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Seek out new language...

"O, wonder!
How many goodly
creatures are there here!
How beauteous mankind
is! O brave new world,
That has such people in't!"
– William Shakespeare,
The Tempest

L3 learners The Brave New World

Two Studies

- On beliefs and strategies of the learners
- Interviews/Questionnaires

Interviewees

- TWO successful learners of additional languages
- German and Spanish
- in foreign language context

How Successful are they?

- Proficiencies higher than their EFL levels
- C1 level

Open-ended questionnaire (on-going)

- 30 PLUS SUCCESSFUL LEARNERS OF ADDITIONAL LANGUAGES
- GERMAN AND SPANISH
- IN FOREIGN LANGUAGE CONTEXT

How Successful are they?

- Proficiencies higher than those of their EFL
- B1 (or higher) level

The beliefs and Choice of Strategies

- Realistic, Specific Goals
- Have Confidence in Strategies They Chose
- Enjoy Learning

Check Point A, B, and C

- Initial Turning Pont
- The Point of No-Return
- The Brave New World

Conclusion: The Brave New World

- Beliefs, Strategies and Motivation