

WLL Department Meeting
Wednesday, October 2, 2019 | 3:15-4:45 PM | FMH 333

Attendance:

Gina Greco (Leading), D Aleeva, C Breedlove, J Ceciliano, J Coleman, C Collenberg-Gonzalez, W Comer, E Cortez, C Curtin, C de Oliveira, A Dolidon, J Eleweke, N Friedberg, K Godfrey, Y Hanoosh, J Holt, I Jaen-Portillo, L Kominz, T Nidever, M Patino-Vega, J Pease, J Perlmutter, M Rachmuth, S Roulon, R Sanders, C Sloan, S Snyder, S Sychov, S Thorne, S Wadley, I Warnock, S Watanabe, A Zagarella

Announcements:

- **October 16: [WLL Open House/Reception](#)**- let your students know!
- **WELCOME NEW FACULTY:**
 - Melissa Patiño-Vega NTTF Visiting Scholar in Spanish and Chicano/Latino Studies
 - Young-Juo Han NTTF Instructor of Korean (supported by Korea Foundation Grant)
- **Program proposal DEADLINE** to submit to WLL Curriculum Committee is **October 11**
- **Course proposal DEADLINE** to submit is **Dec. 15**
- **Course Planning / Budgeting Cycle will begin soon.** As the process begins, let Gina know if you are considering applying for **sabbatical** during budget planning OR IT IS LESS LIKELY THAT CLAS CAN GRANT YOUR SABBATICAL.
- The department Chair will now have two offices, their permanent office and their Chair office in the main office
 - Greco is located in: FMH 430H (permanent) and FMH 315C (Chair)
- **Dolidon: Futures Committee** is meeting Monday 10/7, 2-3 PM in FMH 350
 - Focus is how to boost undergraduate research
- **Enrollments:** University is down 4.5%, CLAS is down 7%, WLL down 10%, hoping for good [Challenge](#) year to make up some SCH

Important Dates:

10/9: Advisory

10/15 Textbook orders due for Winter 2017

10/16: Open House

11/6: Dept meeting

11/13 Advisory

11/20: Round Table

12/4: Dept Meeting

Agenda:

[Elsa Loftis](#), Library Liaison, Humanities & Acquisitions Librarian, Assistant Professor, loftis@pdx.edu, 503-725-5780

- guides.library.pdx.edu/wll is a guide to performing research in the languages and literatures of the world.
- “This guide will help you search the scholarly literature regarding languages, literature, and [Kanopy](#) update: We used to have on-demand access, but faculty must now request media
 - Contact Elsa for requests at least 48 hours in advance
- [Course Reserves](#): faculty can email Elsa to request titles to add to reserve
- Streaming Films and Music: library.pdx.edu/research/streaming-films-and-music/

Language Lounge (FMH 334):

- Encourage student clubs to book our Language Lounge/Commons
- All room availability can be found here: pdx.edu/wll/wll-calendars
 - Please check out availability first then email Kelli with requests
- The room can be used for: tutoring, instructor/student hang time, drop in hours, etc.

To Do:

- Create a code of conduct
- Donate your textbooks, comics to the lounge bookcase
- Get easel for tutoring

Ideas:

- Host a language-specific party each term
- Feature our students/alumni/spotlight highlighted in the space on the TV or printed
- Form a WLL student council with rotating faculty and various language students to plan events

Language Lab (FMH B142)

- There are 22 stations with PCs
- All room availability can be found here: pdx.edu/wll/wll-calendars
 - Please check out availability first then email Kelli with requests
- The room can be used for: tutoring, instructor/student hang time, drop in hours, writing club, classroom computer lab needs
- World of Warcraft and Fortnite installed for international gaming

CLAS Dean's Search Update: in progress

Presidential Search Update:

- Dr. Stephen Percy has agreed to serve as interim president until such time as the Board of Trustees appoints a permanent president.
- Over the coming months, the Faculty Senate Steering Committee will be studying issues such as the structure and recruitment of administrative leadership and the future of shared governance at PSU.
- The board has discussed taking up the issue of the presidential search in the Spring of 2020 out of consideration for the timeline for the Faculty Senate Steering Committee's review.
- The Board of Trustees' next meeting will be Oct. 10, 2019.
- Info sent by trustees@pdx.edu on 10/2/19

Committee Assignments 2019-2020

Advisory:

Greco (chair)
Watanabe (as WLL Assoc. Chair)
Ceciliano
Collenberg-Gonzalez
Dolidon
Holt
Sloan

Adjunct Support:

Godfrey (co-chair)
Zagarella (co-chair)
Friedberg
Warnock

Assessment:

Alsufieva (chair)
Aleeva
Gomaa
Watanabe

Curriculum Committee:

Wadley (chair)
Curtin
Núñez
Thorne

Graduate Council:

Cortez (chair)
Holt
Jaén-Portillo
Watanabe

Nominations and Elections Committee:

Curtin (chair)
Eleweke

NTTF Review:

Breedlove (chair)
Coleman
Nidever
Perlmutter

P & T:

Pease (chair)
Comer
Kominz
Hanoosh

PR and Outreach

Sanders (chair)
De Oliveira
Snyder
Sychov