Foreword

We would like to welcome you to 2012 UAD TEFL International Conference “New Paradigms in Teaching English as a Foreign Language”, the second conference on Teaching English as a Foreign Language held by English Education Department University of Ahmad Dahlan, Yogyakarta. It is an exciting time to be involved in the world of TEFL in Indonesia as the area of discussion is getting larger and more dynamic. This year, the conference attracts more people both as presenters or participants, coming from national and international institutions. This has been reflected in the record number of abstract submissions received for UAD TEFL International Conference: 120 in total. This is an extremely time consuming and energy demanding process and we are grateful to the reviewers for all their work. At the review meeting 100 abstracts were accepted for parallel presentation session. However, among these abstracts senders, not all of them submitted their full paper version up to the deadline, so, there are 62 out of 100 papers which are made available in the conference proceedings.

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The absence of the guidelines of this publication has caused to different types of paper styles. While most of the papers in this publication follow the regular standards of academic writing – including abstract, keywords and references -, there are few of them do not. We keep them as what they are.

We hope that you enjoy reading the conference proceedings and find it an inspiring and enlightening one.

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