

Jayne Adelson-Goldstein is an ESL teacher educator, consultant, materials writer and frequent presenter at national and international ESOL conferences. She began her career working with helicopter pilots from the UAE in 1981 and went on to work as a classroom teacher, program coordinator, and professional development specialist with the adult division of Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD). She was an advisor and curriculum developer for LAUSD's distance learning video series: *Learning English, and Putting English to Work I and II* and during this same period, she also taught the Adult ESL Methods courses for the Ryan Adult Credential program at UCLA Extension.

In 2006, Jayme transitioned into her role as a full-time teacher educator and curriculum consultant. She developed some of the earliest online trainings for the California Adult Literacy Project (CALPRO) and the Outreach and Technical Assistance Network (OTAN), and created a series of podcasts and instructional materials for CALPRO's *Virtual Workroom for Multilevel Instructors*. In addition, she co-created and facilitated TESOL's online certificate course, *Teaching and Assessing Adult Learners*, working with teachers from the U.S., Asia, Eastern Europe and South America in intensive and exhilarating six-week sessions.

Over the last two years, as a subject matter expert on the AIR/OCTAE LINCS ESL Pro project, Jayme authored the digital magazine (companion learning resource) for *Preparing Adult English Learners for Work and Career Pathways* and provided 18 months of technical assistance for Wisconsin and Florida's adult ESOL programs in the areas of Rigor and Career Pathways, respectively. Currently, she is working with several agencies to assist with the integration of academic and employability skills into their curricula. In light of the field's needs, she has also created a suite of Open Educational Resources to support beginning and intermediate-level instructors as they focus on developing their learners' academic language and employability skills.

Jayne's publications include *Listen First, The OPD (Oxford Picture Dictionary), Read and Reflect*, and she is the series director of Oxford's adult level course *Step Forward* (second edition in press).