Good Morning world language professionals!

A Reminder: These updates are archived on the bottom of our professional development page here and the calendar has been updated below.

- Looking for a job? – Be sure to check out our openings listed below!
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- Georgia Department of Education welcomed an educational delegation from Indonesia on March 19th.
- Presentation on DLI to APS board members on March 22nd is well received.
- Autrey Mill Middle School in Cobb County held a Multi-cultural Night on March 22nd.
- CULTR Summer workshops available July 9-11, 12-14 & 16-18! Find out more here!
- SCOLT announces 2019 Conference will take place in Myrtle Beach March 21 -23rd.
- **ACTFL 2018 Registration now open** for New Orleans November 16-18th
• The Henry County World Languages Fair on March 24th at Stockbridge HS was a big success!
• FLAG Spoken Language Competition takes place at McEachern High School in Cobb County on March 24th!
• World Language Presentation on March 23rd to First District RESA is well attended.
• The Alliance Française d’Atlanta and the Goethe-Zentrum Atlanta have moved and will hold an open house on Monday, March 26th from 6-8pm.
• AATSP Poster Contest announced – Deadline April 1st
• Nominate a teacher for the AATSP Awards! Deadline is April 16th.
• Deadline for AATSP National Awards is April 16th. Nominate your fellow educators!
• Next Dual Language Immersion in a Day Event set for Sept 15th in Forsyth County
• Dual Language Immersion Visitation day is set for March 29th to Hall county – Contact us to register to attend. (pwallace@doe.k12.ga.us)
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On Tuesday, March 20th, we were honored to take part in the International Day at the Capitol! Months of planning with our partner organizations, the Georgia Department of Economic Development, the International Affairs Office of the Atlanta Mayor and the Center for Urban Language Teaching and Research resulted in a wonderful and well-attended ceremony in the north wing of the Capitol! Mr. Pat Wilson, Economic Commissioner for the Georgia Department of Education opened the event and was followed by the Georgia State School Superintendent, Mr. Richard Woods. Mr. Woods spoke about Georgia’s expanding international connections and the growth that Georgia has seen in World Languages and the rapid expansion of Dual Language Immersion Programs in our region. Following Mr. Woods, students from two of Georgia’s current 40 Dual Language Immersion Programs, the GLOBE Academy and the International Charter School of Atlanta, sang and delivered messages in all four current immersion languages in Georgia, Spanish, German, French and Mandarin.

**A summary of the week’s international news.**

Georgia continues to expand its global reach with the announcement on March 21st by Governor Deal of Peru as Georgia’s newest international market! On March 20th-21st, The Summit, Georgia’s Largest Technology Showcase Spotlighted the State as Global Innovation Hub. Georgia continues to enjoy great investment and partnerships from a number of international partners from around the globe including Germany. Check out this online-tool, “German Business Matters: A State-by-State Analysis of Imports, Exports, and Jobs,” by Representative of German Industry and Trade. Georgia is a destination state with a growing population and this was again confirmed by a new census report which highlighted the Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell region is the ninth most populous metro area in the nation and it experienced the third largest growth over the last two years. Georgia is expecting growth of an additional 1.5 million residents by 2030. The Georgia port is the 3rd fastest growing port in the world and the 4th busiest port in our nation. The first of Georgia Ports Authority’s four new Neo-Panamax cranes came online this week, bringing GPA’s operating fleet to 27 — more than any other single terminal in the nation. The Georgia Chamber announced its 8 for 18 platform focusing on 8 priorities for Georgia. Atlanta’s bid to host the 26th annual World Cup Soccer tournament also moved forward! Mercedes Benz also revealed plans for an Atlanta Innovation Hub.
“Those who know nothing of foreign languages know nothing of their own.”
–Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

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- Please let us know of any world language teachers receiving awards statewide, we would very much like to join with you in celebrating their accomplishments!

- Likewise, if you know of a program in Georgia that deserves to be highlighted, please contact me at pwallace@doe.k12.ga.us

Educators Spotlight!

- The World Language Educator of the Month of March is Mrs. Bruny Negroni-Martinez, who is from Puerto Rico but moved to Georgia in 2009 to obtain a better life for herself and her family. She is enthusiastic, passionate, driven, goal-oriented, and positive. She received her Masters Degree in Spanish and Arts of Teaching from Georgia Southern University. She currently teaches Spanish II, III, and AP at Effingham County High School. She believes in the importance of integrating new tools in the classroom as she wants her classroom to be creative and interactive. “I want my students to not only learn Spanish but also to learn and appreciate different cultures, peoples, and dialects of the Hispanic world. I always try to encourage my students to work hard and never give up, no matter how difficult the task. One of my favorite quotes is from Nelson Mandela: “If you talk with a man in the language he understands, that goes to his head. If you talk to him on his language that goes to his heart.”
• Congratulations to the Henry County World Languages staff for receiving the Innovative Program Award K-12 at the FLAG/SCOLT conference their weekend for their World Languages Blended Learning Program!

• Congratulations to Mrs. Rocio Morrison, World Languages Coordinator for Henry County Schools for receiving the FLAG Administrative Support Award at the FLAG/SCOLT conference

• Congratulations to Dr. Jon Valentine, World Language Director for Gwinnett County, for being named the recipient of this year’s SCOLT Leadership Award!

• Congratulations to Jo-Ann McCauley, Chair of the Department of Modern Languages at the Wesleyan School, for being named the K-12 Educator of the Year at the FLAG/SCOLT conference

• Congratulations to Ms. Stacy E. Stepney, Associate Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction in DeKalb County School District, for receiving the President’s Award at the FLAG/SCOLT Conference

• Congratulations to Cameron Brunch who was recognized at the FLAG/SCOLT Conference this weekend as Georgia’s Teacher of Promise. Mr. Brunch teaches at New Hampstead High School in Savannah Ga!

• Congratulations to Lesa Howell for representing Georgia at the SCOLT conference as Georgia’s Teacher of the Year!

• Congratulations to Andrea Brown for being awarded the Academia Latinoamericana Spanish scholarship.
• It was great to be in Wayne county on March 23rd with First district RESA to share with curriculum leaders from First District schools about Georgia’s expanding world language opportunities! With the 3rd fastest growing port in the world on their doorstep, expanding world language programs and now home to the first Dual Language Immersion Program in the history of Georgia south of Macon, first district is leading with Languages!

Programs Spotlight!

• We are super excited to announce the start of the first Dual Language Immersion School in the history of Savannah! The Savannah-Chatham Public School System recently announced that the first Dual Language Immersion Program will open its doors in the fall of 2018 at Windsor Forest Elementary School!

• Benteen Elementary School is home to the newest Dual Language Immersion School in Atlanta! They are now accepting applications for their immersion program!

Job Announcements!

**Cherokee County Schools**
Etowah High School is seeking a German teacher for next school year. Interested candidates should contact Claudia.Larrotta@cherokee.k12.ga.us

**Clarke County Schools**
Dual Language Immersion Teacher needed at Oglethorpe Avenue Elementary. [Link to job opening] – contact dunnes@clarke.k12.ga.us for information

**Columbia County Schools**
Seeking an 8th grade Spanish Teacher. - Contact Merrell Garner elizabeth.garner@ccboe.net for information.
**Forsyth County Schools**

German High School Teacher  
Latin High School Teacher  
Job opportunities are posted on:  

https://www.applitrack.com/forsyth/onlineapp/default.aspx?all=1 – contact mclaus-nix@forsyth.k12.ga.us

**South Forsyth High School**, one of the highest performing schools in the state of Georgia, is looking for a dedicated upper-level Spanish teacher with experience in teaching Spanish at all high school levels. Recent IB Spanish training is preferred. Please submit resumes to World Language Department Chair, Mrs. Steffi Legall-Riddle at SLegall@forsyth.k12.ga.us and complete an online county application at:  

https://www.forsyth.k12.ga.us/Page/48484

**Gwinnett County Schools**

Peachtree Ridge High School in Gwinnett County Public Schools announces the following position available Fall, 2018 with interviews beginning immediately.  

Full time Chinese Teacher  
Peachtree Ridge High School  
Gwinnett County Public Schools  

Highly qualified teachers who do not need a visa may contact department chair Melanie Hutsell at melanie_hutsell@gwinnett.k12.ga.us

**Savannah Chatham Schools**

There is a Spanish vacancy at Sol C. Johnson High School. They can contact me (see below) for additional information. They must complete an application at http://www.zilfire.com/teachsavannah/.

**Clayton County** Public Schools is expanding world language options for the 2018-2019 school year. The district offers a competitive salary and benefits package. Please send resumes to Dr. Chantal Normil, Director. (Chantal.normil@clayton.k12.ga.us)

**Positions include:**

1 elementary school Chinese teacher  
1 elementary school French teacher  
2 elementary school Spanish teacher  
1 middle school itinerant Chinese teacher
4 middle school itinerant French teachers
4 middle school itinerant Spanish teachers
2 Spanish dual language KK teachers (ECE – K-5 certified)

**Cherokee Bluff High School** in **Hall County** is seeking a **German** teacher with a passion for teaching kids in an innovative, rigorous, and relevant environment! Please use the following link to apply: [https://www.applitrack.com/hallcounty/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=High+School+Teaching](https://www.applitrack.com/hallcounty/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=High+School+Teaching) You can also follow on Twitter @HallcoCBHS @Principal_McGee   Website: [http://cbhs.hallco.org](http://cbhs.hallco.org)

**Washington County**

Spanish Teacher sought for 9-12 at Washington County High School in Sandersville. [Link](link) to Job announcement.

**Fulton county**

- Fulton County is seeking a High School Latin teacher (Please contact Mrs. Patterson if interested - patterson@fultonschools.org)

**Cobb county**

**2018 TEACHER JOB FAIR REGISTRATION:**

- [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER JOB FAIR](link)

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• South Cobb High School:

Teacher, HS Spanish (114)[190] 11/27/2017 Certified SOUTH COBB HIGH SCHOOL - 0503

• A Japanese Teacher is also being sought in Cobb county. (Please contact Mr. Suarez if interested) German.SUAREZ@cobbk12.org

• Teacher, Elementary Dual Language Spanish Immersion(100)[190] 03/15/2016 Certified WORLD LANGUAGES – 0020 Apply

Quick Announcements!

• Georgia’s innovative International Skills Diploma Seal’s reporting deadline for qualifying students in April 15th. Every year, as part of the International Skills Diploma Seal Program, the Georgia Department of Education invites each approved ISDS High School to send a representative STAR Student to be recognized at an end of the year awards ceremony. This year, the event will be held at the Georgia Department of Education, starting at 10am on Tuesday, April 24th, 2018. The form for participating and pre-approved ISDS Schools in Georgia to submit their STAR Students that will be attending this event is now available on our website or can be accessed directly via this link. The deadline for completing this form is April 15th. If you have any additional questions, please contact Mr. Patrick Wallace, Program Specialist for World Languages and Global Workforce Initiatives at pwallace@doe.k12.ga.us

State School Superintendent speaks at International Day at the Capitol in support of world languages and international connections.
We are also delighted to invite you to attend Ga’s 5th annual Dual Language Immersion Institute which will be held at Douglas County HS on July 17th & 18th, 2018! Last year’s attendance broke all previous records and we look forward to another well attended event this year! This year’s theme is “Partnering for Success: Sharing Best Practices and learning and leading together”. We invite anyone interested in immersion education to attend and extend a special invitation to our English Partner Teachers in DLI programs across the state to share your best practices and tips for success! You can register for the event here. We also invite Presenters to submit a proposal for this year’s GADII! You can do so via this link. With 8 confirmed new DLI school starts in 2018, the need for this annual event continues to grow!

Remember, the deadline for this year’s 1st reporting cycle for Georgia’s Seal of Biliteracy is May 1st. A guidance at a Glance document is available for you to see here. You can submit your request for seals directly via our google form here. As always, if you have any questions pertaining to the seal, please email me at pwallace@doe.k12.ga.us

We are excited to announce an expansion of approved language testing agencies for Georgia’s Seal of Biliteracy. ALTA Testing services has been approved to offer language test to students who wish to qualify for the Seal of Biliteracy. They offer oral and written proficiency exams in 90 languages!

Current and archived GaDOE World Language Updates are now available online and archived at the bottom of our Professional Development Page. Now you can easily view past issues and easily reference them as needed.

Nominate a deserving world language educator in Georgia to be recognized as the World Language Educator of the Month. Do so here!
• Your assistance is requested to take part in a national survey for PreK-12 methods instructors and college/university cooperating teachers regarding World Language teacher preparation in the future and for the future. The survey link is as follows: https://tiny.utk.edu/TchrEdSurvey

• The Studienbruecke Program for German students interested in studying in Germany is now accepting applications through March 30th. More information can be found here.

• Through a generous stipend provided by the Germanistic Society of America, AATG members Pre-K through College/University have the opportunity to participate in a summer Fortbildungskurs at the University of Heidelberg.

• Save the dates for your students to participate in the FLAG Spoken Language Contests! You can find out more about these events here. Registration windows begin January 8th, 2018.

• AATG Summer Study Scholarships are available. Deadline is April 1st. Find out more here.

• Upcoming World Language Event dates to be aware of…..

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**Additional Opportunities for teachers**

- The Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE) is looking for experienced and enthusiastic teachers, counselors, and coaches to lead our high school students through their summer study abroad experiences around the world. Global Navigator High School Summer Abroad programs are three to four weeks long and operated by CIEE Study Centers in one of 36 international locations. These programs give curious, motivated high school students the opportunity to immerse themselves in another culture, to learn and practice a world language, to develop self-awareness and leadership skills, and to conduct field research in a subject of interest. Programs are divided into three categories: Language & Culture, Service & Leadership, and Global Discovery. Apply [here](#)!
The National Spanish Examinations (NSE), a program of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), is committed to providing teachers with opportunities to continue their professional development so as to design instruction and assessments from first hand experiences with Spanish language and culture. To this end, NSE will offer four (4) scholarships for up to $4100 for Teacher Study Abroad in Spain and two (2) scholarships for up to $2100 for Teacher Study Abroad in Costa Rica. The scholarships are offered through MLSA (Modern Language Studies Abroad).

Useful links for Language Teachers

- Couldn’t make it to the FLAG/SCOLT conference? Here are all the presenter files! [https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1o2sJfpieCmcyBDAHUs_5CVKNSYFugETR](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1o2sJfpieCmcyBDAHUs_5CVKNSYFugETR)
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- Voices of SCOLT all the levels [https://voices505918512.wordpress.com/](https://voices505918512.wordpress.com/)
- Last 5 minutes of class [https://senorachase.com/2018/03/08/last-5-minutes-of-class/](https://senorachase.com/2018/03/08/last-5-minutes-of-class/)
- Check out these Be Global Ready posters! [https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/iegps/globalready.html](https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/iegps/globalready.html)
- The Language Classroom episode 3 is available [https://resources.fueleducation.com/podcasts/episode-3?Campaign_Referrer__c=SM](https://resources.fueleducation.com/podcasts/episode-3?Campaign_Referrer__c=SM)

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Links to articles related to World Language education:
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• From Compliance to Engagement to Agency http://blogs.edweek.org/edweek/next_gen_learning/2018/03/from_compliance_to_engagement_to_agency.html

• In one California district, Dual Language Immersion is closing the achievement gap! https://www.educationdive.com/news/in-one-california-district-dual-language-immersion-is-a-pathway-to-closing/518036/


• Colleges need to add cultural competency to the curriculum http://www.berkeleybeacon.com/2018/03/14/college-needs-to-add-cultural-competency-to-the-curriculum/

• Vancouver’s Mandarin Immersion Program celebrates 1st graduating class http://www.vancourier.com/news/vancouver-s-only-mandarin-bilingual-program-celebrates-first-graduating-class-1.23201178
• Monolingualism diminishes America’s stature on the world stage
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• Language is the last frontier for Hollywood filmmakers

• President Macron launches drive to boost French Language around the world


• Is this the best time in history to learn languages?

• Preparing Dual language educators
  https://www.languagemagazine.com/2018/03/20/preparing-dual-language-educators/

• Dravidian Language family is 4,500 years old https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/dravidian-language-family-is-4-500-years-old-finds-international-study/story-xRsAAzj5wqOIVPAgd3TkWL.html
As always, thank you for all that you do!

Patrick