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The pretext of interpretation

Henry Widdowson began his career teaching English literature at the University of Indonesia. He then worked with teachers of English for several years in Sri Lanka and Bangladesh and subsequently taught at the universities of Edinburgh, London, Essex and Vienna. He was a founding editor of the journal *Applied Linguistics* and for thirty years acted as applied linguistics adviser to Oxford University Press. He has lectured and written extensively on applied linguistics, discourse analysis and language teaching and his books include *Defining Issues in English Language Teaching* (2003), *Text, Context, Pretext* (2004) and *Discourse Analysis* (2007) – a book in the series *Oxford Introductions to Language Study*, of which he is the editor. He is Professor Emeritus, University of London, and Honorary Professor at the University of Vienna.

Lectio Magistralis

**Henry
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15 novembre 2018

| 10h00 |

Aula SMT.08

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Docenti e studenti sono cordialmente invitati

Il decano della Scuola di Dottorato

Prof. Attilio Mastrocinque

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