

**FLANC 2010 Workshops**  
**Thursday, September 30, 2010**  
**FULL DAY ON-SITE - 8:30AM-4:30PM**

**Workshop A - Introduction to LinguaFolio**

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*Teryn Bivens Odom, Sampson County Schools;*

*Glenn Byrum, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools*

This workshop will prepare participants to start using LinguaFolio, a formative assessment tool, with their students to document language proficiency, improve intercultural competencies, set learning goals, and manage language learning. Resources for different types of materials and versions will be shared, and online networking opportunities will be discussed.

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Focus: All languages, All levels

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**Workshop B - All Teched Up and Nowhere to Go?**

*Karen Tharrington, North Carolina State University; Carmen Scoggins, Watuaga High School*

Then join us for a practical workshop on integrating the latest technology tools into the classroom. Regardless of your level of technological expertise, from novice to superior, this workshop is for you! Throughout the day we will model technology tools, many that are available on the internet, and show you how to incorporate those tools into your daily lessons.

Hands-on practice will leave you ready-to-go with new tools and activities for your techno toolbox. Bring ideas and something to save your work to (i.e. USB drive)

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**Thursday, September 30, 2010**  
**MORNING ON-SITE 8:30AM-12:00 NOON**

**Workshop C - Classroom Research – Empowerment in Professional Development**

**Governor's I**

*Morgan Sharp, Greensboro Day School; Ayesha Coleman, Durham Public Schools*

Through classroom research foreign language teachers of any language and age group can systematically investigate and improve upon pedagogical practices. In this session participants will learn about the processes of setting up action research in their classrooms to answer questions about teaching and learning that are important to them.

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**Workshop D - Got Quia?**

**Pin Oak**

*Deborah Lemon, Ohlone College*

Build your Quia class pages today! Create interactive exercises and online tests (timed/tracked/graded) using a variety of media. Teacher-developed Quia has a user-friendly activity generator and an intuitive course manager. Many publishers use Quia for ancillary on-line exercises. Learn how to expand on what they provide Bring a laptop!  
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**Workshop E - National Boards: Strategies and Planning**

**Capital**

*Ashley Velazquez, Hairston Middle School*

Have you started the National Board process or are you thinking about beginning the process? This workshop will explain the process and help you begin to plan and organize your ideas. Learn from the experience of a National Board Certified Teacher and leave with tools, collaboration, and easy to use strategies that you can implement immediately! Bring the standards and your ideas and/or entries for some hands-on activities that will be sure to enhance your National Board experience.

Focus: All languages, Secondary

**Workshop F - Sensemaya! Mayombe! Bombe!  
Engaging African-American Students**

**Governor's II**

*Krishauna Hines-Gaither, Salem College; Achlai Ernest Wallace*

Bring NEW and exciting African culture into your classrooms. Not just films, not just lectures, not just presentations, but learn how to present Afro-Hispanic and Afro-Francophone culture through PRACTICAL applications. Connect culture to African-American traditions, thematic units, core subjects, and even grammar. Captivate your students! Discuss how to best engage African-American students/families. Tried, true, and NEW methods will be presented. Keep 'em movin', keep 'em talkin', keep 'em learnin'! No expertise needed, only a heart to reach all-teach all. Examples in Spanish and French, appropriate/adaptable for all levels.

Focus: French and Spanish, All levels

**Thursday, September 30, 2010  
AFTERNOON ON-SITE - 1:30PM-4:30PM**

**Workshop G - Teach Culture Through Art Projects**

**Willow Oak**

*Joquitta Duncan, J. O. Sanderson High School*

Make flowers for holiday celebrations. Paint an ex-voto/retablo (gratitude painting). This is a make/take session that will show you how to do art projects to deepen students' cultural awareness. Bring a flashdrive to copy a presentation on ex-votos/retablos.

Focus: Spanish, All levels

**Workshop H – Let's Communicate:**

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## **Staying in the Target Language**

*Fran Hoch, NCDPI, retired*

The focus of this workshop is strategies to help teachers and students use more of the target language in the classroom. Video clips of model teachers using the language exclusively will be used. Teachers will have the opportunity to incorporate the strategies into activities for classroom use.

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### **Workshop I - The 4 Communicative Skills (listening, speaking, reading & writing) +**

**Technology + Learning Stations = 'Centros' (aka Fun in the Classroom)!**

*Michelle Fulwider-Westall, Wakefield High School Michael Dixon, Cary High School*

Have you ever wondered, "How do I liven up the classroom with hands-on activities that support the curriculum but aren't beholden to a particular book?" Or, "How do I infuse culture and technology in my instruction without being an expert?" "Centros" may be your answer! Come and find out "how!"

Focus: Spanish, Secondary

### **Classroom Computer Lab**

NC State University

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**EVENING ON-SITE – 6:00-9:00PM**

### **Workshop J - Stay in the Game: Make and Take**

**Capital**

*Ashley Velazquez, Hairston Middle School*

Do you love games? You will leave this workshop with a plethora of simple games that you can use in your classroom on Monday. Participants will not only get great game ideas, but will also make and take home at least one of each game!

Focus: All languages, All levels

### **Workshop K - Gmail and Beyond:**

**Willow Oak**

#### **Google Applications and Foreign Language Teaching and Learning**

*Scott Despain, NC State University; James McConnell, NC State University*

Participants will learn to use many free instructional tools from Google as they apply to teaching and learning foreign languages. Applications will include tools to share documents and presentations, virtually navigate the world's geography, create web sites, activity groups and virtual portfolios, upload and close-caption video, and track site activity/usage.

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**Saturday, October 02, 2010**

**Afternoon ON-SITE - 2:10PM-5:10PM**

**Workshop L - Intermediate LinguaFolio & Essential Standards**

**Pin Oak**

*Jennifer Roth, Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools;*

*Jeannie Starman, Charlotte-Mecklenberg Schools*

This workshop is for LinguaFolio users who want to hear about implementation of this formative assessment tool in K-12 classrooms. LinguaFolio-like activities for different units and communication skills will be featured, along with an overview of the Essential Standards and their application to LinguaFolio.

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**Workshop M - Learning Centers in High School?  
Absolutely! Successful Centers for the Interactive  
Foreign Language Classroom**

**Classroom Computer Lab**  
NC State University

*Tracy Flynn Spampinato, Wakefield High School*

Learning Centers are not just for elementary students! Centers provide students with the opportunity to enhance and enrich their language skills while allowing teachers time to better meet the needs of individuals or small groups. Learn how one teacher organizes a "clinic" day for her students, and learn how you can make it work in your class too! Tips, tools, and strategies for organizing centers and managing the materials at the middle school/secondary levels will be discussed. Participants will develop centers for their classrooms and create activities for various dimensions. The first 15 registrants will receive a CD with materials used in the presentation. Note: this is an expanded presentation of the one presented at the FLANC Spring Fling in March 2010 and the FLANC Fall 2009 conference

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**Workshop N - Blogs, Wikis, and Websites... OH MY!!  
Technology Integration for Foreign Languages**

**Classroom Computer Lab**  
NC State University

*Teryn Bivens Odom, Midway High School, NCVPS, Learn NC*

Learn how to create and use blogs, wikis, and websites in the foreign language classroom.

Also, you will learn how to utilize the many FREE technology resources available for use in foreign language classrooms. You can post homework, integrate your calendar/s, post announcements, vocabulary lists, videos, photo albums, music, website links, create discussion boards, blogs, wikis, hold meetings, collaborate, create and edit forms, archive information, and so much more!

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