and teaching English** (ESP and General English) for Nurses at Claudiana, Bolzano. (Piccadilly Language School)

Language Assessment:

- 2008-2025 **Oral examiner (Free University of Bolzano (2008 - 2022) & Alpha Beta School (currently) for ESOL examinations (FCE, CAE), University of Cambridge, UK.**
- 2012-2025 **Member of CBE commissions (oral language testing) B1/B2/C1 levels,** Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
- 2016 **Research Assistant** (benchmarking for Assessing Speaking project – C1), Free University of Bolzano.

- 2013-2015 Member of **CBE Work Group** (Materials Development for oral exam B2+/C1 levels), Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano.
- 2003-2010 Member of **Faculty of Design commissions** (for English language testing) Free
2014 -2021 University of Bolzano.
- 2003-2010 Member of **Faculty of Economics commissions** (for English language testing) Free
2014-2016 University of Bolzano.
- 2001-2012 Member of **Language Admissions Test commission (LAT)**
(English language testing) Free University of Bolzano.

Freelance work:

- 2019 ***English live, live the language*** – workshop for non-native English teachers
Deutsches Schulamt /Automne Provinz Bozen - Goldrein Castle. (20 hours)
- 2019 **Language Project + CAE/FCE preparation**, Carducci Secondary School, Bolzano
(50 hours)
- 2018 **Talente Tage 2018 – Two day Workshop: *Australia***
Deutsches Schulamt /Automne Provinz Bozen - Sudtiroil (2 day workshop)
- 2018 **Legal English – 9 hour course for staff:** Crepaz and Lenzi Notary Studio,
Bolzano.
- 2016 **Workshop for English teachers: 'Ireland'** (classroom activities: The Troubles,
Immigration and The Oral Tradition) Deutsches Schulamt /Automne Provinz Bozen
(7 hours)
- 2016 **'Lettrice' Workshop in English** , Carducci Secondary School, Bolzano
(10 hours)
- 2014 **'Lettrice' Workshop in English**, Carducci Secondary School, Bolzano.
(10 hours)
- 2013 **Talente Tage 2013 – Three day Workshop: *Juice up your English!***
Deutsches Schulamt /Automne Provinz Bozen - Sudtiroil (3 day workshop)
- 2009 **'Lettrice' Workshop in English**, Carducci Secondary School, Bolzano.
- 2005-2007 **Teaching English as a Foreign Language (A2-B2)** at VOG (Fruit Growers
Association), Terlano, Italy.
- 2000-2005 **Teaching English as a Foreign Language (A1-CAE)** at Piccadilly School of
English, Bolzano.
- 2000 **TOEFL exam preparation course (*ILS)** at Boston Consulting, Milan.

- 1997-2000 **Teaching English as a Foreign Language** at *International Language School (ILS), Milan, Italy. (A1-FCE), also Business English: Bayer and Samsung.
- 1992-1994 **Teaching English as a Foreign Language** at The Lawton School of English (Young Learners-FCE), Gijon, Spain.
- 1982-1997 **Teaching English and French (as a foreign language)** at Mount St. Michael's Secondary School, Rosscarbery, Co.Cork, Ireland.
- 1982 Conversational English and French: Chateau Beau Cedrè, Montreux, Switzerland.
- 1980-1981 **Teaching English as a Foreign Language** at College Antoine Risso, Nice, France.

Professional Development:

2007-2024 Participation in **Teacher Development courses and workshops :**

- *Standard Setting, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano, November 2024*
- *ChatGPT seminar, Centre for Academic Writing , Free University of Bolzano, November 2023*
- *Task Based Language Teaching, Language Centre, Free University of Bolzano, October 2023*
- *Symposium: Tertiary Teaching for the Multilingual University, Faculty of Education, Free University Bolzano June 11 & 12 2021*
- *Teaching English Online (Oxfordtefl, Teacher Training online – 30 hours) February 2021*
- *Teaching English for Academic Purposes (Oxfordtefl, Teacher Training online – 30 hours) November 2020*
- *TESOL Italy's 45th Virtual National Convention "Enriching Learning & Teaching" November 2020.*
- *TESOL Teaching English Offline and Online, Webinar (TESOL Italy-Alto Adige Group), September 2020*
- *Teaching Online (British Council Webinar) April 2020*
- *Teaching English as a Third Language, (TESOL Italy-Alto Adige Group), November 2019*
- *Intensive Language Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, Free University Bolzano, October 2019*
- *Clill April 2019*
- *International Symposium: Teaching Languages for Specific and Academic Purposes Free University Bolzano, June 2018*
- *Encouraging healthy and strong beliefs about language learning (Cambridge Assessment Webinar) May 2018*
- *Celebrating Diversity: Conference for English Teachers and Principals April 2018 Deutsches Schulamt, Bozen.*
- *Scrivere con Moodle workshop LC/FUB: November 2017*
- *IATEFL 2017 Glasgow, Scotland April 2017 (International 2 day conference; new developments in TESOL- Academic Skills and ESP)*
- *Symposium on Approaches to English for Specific and Academic Purposes: Faculty of Economics and Management/Language Centre FUB/TESOL Italy December 2016*
- *Building Bridges conference (Teachers' association, Bozen) April 2016 (workshops: TED Talks and Presentations; Building Bridges with two digital tools: Socrative + Quizlet)*
- *Assessing Speaking: Filling the gap: B2+ FUB: December 2015*
- *WIKI Workshop – setting up a wiki; FUB April 2015*
- *IATEFL 2015 Manchester (International 4 day conference; new developments in TESOL): March 2015*
- *Corso Introductivo al language testing: Prof. Giuliana G. Bolli-FUB December 2014 (8 hours)*

- *Applying Conversation Analysis Workshop*: FUB November 2014
- *Teachstep Webinar/Cambridge English Teacher*: March 2013
- *Online Tools Workshop*: May 2012
- *Academic Writing Workshop* : FUB April 2012
- *ESOL Training*: FUB 2012
- *MEC Online Training*: FUB, October 2011
- *Academic Writing Workshop*: FUB May 2011
- *Introduction to English for Academic Purposes*: FUB April 2011
- *ESOL Training*: FUB February 2011
- *New English file seminar*: FUB October 2010
- *MEC-blended learning (member of work group to produce teaching manual)*: FUB June 2010
- *MEC*: FUB April 2010
- *Encouraging Learner Autonomy and using authentic texts to develop reading skills* FUB March 2010
- *Cambridge Days Plenary Sessions, Rovereto*: February, 2010
- *ESOL Training*: FUB February 2010
- *Third Language Acquisition and Multilingualism*: FUB September 2009
- *ESOL Training*: FUB May 2009
- *Macmillan English Campus training seminar (MEC)*: FUB April 2009
- *English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) Training*: June 2008
- *Cambridge Days Plenary Sessions, Verona*: November 2008
- *Introduction to Podcasting*: FUB, May 2007
- *Linguistic Consultation Introduction*: FUB, March 2008
- *BiMU 07*: FUB 2007
- *Platform e-learning Moodle*: FUB 2007