NCAATG Herbstkonferenz 2020
Online
Host: The Foreign Language Association of North Carolina (FLANC)

Sonntag, der 11. Oktober, 2020

10:00-10:50  "Fernsehen im Deutschunterricht: Was gibt's Neues?"
Presenter: Lisa Worthington-Groce, NW Guilford HS

11:20-12:10  "Climate Stories & Learning German: A Win/Win for Students and German Programs"
Presenter: Beverly Moser, Appalachian State Univ.

12:10-13:30  Mittagessen

12:10-13:30  Business Meeting: German Day Decisions
Presenters: Beth Gulewich, Broughton HS & Lisa Worthington-Groce, NW Guilford HS

13:30-14:20  "Ein Bauhaus Workshop"
Presenter: Petra Martignoni, Raleigh Charter HS

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"Fernsehen im Deutschunterricht: Was gibt's Neues?"
Presenter: Lisa Worthington-Groce, NW Guilford High School

- Introduction: A discussion on how to build students' languages skills and intercultural competencies through excerpts from current television series geared towards young adults:

  
  "Du bist Style"
  "Berlin und wir"
  "Anna und die Wildtiere", etc.
  Participants will be introduced to several TV series from Germany to enhance novice and intermediate-level language learning.

- Topics to be addressed included friends and family, animals, hobbies, fashion, and travel.

“Climate Stories & Learning German: A Win/Win for Students and German Programs”
Presenter: Dr. Beverly Moser, Appalachian State University

- Introduction: This session introduced “Climate Stories”, a German-focused class project that capitalizes on the encouraging strides being made in Germany to combat global climate change.
- Students identify a real-life “climate story” (news article, website, text, or media) in German that features a solution or important insight into an issue related to climate change and create original artwork to present this in class. Results are individual, inspirational, and highly educational.
- Access to useful instructional materials was provided to help teachers achieve the aforementioned goals.
- Link to the presentation:
- Link to related instructional materials: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1r9hjogPhaKsunB8cDXfkO3hNAftdGBMqxy6Lxjhal/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1r9hjogPhaKsunB8cDXfkO3hNAftdGBMqxy6Lxjhal/edit?usp=sharing)

Business Meeting
Presenters: Beth Gulewich, Broughton High School and Lisa Worthington-Groce, NW Guilford High School

- ACTFL
  - Thursday-Sunday, 19-22 November 2020
  - Prices to attend have been reduced.
  - New initiative with support in Congress to promote learning 2nd languages, including Heritage and Native American languages
• SCOLT
  • Virtual convention on March 18-21, 2021
  • A call for proposals by October 15! (https://scoltconf.wufoo.com/forms/k7ffkm60tj5bqx/)

• FLANC
  • Spring Conference 2021: Online via Hopin on Saturday Feb. 27, 2021 "Best of Fall Conference"
  • Allied Member: $40 per session paid by FLANC (4 sessions for Saturday)
    • Proposals? Contact Lisa Worthington-Groce, the Allied Member Representative.
  • Fall Conference 2021: Friday-Saturday, October 8-9, 2021 at the Sheraton Imperial in Durham
  • State DPI: Ann Marie Gunter will have an updated version of the “Status of German in NC” coming soon!

• AATG
  • Get MAPP (https://getmapp.aatg.org/), a digital repository of materials to which teachers can contribute
  • National German Exam:
    • Offered remotely this year and the cost is $6.00
    • Level 2-4: deadline for Dec. administration is Nov. 16 and for Jan. administration is Dec. 15 (The exam is administered Dec.1 - Jan. 31)
    • Level 1: Registration from Feb. 1 - Mar. 16 (The exam is administered Apr. 1 - May 4)
  • Facebook groups:
    • AATG
    • Wir unterrichten AP-Deutsch
    • GAPP Teacher Forum
    • Tech for World Language Educators
  • Goethe Institut: U-Häppchen jeden Monat (https://www.goethe.de/ins/us/de/spr/unt/mat/djf/hap.html?fbclid=IwAR1-nZ-sYwzDKjWQ04Qs2oPnUVUA59tfwCCAz-PvenUxB5ZKXwoWS3LZP-k)

• GAPP
  • GAVE: German American Virtual Exchange for 2020-21
    • $500 stipends available for technology purchase
    • Ongoing Webinars: the next is Oct.15 from 9 AM - 10 AM EDT (https://www.goethe.de/ins/us/en/spr/eng/gpp.html)

• Upcoming Free Conferences
  • GETVICO: October 20-21, 2020
    • FREE Virtual conference for German teachers around the world (on Zoom)
  • Georgia Virtual German Teachers' Workshop (GaDOE): https://www.eventbrite.com/e/georgia-2020-virtual-german-teacher-conference-tickets-120030651911

• NCAATG
  • Executive Council: http://www.nc.aatg.org/executive-council/
    • Past President: Molly Knight
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    • Secretary: Paul Maseman
    • Treasurer: Linda Horvath
    • Web: David Lovin & Beth Gulewich
    • Testing: Jill Twark
    • Membership: Brigitte Woloszyn
    • Advocacy: Scott Windham
    • Awards Committee: Burkhard Henke, Tina Boyer, Stacy Feldstein, Beth Gulewich
VIRTUAL GERMAN DAY

When:
- One week in mid-March after school on Monday-Thursday
- Most likely dates: Monday-Thursday, March 15-18, 2021

German Day Planning Committee:
- Wendy Burgbacher, Beth Gulewich, Christina Weiler, Lisa Worthington-Groce, Beverly Moser, Ute Bartley
- Additional members will be sought (through the Listserv)

Suggestions for new or modified contests

Live Events
- Poetry
- Panels with Native Speakers?
- Preisverleihung
- Kulturfragen
- Selbstgeschriebene Gedichte NEU!
- Virtual connections with school classes abroad? Maybe ‘Speed Dating/Networking’ - meet German learners from other schools?
- School-to-school competition via Kahoot?
  - On crazily hard grammar points?
  - On culture questions?
  - Or 2 different ones and the school picks which one to compete in? (everyone participates via cell phone)

Recorded Events
- Art (same categories as before?)
- Skits
- Musikvideo
- What about dramatic monologues this year instead of/in addition to group skits? These could be done/recorded by 1 person at a time...

Top Themes (to be chosen by November 8th, 2020):
- Vernetzt / Friedlich Vernetzt
- Durch Deutsch vernetzt
- Durch Sprachen vernetzt
- United Nations…Friede und Vertrauen?
- durch Sprache vernetzt
- Sprache vernetzt
- Deutsch digital - durch Sprache vernetzt
- verlinkt/ verlinken miteinander
- durch Deutsch vernetzt
- friedlich vernetzt
- Friede und Vertrauen

Judges:
- Graduate & undergrad students
- German speakers from community
- Student votes
- Teachers whose students are not involved in the event
• Questions/Concerns
  • How do we facilitate a live event with the entire group present (chance to see winning songs/skits)
    • ASU Zoom meeting with password-protection? Beverly Moser added: "If we want a large event w/ protection against sharing video, this would need to be a “webinar” style."
    • Permission slips would have to reflect this scenario
    • Password-protected access to the student creations
    • T-Shirts would have to be ordered individually
    • Costs to participate & money collection? Some teachers are not able to collect money from students this school year...is there an online mechanism for payment? (Many school districts do have online payment systems available, some of which were only recently initiated because of the pandemic.)

• German Immersion Weekend
  • Postponed until November 2021 due to the corona pandemic

“Ein Bauhaus Workshop”
Presenter: Petra Martignoni, Raleigh Charter High School

• Introduction by Petra Martignoni: "Towards the end of 2019, an employee of the German Design Museum, who was on a tour of the United States organized by the Goethe-Institut, visited us and brought us closer to Bauhaus. The tour was also related to the 100th Birthday of that design movement. The interactive Bauhaus workshop was so good and so much fun that I regretted that not all schools attended, after which the design museum sent me the materials to present at FLANC."
  • Objective for the lessons:
    • To create an "unforgettable" lesson
    • To correct the image of Germany somewhat ("away from Hitler")
    • To give students the opportunity to work on something tactile ("for relaxation")
    • To do interdisciplinary work (perhaps with the art teacher)
• Online student activities to create thematic compound words were demonstrated
• Link to the presentation: https://www.dropbox.com/s/78wv44he99i8xyr/FLANC%202020%20-%20Fernsehen%20im%20Unterricht.pptx?raw=1