

ENGLISH LANGUAGE FOCUS SUMMER SCHOOL
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Introduction

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DAGAL!

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- Nimen yoog?

DAGAL 2

❖ How did you feel?

❖ Confused?

❖ Irritated / annoyed?

❖ Worried?

❖ Interested?

❖ **English as friend of foe?**

THIS WORKSHOP

- **Dagal!**
- **Introductions** (*personal, professional, role of English*)
- **The State of Play**

THE STATE OF PLAY

- English as a “lingua franca”
- English as THE academic language?
- Movement of students (*Erasmus, etc.*)
- Increasing number of English-medium courses (*Bachelor, Master, PhD*)
- First language English-speaking students
- The situation in Groningen (meetings, Student Services, HR, etc.)
- Language training for students
- Language training for teachers

OVER TO YOU

- ❑ **Groups of 2 or 3 (preferably same institution / department)**
- ❑ **Think about the situation in your workplace**
- ❑ **What about your own personal issues?**
- ❑ **Be positive as well as critical**
- ❑ **Be prepared to report back to the whole group**

A BRIEF DISCUSSION

Global English: A friend or an enemy?

- ❖ *What impact will the advance of Global (Academic) English have on you, your working practices and your future career?*