

"Capitol"izing on Languages and Global Education

PSMLA/PACIE Conference 2017
Schedule at a Glance of PSMLA Sessions

Thursday, October 5, 2017

Pre-conference Workshop (8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.)

"Connecting the Standards: Approaching Communities, Cultures, and Communication through Everyday Activities"

Megan Flinchbaugh and Nathan Campbell



Association of
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(Includes an afternoon visit to and tour of the historic Capitol Building in Harrisburg)

Friday, October 6, 2017

7:30-8:30 Registration / Continental Breakfast / Visit Exhibitors

8:30-9:30 Concurrent Session I

- Mix it up! Maximum Engagement in the Spanish Classroom, Cherie Garrett, Dallastown Area High School
- Addressing the Cultural Dilemma in World Language Classrooms, Rich Madel, Colonial School District
- Creating Effective and Engaging Embedded Readings, Patricia Moller, Pine Bush Central Schools, NY
- Using Twitter for Professional Development, Barbara Clouser, Hershey High School
- Making the Connection through Exchange Programs, Kathy Fegely, Antietam Middle / Senior High School

9:45-10:15 Concurrent Session II

- The World is our Oyster, Wilma Dunkle, Meadville Area Senior High School
- Cómo utilizar la música en el salón de clase, Christine Fisher, Milton Hershey School
- Capitol'izing on the AATF to Promote your French Program, Heather Dravk, Messiah College
- Teaching Academic writing to 6-8 Spanish Heritage Language Learners, Diana Gómez-Pereira, University of Pittsburgh
- World Language Curriculum Made Easy: Plug-and-Play Curriculum Building, Bronwen DuHadaway, Mount Pleasant High School, Wilmington, DE

10:15-11:00 Coffee Break / Visit Exhibitors

11:00-12:00 Concurrent Session III

- Transform Your Level 1 Class into a 90% Target Language Class! Ellen Bernard Shrager, Abington School District
- The WL Inclusive Classroom, Thomasina I. White, University of Pennsylvania
- I Get It!: Strategies for Interpreting Meaning in Language Acquisition, Michael Griffin, EMC School
- Language and Culture Beyond the Classroom: A Community Treasure Hunt, Renee Campeau, Warwick School District and AWLE

12:15-2:00 Luncheon / Luncheon Speaker (to be announced soon) / Awards

2:15-3:15 Concurrent Session IV

- From All Angles: Preparing the Next Generation of WL teachers, Nancy Zimmerman, Kutztown University
- The Name of the Game is Comprehensible Input! Cynthia Hitz, Palmyra Area High School
- Tomorrow's Technology Today: Interactive Tools for 21st Century Digital Learners! Colleen McMahon, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
- How Can Students Use Cultural Investigation and Interaction as a Vehicle for Communication? George Stewart, EF
- PSMLA Global Scholars: Developing Global Competence and Building Programs, Jan Stewart, PSMLA / Seton Hill University

3:30-4:30 Concurrent Session V

- May The Force of Project-Based Learning Be With You! Ken Stewart, Vista Higher Learning
- Strive for a 5: Getting AP-Ready from Level One, Shannon Froehlich, Fairview High School
- Narratives of Exclusion in Children's Picture Books Part II, Laurie Urraro, Penn State Erie
- Martin Luther Today! A virtual tour, Monika Moyrer, Millersville University

4:30-5:30 Wine & Cheese Reception / Visit Exhibitors / Language Lotto & Silent Auction

6:00 Optional Evening Excursion (details to be announced soon)

Saturday, October 7, 2017

7:30-8:30 Registration / Continental Breakfast / Visit Exhibitors

8:00-9:00 Concurrent Session VI

- Flipping Classroom: Trading Spaces and Places, Rachelle Dene Poth, Riverview High School
- En busca del sueño americano: el viaje hacia el Norte, David Brightbill, William Penn Charter School
- The Immersive Classroom - Building Fluent Speakers, Shaz Lawrence, Creative Chinese
- The Annual PA Teacher Educator Roundtable, Junko Yamamoto, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania
- Teacher's Toolbox for Promoting Student Engagement, Katherin Slentz, Boiling Springs High School

9:15-9:45 Concurrent Session VII

- TouchCast: Interactive Video - Reel It In! Zee Ann Poerio, St. Louise de Marillac Catholic School
- Increasing Authentic Language Use Through Whole Class Role Play, Kathleen Patton, Lower Moreland Township School District
- 1:1 à la une: la technologie et la classe de français, Kylene Stroud, North Allegheny School District
- Knowing Our Students Through Art, Mary Boldt, York College of Pennsylvania
- Languages/Cultures, STEM, and L2 Advocacy: Changing Profession, Changing Perspectives, Dawn Slack, Kutztown University of Pennsylvania

9:45-10:30 Coffee Break / Visit Exhibitors

10:30-11:30 Concurrent Session VIII

- Got Compelling Content? Boost Literacy with a Classroom Library, Michelle Kindt, Hershey High School
- Free Tech Tools: Promote Interaction inside and outside the classroom, Angela Berger, Pennsylvania Distance Learning
- Medical Spanish and Authentic Assessments: IPAs for the Professions, Debra Faszler-McMahon, Seton Hill University
- "America's Languages" & You: Advocacy You can Use, Bill Rivers, Joint National Committee for Languages

11:45-1:30 Luncheon / Keynote Speaker / PSMLA Business Meeting / Language Lotto & Silent Auction

Advocacy: From the Classroom to the Capitol, What Makes a Difference?

Dr. Barbara Mondloch, Franklin Pierce Schools, ACTFL Past-President

1:40-2:25 Concurrent Session IX

- Grammar in a 21st Century Classroom, Teri Wiechart, Delphos Jefferson High School (retired), Ohio
- Beyond the Classroom: Language and Culture in the Community, Megan Flinchbaugh, Manheim Central High School; Association of World Language Educators
- National Spanish Examinations: Assessments and Contest, Kevin Cessna-Buscemi, National Spanish Examinations
- Towards an Ethical Teaching of Culture in the K-16 Language Classroom, Alice Edwards, Mercyhurst University

2:35-3:20 Concurrent Session X

- Engage Students in the Target Language, Barbara Mondloch, Franklin Pierce Schools, Washington
- Technology Integration in Foreign Language Teaching: Breaking Time and Space Barriers with More Input and Interaction, Maria Isabel Charle Poza, Lincoln University
- Heritage/Native Speaker Advantage in the Spanish Classroom: Perception v. Reality, Kasandra Cruz, Student, Kutztown University of Pennsylvania
- Increasing Listening Comprehension through Authentic German Materials, Jennifer Campbell, Manheim Central School District, AWLW
- Current Topics and Issues affecting WL Instruction-Advocacy Seminar, Rosemarie Zorrilla, Hempfield School District

3:30-4:15 Concurrent Session XI

- Project-Based Assessment: Engaging Students in Multi-Disciplinary Real World Tasks, Laura Fleischer Proaño, Deer Lakes High School
- Teaching Real World Skills in the World Language Classroom, Donna Montich, Penncrest High School
- Doorways to Teaching with Comprehensible Input, Anny Ewing, Altamira Language Learning
- Educators Rising: Focusing On Our Future, Christina Huhn, Indiana University of PA