**Department News**

**#UNL24 - CARPE DIEM**

Seize the Day and share your #UNL24 story. Last year, thousands of stories were shared from across campus to represent 24 hours of life at UNL. If you are on Twitter share pictures or updates from your life with the hashtag #unl24. Also encourage your students to take pictures in class and include @UNLModLang in their story! Check out last years page (http://unl24-2012.unl.edu/) for ideas and to see what a great chance this is to get exposure for ModLang.

**Language Lab Hours**

The Modern Language Lab has extended hours Monday through Thursday and closed Friday to better serve the students who have been using the lab; the new schedule is posted on the Language Lab website (modlanglab.unl.edu) please let your students know. Also there is plenty of space in the Burnett hallway to advertise classes, study abroad trips, conversation tables, etc. If you would like something posted please leave a poster in the Language Lab mailbox in 1107.

**Election Results**

Election Results are in, you can find a complete list of the committees attached to this newsletter, and on the blackboard site, a list is also posted on the bulletin board outside 1107.
Call for Nominations for Named Professorships

Seeking nominations for candidates for the following named professorships:
- Willa Cather Professorship & Charles Bessey Professorships
- Aaron Douglas Professorship & John E. Weaver Professorship
- Susan J. Rosowski Professorship

Applications for professorships are due from the College Dean’s offices on Monday, November 4, 2013.

Call for Nominations for Named Professorships

Critical Language Scholarship

The Critical Language Scholarship Program is an intensive overseas language program. For seven to ten weeks each summer, undergraduate and graduate students from across the U.S. live and study at over twenty sites abroad, covering the equivalent of a full year of college-level language study in thirteen critical languages.

Critical Language Scholarship

See attached flyer.
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### Important Dates
- **September 11**:
  - Tenured Faculty Meeting: Nora Peterson & Liz Enkin 11:00 // 1126 OLDH
  - Graduate Committee Meeting 11:00 // 1206 OLDH

- **October 17**:
  - Tenured Faculty Meeting: Isabel Velazquez 11:00 // 1126 OLDH
  - Tenured Faculty Meeting: Nora Peterson & Liz Enkin 11:00 // 1126 OLDH
  - Humanities on the Edge Lecture 5:30 pm // Sheldon
Elected Committees

Executive Committee (term: four years maximum): Evelyn Jacobson, Chair
Radha Balasubramanian (Vice Chair, ex officio)
Priscilla Hayden-Roy, German  
1st Year: 11-12
Mila Saskova-Pierce, LCTL  
1st Year: 11-12
Oscar Pereira, Spanish  
1st Year: 11-12
Jordan Stump, French  
1st Year: 11-12

Salary Merit Advisory Committee (term: two years): Evelyn Jacobson, Chair
Radha Balasubramanian (13-15, LCTL)  
Bob Shirer (13-15, German)
Ikuho Amano (12-14, At Large)  
Tom Carr (13-15, French)
José González (12-14, Spanish)

Section Heads (2013-2014) (term: one year)  
French: Jordan Stump  
German: Priscilla Hayden-Roy  
LCTL: Mila Saskova-Pierce  
Spanish: Oscar Pereira Zazo

Section Representatives (term: one year)
French GTA: Ben Obernolte  
French Lecturer: Catherine Johnson  
German GTA: Laura Peters  
German Lecturer: Jana Jensen  
Lecturer (LCTL): Hana Waisserova  
Spanish GTA: Óscar Sendón  
Spanish Lecturer: Jill Gnade-Muñoz

Lecturer Representative to the Department (term: one year)
Jill Gnade-Muñoz

Appointed Committees

Curriculum (term: two years)
Radha Balasubramanian, Chair  
Christina Brantner (13-15, German)  
Liz Enkin (13-15, Spanish)  
Nora Peterson (13-15, French)  
Abla Hasan (13-15, LCTL)  
GTA: Oscar Sendón  
Lecturer: Bethany Sanio  
Undergraduate: Ben Stoltenberg

Appeals
Two faculty members serving on curriculum committee or selected by chair of the curriculum committee (one from language/second outside language) to be appointed as necessary to review student appeals

Graduate Committee & Graduate Advisors (term: three years)
Rigoberto Guevara, Chair  
Bob Shirer (12-15, German)  
Iker Gonzalez-Allende (10-13, Spanish)  
Tom Carr (13-16, French)  
Evelyn Jacobson (ex officio)  
GTA: Allysha Martin
Modern Languages & Literatures Committee List
Fall 2013

Other Appointments

Language Coordinators
  Coordinator of Basic Program in French: Catherine Johnson
  Coordinator of Basic Program in German: Christiane (Jana) Jensen
  Coordinator of Basic Program in Japanese: Ikuho Amano
  Coordinator of Basic Program in Spanish: Kelly Kingsbury
  Coordinator of Spanish 203 & 204: Bethany Sanio

Coordinators for Study Abroad
  Christina Brantner (Berlin)
  Errapel Mejias-Vicandi (Bilbao)
  Lola Lorenzo (Toledo, Spain, ESTO Program; Latin & South America)
  Iker Gonzalez-Allende (Bilbao)

Major Undergraduate Advisors (including validation of transfer credit)
  French: Chantal Kalisa
  German: Christina Brantner
  Russian: Radha Balasubramanian
  Spanish: Lola Lorenzo

Coordinators for assessing proficiency in Spanish as required by the Fulbright Fellowship program
  Lola Lorenzo

Language Lab
  Allysha Martin, GTA

Kawasaki Reading Room for Japanese Studies
  Madoka Wayoro, Manager

Contacts for Modern Languages
  Liaison to Love Library: Toni Anaya
  Press Advisory Board: Jordan Stump

Section Clubs
  French Table: Rebecca Ankenbrand

MILL GSA
  Chair: Joshua Lacey
  Social Chair: Rebecca Ankenbrand

Honoraries
  (German) Delta Phi Alpha: Christina Brantner, Faculty Advisor
  (Spanish) Sigma Delta Pi: Rigoberto Guevara, Faculty Advisor

Representatives to the Academic Senate
  Rigoberto Guevara, President (2011-2014)
  TBA
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Seize the Day, share your #UNL24 story

Last year, thousands of stories were shared from across campus to represent one day of life (24 hours) at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln.

On Tuesday, September 24, we are doing it again – and we want to hear YOUR story.

- **Annotate your story:** share an update or detail from your life
- **Capture your personality:** upload an image of you at your favorite place on campus, hanging with your friends or studying late at night for a test
- **Animate your life:** share a video from your path across campus or an afternoon jog downtown

Share your story on popular social media channels (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Google+ and/or Vine) during the 24 hours of September 24 and include the #UNL24 hashtag in your posts. Your story will join others from across campus at UNL24.unl.edu and tell the collective story of what it’s truly like to be a part of #UNL.
Effective Research Presentations

Learn the most important elements of an excellent formal presentation in various settings (the short research/lab talk, the formal conference presentation, the poster presentation, the job talk).

We’ll talk about how to construct a logical and interesting presentation story, the “Dos and Don’ts” of using visuals, fluent delivery, timing, and how to respond effectively to audience questions.

The guiding principle of our work is the refinement of each individual’s authentic speaking style and manner.

Thursday, October 10 9:00 a.m.–12:00
Nebraska Union

Register at http://go.unl.edu/13XR
Continental breakfast will be provided.

presented by:
Janet Kayfetz, Ph.D.

- Dr. Kayfetz is an Applied Linguist with 30 years of experience teaching academic writing and presentation skills.
- Previous clients include researchers, postdocs, faculty, grad students and business professionals in computer science, engineering, environmental science and policy, bioengineering, medicine, business, and law.

sponsored by the Office of Postdoctoral Studies and the Office of Graduate Studies
Eligibility

All applicants must be U.S. citizens. Applicants must be enrolled in a U.S. degree-granting program at the undergraduate or graduate level. All candidates must have completed at least their first year of university-level study by the beginning of the summer institute.

Students in all disciplines, including business, engineering, sciences, social sciences, and humanities are encouraged to apply. Applications are accepted each fall, September through mid-November, for programs beginning the following summer.

The CLS Program welcomes all eligible applications and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, geographic location, socio-economic status, disability, sexual orientation or gender identity.

Grant Benefits

All CLS Program costs are covered for participants, including: round-trip domestic and international travel; mandatory pre-departure orientation in Washington, DC; applicable visa fees; room and board; seven to ten weeks of group-based intensive language instruction; course materials; all costs associated with the CLS cultural program; and a small living stipend. U.S. undergraduate academic credit is offered through Bryn Mawr College.

Note: U.S. passport fees will not be paid by the scholarship.

Contact Us

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INSTITUTE LOCATIONS MAY INCLUDE:

Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, China, India, Indonesia, Japan, Jordan, Morocco, Oman, Russia, South Korea, Tajikistan, Turkey, or other countries where the target languages are spoken.