



12th CCSU CONFERENCE FOR LANGUAGE TEACHERS



Back to the basics: Comprehensible input in the World Language Classroom

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

The Modern Languages Department at Central Connecticut State University will host its 12th Conference for Language Teachers on **March 24, 2018, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM**. The purpose of the conference is to bring together World Language teachers to share their experiences, ideas and resources. In keeping with the practical objectives of the event, our keynote speaker, **Lea Graner-Kennedy**, will be offering a workshop on strategies for making input comprehensible and maximizing the use of the target language in the classroom.

We seek dynamic presentations that address theoretical, curricular, methodological, and technical aspects related but not limited to the following suggested topics:

- Pedagogical strategies for intercultural competence
- Innovative trends in intercultural competence
- ICC Activities for the World Language Classroom
- Interdisciplinary approaches to language teaching
- Advocating for World Language education
- Incorporating new technologies into language teaching
- Language needs for the professions
- Effective pedagogical resources
- Flipping the language classroom
- Assessment of learning outcomes
- The communicative classroom

Proposals for all languages are welcome!

Presentations: 20 minutes (plus 10 min. for Q&A)

Workshops: 45 minutes (plus 15 min. for Q&A)

Workshops should include a practical component involving participants.

Presentations and workshops should preferably be delivered in the target language. If dealing with general language topics, presenters may use English.

To propose a presentation or a workshop, please use the electronic submission form <https://goo.gl/forms/7QAsknbsKreakKt32>. Proposals will be accepted until **December 10, 2017**.

Complimentary breakfast, lunch, and refreshments!

Visit the 12th CCSU Conference for Language Teachers page at <http://web.ccsu.edu/modlang/conference.html> or contact Prof. Rocío Fuentes (rocio.fuentes@ccsu.edu) and Prof. Viviana Rigo (CCSUconferenceforlanguage teachers@ccsu.edu)