



International Language Week Conference: Tentative Session Schedule

Note: All sessions are open to the public, and MSUB faculty, staff and students are encouraged to attend. Session schedules are subject to change.

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Monday, Oct. 7, 2019

Time	Location	Presenter(s)/Event	Session Title
9:00-9:10	SUB Beartooth Room	Dr. Christine Shearer – Dean, College of Arts & Sciences Dr. Paul Foster – Director, International Studies	Conference Opening/Welcome, Sponsored by the Spanish Department
9:10-10:00	SUB Beartooth Room	Introductions/Schedule Review/Group Photos	
10:00-11:00		MSUB Campus Tour	
11:00-11:45	LA-LI Hallway	Study Abroad Partner Fair / Tabling	
11:50-12:50		Break for lunch	
1:00-1:45	LA 716	Dr. Paul Foster – Director International Studies, MSUB - USA	<i>The Re-Internationalization of Montana – Migrations and Culture</i>
1:50-2:40	Native American Center	Dr. Joe McGeshick – Tribal Liaison MSUB – USA	<i>Montana Indians: Yesterday and Today</i>
2:45-3:30	LA 716	Dr. Renate Link – Professor of Business English, Faculty of Business & Law Aschaffenburg-UAS – GERMANY	<i>The Trend of Gamification in Intercultural Communication Training: Using Puzzling Intercultural Stories for Developing Intercultural Competence by Playing & Storytelling</i>
3:35-4:20	LA 716	Dr. Jeffrey Morrow – Associate Professor Department of Environmental & Symbiotic Sciences; Mr. Richard Lavin – Professor Dept. of English Language & Literature Prefectural University of Kumamoto - JAPAN	<i>Repopulation and Economic Development through Tourism in Rural Areas of Kyushu, Japan</i>
4:30-6:00	McD 355	Welcome Speakers: Dr. Dan Edelman, MSUB Chancellor Dr. Melinda Arnold, MSUB Provost Dr. Christine Shearer, Dean - Arts & Sciences Keynote Speaker: Dr. Renate Link, Founder of International Language Week	Opening Reception Sponsored by Departments of English, Philosophy & Modern Languages; and Communication & Theatre

Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2019

Time	Location	Presenter(s)/Event	Session Title
9:00-9:45	LI 231	Dr. Thomas Regele – Associate Professor of Spanish, MSUB – USA	<i>Montana Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers Council: A History of University-Community Collaboration</i>
9:50-10:35	LI 231	Dr. Danell Jones – Independent Scholar MSUB – USA	<i>From the Periphery to the Center: An African in Imperial London</i>
10:35-10:45		Break	
10:45-11:35	LI 231	Dr. Natalie Konomi - Associate Professor Economics, Kyushu University – JAPAN	<i>The Ainu: A Renewed Sense of Identity</i>
11:40-12:40	Rimrock Café	Lunch sponsored by the College of Arts & Sciences (<i>open to conference attendees and by invitation only</i>)	
12:45-1:30	LI 231	Dr. Susan Gilbertz – Professor, Geography and Environmental Studies, MSUB – USA	<i>Geography of War: Heart Mountain Wyoming</i>
1:35-2:20	LI 231	Ms. Juan Zhao, Visiting Scholar, English Northwest A & F University – CHINA	<i>Cultural Diversity: An Eastern perspective</i>
2:20-2:30		Break	
2:30-3:15	LI 231	Dr. Rebecca Berru-Davis – Assistant Professor, English, Philosophy and Modern Languages, MSUB – USA	<i>Humanitarian Responses to a Border Crisis: Reconfiguring the ‘Narrative’</i>
3:20-3:50	LI 231	Dr. Ana Diaz, Assistant Professor English, Philosophy and Modern Languages MSUB – USA	<i>On Becoming a Person of Color: A Phenomenological Account of Contextualism</i>
3:55-4:40	LI 231	Mr. Austin Bennett - Instructor, General Education/Writing, City College at MSUB - USA	<i>Identities in Flux: The Fiction of Alistair MacLeod</i>
6:00-?	Pub & Cider Mill, 2203 Montana Ave, Billings, MT 59101		<i>Group Dinner</i>

Wednesday, Oct. 9, 2019

Time	Location	Presenter(s)/Event	Session Title
9:00-9:45	COE 330 (TEIL Room)	Dr. Preeti Nair, Head, International Relations Cell and Associate Prof. in Human Resource Management; Ms. Shikha Darji, Coordinator, Outgoing Mobility Programs, International Relations Parul University – INDIA (<i>Virtual</i>)	<i>Creative Summer Schools: A strategy for International Development and Competency Building</i>
9:50-10:35	COE 330 (TEIL Room)	Dr. Udo Fluck, Director of Global and Cultural Affairs – City of Missoula Former Director Global Gateway, International Programs, University of Montana – USA(<i>Virtual</i>)	<i>Teaching Intercultural Competence - Introducing the 100% Success Guarantee Model</i>
10:35-10:45		Break	
10:45-11:35	LA 716	Mr. Richard Lavin – Professor Dept. of English Language & Literature;	<i>Global Mobility in Japan: Serving the language needs of students and local communities in Kumamoto</i>

		Dr. Jeffrey Morrow – Associate Professor Department of Environmental & Symbiotic Sciences, Prefectural University of Kumamoto - JAPAN	
11:40-12:40	Rimrock Café	Lunch sponsored by the College of Education (<i>open to conference attendees and by invitation only</i>)	
12:45-1:30	LA 716	Dr. Anna Chita, Assistant Professor of German Language and Literature, University of Athens – GREECE	<i>Creating a Universal Set of Intercultural Etiquette Guidelines</i>
1:35-2:20	LA 716	Dr. Paul Pope – Associate Professor, Political Science and Pre-Law Advisor, MSUB – USA	<i>Transforming Victims into villains: The Linguistic Othering of Refugees and Asylum Seekers</i>
2:20-2:30		Break	
2:30-3:15	LA 716	Dr. Elena Petroska – Professor, University Cyril and Methodius, NORTH MACEDONIA / MSUB – USA	<i>Language Education for Intercultural Communication in North Macedonia</i>
3:20-3:50	LA 716	Dr. Bernard Quetchenbach – Professor English, Philosophy and Modern Languages, Ms. Breanna Allen, Student in English MSUB – USA	<i>From Montana (and Florida) to Amazonia: An Intensive Cultural Immersion</i>
3:50-4:50		Outing to Western Heritage Center	

Thursday, Oct. 10, 2019

Time	Location	Presenter(s)/Event	Session Title
9:00-9:45	McD 355	Mr. Marcel Rother – Lecturer Aschaffenburg-UAS – GERMANY	<i>Doing Business in Germany vs. Taiwan</i>
9:50-10:35	McD 355	Ms. Claire Wolff, Senior Lecturer; Ms. Magali Schuurman-Thefaïne, Rotterdam Business School – NETHERLANDS	<i>Workshop: Teaching about stereotypes with CLIL</i>
10:35-10:45	McD 355	Break	
10:45-11:35	McD 355	Dr. Vincent Manzie – Assistant Professor of Communication Studies, MSUB – USA	<i>Applying the Rhetoric of Renewal Model in a Contemporary African Context: Lessons Learned from the Royal Dutch Shell Oil Crisis in Nigeria</i>
11:40-12:25	McD 355	Dr. Tim Lehman – Professor of History Rocky Mountain College, MT – USA	<i>Cattle Drives and Cultural Migration, of How Cowboys Became the Symbol of the American West</i>
12:25-1:25	McD 355	Lunch sponsored by the College of Business (<i>open to conference attendees and by invitation only</i>)	
1:25-2:15	McD 355	Closing Conference Meeting	<i>Consult about the ILW, goals, followed by a brief celebratory gift/ memento exchange</i>