Department Information

Spencer Professorships

Applications for Spencer professorships are due December 1.

Early Achievers Award

The Nebraska Alumni Association is requesting a nominee from the College of Arts & Sciences for the Early Achiever Award. This award recognizes promising young alumni age 35 and under. An alum from each college will be recognized at the annual Alumni Awards Banquet: An All-University Celebration on Thursday, May 7th, at the Nebraska Champions Club. More details can be found in the attachment from the Association.

International Food Bazaar

Do not bring your sandwiches next Wednesday, November 19th, but come to the Union and sponsor the Russian and the Czech Student Clubs during the International Food Bazaar.

The week of November 16th to November 23 is the International Week at UNL. The Czech Komensky Club and the UNL Russian Club are taking part in the International Food Bazaar that will serve food to the UNL community in the Nebraska Union on Wednesday November 19th from 11AM to 1 P. The Russian and Czech clubs will cook on Tuesday, November 18th, in the kitchen of Saint Mark on the Campus (R and 12th street), from 8 AM till about 2 PM. If you want to learn Russian or Czech recipes, step in and help. The cooking is a part of cultural dimension of the two language programs and is done by students learning Russian and Czech.

Please send your announcements, Bravos and events for the weekly newsletter to Casandra (csiefkes2@unl.edu) by 5 pm on Thursdays.
**Bravo!**

**Abla Hasan**

who’s article “Defending Backwards Causation against the Objection from the Ignorance Condition” has been published in Disputatio (Vol. VI, No. 39 November 2014). Disputatio is the leading philosophy journal in the Portuguese-speaking world. Disputatio is an open access peer reviewed international journal of philosophy which publishes first-rate articles. The journal is published by the Philosophy Centre of the University of Lisbon, edited by the LanCog research group, and sponsored by Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia.

The article is available online at:


**Bravo! - Mark Newcomer**

German 303 student Mark Newcomer has been awarded the German Armed Forces Badge for Military Proficiency. This badge is awarded to soldiers of the German armed forces and Allied nations to individuals showing high levels of both physical and moral standards.

**Bravo! - Harriet Turner**

on her article “Physicalism: a critical approach”, to be published by Jil, an international peer reviewed journal, (Jil research center, ISSN 2311-5181, No 3, October 2014, Algeria.)

The article is available online at http://jilrc-magazines.com

Galazia Gutenberg a publishing company based in Barcelona will be printing a book titled ¿Por qué España?, containing an essay “Inhabited by Words” written by Harriet Turner. Harriet will also be giving a talk based on this paper at the MLA Convention in Vancouver, Canada on January 10, 2015.
Calls for Papers / Open Positions
See Bulletin Board in 1107 for more information

- El Cid, Journal of the Tau Iota Chapter of Sigma Delta Pi at the Military College of South Carolina; DUE: 1 Dec
- Don Quixote in the American West: A Fourth-Centenary Celebration (1615-2015); DUE: 1 Dec
- Southeast Coastal Conference on Languages and Literatures; Savannah, Georgia; DUE: 3 Dec

Language Clubs & Student Centers

Chinese Table
Mon 4-5 pm
203 OLDH
#UNLchinaltable

Spanish Tutoring Center
Mon/Wed 3-5
Fri 4-5
1126 OLDH
#UNLspantutor

French Table
Wed
3:30-5:30 pm
BURN 302
#UNLtablefrancaise

Komenský Club
TBA
#UNLKomensky

Portuguese Table
TBA
#UNLBatePapo

Stammtisch
Wed
4:30-6 pm
Dempsey’s
#UNLStammtisch

Spanish Table
Fri - 5:00 pm
Language Lab
#UNLMesa

Japanese Table
100-level
Mon 4:30-5:30
Tues 4:30-5:30
200/300-level
Thurs 4:30-5:30
KRR
#UNLJapanTable

Spanish Club
Wed - 5:00 pm
City Union
#UNLSpanClub

Arabic Table
Nov 5 & 19
3:30-5:30
501 BURN
#UNLArabicNadii

Measuring the impact of your research
Nov. 19, 3pm, Love Library, Room 111: Measuring the Impact of your Research
Learn how to document the citation of your research using various metrics, and evaluate which metrics best describe the impact of your work

Contact: Prof. Toni Anaya at Love Library

UNL Harris Center for Judaic Studies

Tuesday, November 18th
Eric Cline
Professor of Classics & Anthropology
George Washington University

“The Battles of Armageddon”
3:30 | Dudley Bailey Library, Andrews Hall

“1177 B.C.: The Year Civilization Collapsed”
7pm | Richards Hall 15

Thursday, November 20th
Michael Dick
History Department
University of Nebraska - Lincoln

“Holocaust Rescue and US Intelligence”
3:30 | Seaton Hall 316
What is it?
A Nebraska Alumni Association award to recognize promising young alumni age 35 and under. An alum from each college will be recognized at the annual “Alumni Awards Banquet: An All-University Celebration.”

How does it work?
The alumni association will invite each college to select its respective winner. All nominations should be sent to Andrea Cranford (nomination form enclosed). The winners will be recognized and each will receive an individual award, a bio board, a bio in the banquet program and mention in a news release.

Criteria
This award was established in 2010 to honor young alumni who have shown great potential in their chosen career field and/or have demonstrated active involvement in the community. The alumni association presents the award each spring at its annual awards banquet to one alumnus from each of UNL’s colleges. The award winners are selected by the colleges, including:

- Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
- Architecture
- Arts and Sciences
- Business Administration
- Education and Human Sciences
- Engineering
- Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
- Journalism and Mass Communications
- Law

Timeline
The deadline for colleges to submit their respective winners is November 14. The 2015 banquet will be held Thursday, May 7, at the Nebraska Champions Club.

Questions?
Contact Andrea Cranford (acranford@huskeralum.org)
Early Achievers Nomination Form

Candidate

Name__________________________________________________________

College__________________________________________ Class of___________ Major___________________________

Current Position_____________________________________________________________________________________

Company/Employer___________________________________________________________________________________

Address____________________________________________________________________________________________

Telephone Number___________________________________________________________________________________

E-mail_____________________________________________________________________________________________

Additional Information

You may also attach a resume or any other information that is available to you.

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Nominator

Name__________________________________________________________

Campus Address______________________________________________________ Zip____________________________

Telephone_______________________________________________________________

E-mail_____________________________________________________________________________________________

Dean’s Signature______________________________________________________________________________________

Please return this form or e-mail the information to Andrea Cranford, Wick, 0216 or acranford@huskeralum.org by November 14.
Global Café

Spain
Monday, November 17th, 2014

Join Global Studies & our guests for a chat with a professor

- **Dr. Clara Gomez Jimeno**, Education Advisor- Embassy of Spain, Spanish Studies Institute.
- **Dr. Lola Lorenzo**, Associate Professor of Practice and Spanish Adviser.
- **Dr. Iker González-Allende**, Associate Professor of Hispanic Studies and Women’s & Gender Studies.
- **Prof. Jennifer Isasi**, Instructor & University of Deusto Study abroad coordinator.

Take this opportunity to learn more about Spain, associated abroad programs and “what to do after I graduate” careers in Spain! Bring a friend, drink local coffee, and meet students and faculty from around the world!

Georgian Suite A (Union)

3:30-4:30pm

Next Global Café: South Africa Spring Semester
**UNL INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK EVENTS**

**Monday, November 17:**
**Info Session: 2015 NU Sponsored Education Abroad Programs:** Learn more about NU-sponsored Education Abroad programs & funding opportunities. Colonial Room, Nebraska Union (10:30-11:30 a.m.)

**Global Café: Focus on Spain:** Learn about opportunities to work, study, and live in Spain, while enjoying local coffee. Georgian Suite A, Nebraska Union (3:30-4:30 p.m.)

**Tuesday, November 18:**
**Education Abroad GO Session:** Come learn about how you can GO abroad. (GO Sessions held every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday) Love Library South, Room 127 (3:00-3:30 p.m.)

**Edythe Wiebers International Studies Scholarship Presentation:**
Hear from student recipients and learn about the Wiebers scholarship. Unity Room 212, Gaughan Center (4:00 - 5:00 p.m.)

**Wednesday, November 19:**
**Education Abroad GO Session:** Come learn about how you can GO abroad. Love Library South, Room 127 (10:00-10:30 a.m.)

**International Food Bazaar:** Buy and try foods from around the world. Nebraska Union (11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.)

**World Tea Party:** Come drink six different teas spanning four continents. Kawasaki Reading Room, 302 Gaughan Center (2:00-4:00 p.m.)

**Thursday, November 20:**
**CEHS Study Abroad Fair:** Learn about CEHS study abroad opportunities. Henzlik Hall (10 a.m.-1 p.m.)

**Education Abroad GO Session:** Come learn about how you can GO abroad. Love Library South, Room 127 (12:00-12:30 p.m.)

**Friday, November 21:**
**Chinese Name Pronunciation & Greetings Brownbag Lunch:** Learn how to correctly pronounce Chinese names and greetings. Unity Room 212, Gaughan Center (12:00-1:00 p.m.)

**Omani Night:** Enjoy free food, dance, and Omani traditions. Nebraska Union (6:00-9:00 p.m.)

**Festival Junina - Brazilian Festival:** Brazilian festival that celebrates the changing of the seasons. CPN Dining (6:30-8:00 p.m.)

For details: international.unl.edu/international-education-week
Follow us on Twitter: @UNL_Intl_Engage #IEW2014 and #UNL
JOIN ARABIC 201 FOR A POTLUCK MEAL!!!

TUESDAY
11 - 25 - 14

ARABIC PARTY!
AVERY 119 ... 2:00 - 3:30PM

RECONNECT WITH OLD FRIENDS
MAKE NEW FRIENDS
EAT FOOD FROM AROUND THE WORLD
DANCE TO ARABIC MUSIC
BRING A DISH TO SHARE!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT MAE ANNE BALSCHWEID 402-802-5636
Scholarship recipients will present and discuss their experiences abroad over the past year in the following countries:

- Argentina
- Costa Rica
- France
- Japan
- Morocco
- Peru
- Russia
- Spain

Refreshments will be served.

You’re invited!

Tuesday, November 18, 2014
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Unity Room (Room 212)
Jackie Gaughan Multicultural Center

Sponsored by the Education Abroad Office
educationabroad@unl.edu
UNL Mexican American Student Association
Presents:
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a film by an illegal immigrant
undocumented American

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Friday, November 21st
Film Screening
Union Auditorium
5:15 PM
Open Discussion
Union, Heritage Room
7:00 PM
free to the general public, refreshments provided

For more information on the Documented event, please contact: Adoni A. Fazacos, MASA Political/Cultural Committee Chair adoni.fazacos95@gmail.com

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Call for Papers

*Changes and Challenges in Language Teacher Education: Ninth International Conference on Language Teacher Education*

**May 14–16, 2015**
**The Commons Hotel**
**Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA**
**Proposal Deadline: January 15, 2015**

**Featured Plenary Speakers**

- *Maria Carreira*, Professor, California State University, Long Beach
- *Fernando Rubio*, Associate Professor, University of Utah
- *Angela Scarino*, Associate Professor, University of South Australia
- *Annela Teemant*, Associate Professor, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis

The *Ninth International Conference on Language Teacher Education* welcomes proposals for papers and symposia on all aspects of the education and professional development of language teachers. Papers and symposia may report on data-based research, theoretical and conceptual analyses, or best practices in language teacher education.

The mission of the conference is to address the education of teachers of all languages, at all instructional and institutional levels, and in all the many national and international contexts in which this takes place, including: English as a Second or Foreign Language (ESL/EFL) instruction; foreign/modern/world language teaching; bilingual education; immersion education; indigenous and minority language education; and the teaching of less commonly taught languages. The conference aims to bring together teacher educators from these many contexts to discuss and share research, theory, and best practices and to initiate and sustain meaningful professional dialogue across languages, levels, and settings. The conference will focus on the following four broad themes:

- The Knowledge Base of Language Teacher Education
- Social, Cultural, and Political Contexts of Language Teacher Education
- Collaborations in Language Teacher Education
- Processes of Language Teacher Education

See detailed information about the conference themes at: [http://www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/call.html](http://www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/call.html)

**Types of Sessions**
• **Symposia (2 hours):** A symposium provides an opportunity for a group of individuals (typically three to five) to propose a specific issue or topic in the field of language teacher education and examine it from a variety of perspectives.

• **Paper Sessions (25-minute papers):** A paper involves a 25-minute presentation on a topic related to one of the four themes. Papers will be grouped thematically when possible.

• **Discussion Sessions (55 minutes):** Discussion Sessions address a topic best pursued through extended dialogue among participants. These sessions will begin with a short (10 minute) informal presentation; the remaining time will be devoted to discussion moderated by the presenter/facilitator.

*Note: All proposals should be appropriate for an audience of language teacher educators and fit within one of the four themes listed above.*

**Proposal Deadline: January 15, 2015**

Call submission instructions and link to the online submission system:

[www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/call.html](http://www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/call.html)

More information about the conference:

[www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/](http://www.carla.umn.edu/conferences/LTE2015/)

Get on the CARLA mailing list!

[www.carla.umn.edu/about/mlist.php](http://www.carla.umn.edu/about/mlist.php)

Questions? Email [carla@umn.edu](mailto:carla@umn.edu)

*This conference is sponsored by the Center for Advanced Research on Language Acquisition at the University of Minnesota and is cosponsored by the National Heritage Language Resource Center at UCLA.*
Lincoln Public Schools

Lincoln Public Schools is looking for qualified mentors to work with Highly Gifted Students, grades K-12.

2014-15 $17.99/hr

Subject areas:
Science
Math
Social Studies
English
World Languages
Visual Arts (Elementary only)

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- Junior or senior status in college, or B.A. / B.S.
- Minimum G.P.A. of 3.0 or above.
- 15 hours in subject (see subject areas needed).
- 3.5 G.P.A. in specific subject area.

How to apply: visit our employment opportunities page at http://lps.org/hr/jobs/. Review the information needed to begin the application process, and then click on the link in the last paragraph to enter the recruitment page. We will also need official transcripts from all colleges that you have attended. You will need to scan all of your college transcripts and upload them as one document in the transcript attachments area. It is important to provide as many names as possible for people who are willing to serve as references for you, including their e-mail addresses, professional references are especially important. If you have any questions, please call 402-436-1590.
Brown Bag with a U.S. Diplomat

U.S. Foreign Service Information Session

This event is intended for students interested in a career in the Foreign Service. This event is free and open to the public.

Hosted by Rob Andrew,
Diplomat-in-Residence

November 24th 2014
12:15-1:15 p.m.
Gaughan Center
Conference Room 212

Global Studies
College of Arts & Sciences
For more information, please email mschuemann2@unl.edu
November 11, 2014

Dear College Partners:

Lincoln Public Schools seeks your assistance in informing your upper-level students about our highly gifted mentor program. As part of policy, LPS provides trained mentors to work with students labeled highly gifted in an academic area of their choice up to one hour per day.

We are actively seeking Juniors, Seniors or Graduates who meet the following qualifications:

- Overall GPA of 3.0 or above
- 15 college course hours in the subject to be mentored
- At least a 3.5 GPA in these courses

We have ongoing needs for mentors in:

- English & Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Modern Languages
- Science
- History/Social Studies
- Visual Art

We pay mentors $17.99 per hour for time working with students, as well as mileage reimbursement for travel between schools for those with assignments at multiple LPS locations.

The mentorship provides a wealth of experiences to discuss in interviews for those considering the job market after graduation. Please encourage your students to complete the mentor application which can be found at https://lincoln.tedk12.com/hire/index.aspx.

If a student has questions, they may call Human Resources at 402-436-1582.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Kay Byers, Ph.D.

Human Resources Supervisor of
Elementary Personnel