## 淡江大學 97 學年度碩士班招生考試試題

系別:英文學系

科目:英語教學概論

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Answer each of the following questions in essay form: 100%

- What competencies must learners acquire to become effective speakers of English?
   Explain each of the competencies and discuss what aspects of each competency would be most important for students to learn. Support your claims by referring 1) to the student and institutional variables and 2) to current insights on effective communicative language teaching. 25%
- Relate the word pairs below and show how the two sets form different views of language processing. Support your statements by referring to theories of language learning and illustrate your points with facts or examples whenever necessary. 25%

Top-down/bottom-up
Restructuring/automaticity
Global/selective
Fluency/accuracy

- 3. What learner characteristics affect the grammar instruction teachers provide their students? (Consider such characteristics as age, personality variables, etc.) Describe a specific task and explain the grammatical structures that you would present to your learners when teaching the task. 25%
- 4. What are some basic techniques of the Audiolingual Approach, and how do they reflect the influence of behaviorist psychology and structural linguistics? Why did Audiolingualism lose favor as a teaching philosophy? What are some of the real limitations of Audiolingualism? 25%