Upcoming Events/Guest Lectures

Linguistics Speaker Series:
Fri., Dec. 2, 2016, 11:00-12:00, AHB 2R09
Michael Iannozzi “Learning to WADL Building Western’s Language Archive”, MA student at UWO focusing on language documentation, sociolinguistics and Heritage Languages.

Christmas Potluck Party:
Tues., Dec. 6, 2016, 11:30-1:30 pm, AHB Library.

The 19th Graduate Student Conference entitled “Toxic/City” March 2-4, 2017.
Examining the literary, historical, and theoretical investigations of toxicity in spaces, including but not limited to cities, suburbs, countrysides, or imaginary spaces. Abstracts due by Dec. 2 to: uwo19mlgradconf@gmail.com.
For further information visit: www.uwotoxicityconference.wordpress.com

Sp 9505Y – M. Ratcliffe
Encountering Hispanic Culture Lecture Series (cont’d)

Nov. 9: Dra. Luz María Hernández Saez, Department of History, University of Western Ontario, “La Inquisición Española en las Américas” A&H 1B02, 9.30am
Nov. 9: Dra. Yolanda Iglesias, University of Toronto, “Representación del delito social en La Celestina a través de su iconografía más temprana: 1499 y 1514” LWH 2210, 3.30 pm
Nov. 10: Dr. Enrique Pato, Université de Montréal, “El español de Montreal” Nov. 10 A&H 3B04 4.00pm
Nov. 14: Spencer Moyes, University of Western Ontario, “El Camino de Santiago de Compostela” A&H 1B02, 9.30 am

Sp 9018A – V. Wolff
Nov. 17: 11:30-12:30 pm, STVH 1119
Dr. Andrea Carrión presented work related to Extractivismo minero y estrategia de desarrollo: Entre el nacionalismo de los recursos y los conflictos socio-territoriales; however, she will introduce topics related to culture and to make connections to literature & music.

Past Events/Guest Lectures

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Conversation Groups

German: Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30, SH 3355
contact: vtumanov@uwo.ca
Italian (Club de Conversazione):
Wednesdays, 2:30-4:30 pm AHB 3R19
contact: teresa.aconito@gmail.com
Japanese: Mondays and Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30, AHB 3R19, contact: mfukui@uwo.ca
La Tertulia-Spanish Conversation Group,
4:30-9:30 pm, IGAB 1N05, contact: tertulia@uwo.ca
**Film Series**

**English subtitles. Everyone is welcome!**

**Arabic**
- Tuesdays, 7:00 pm, AHB 3B02
- Nov. 7: The Syrian Movie, Passion (Bab Al Maquam), Mohammed Malas.

**Dec. 5**: The Egyptian Documentary (The Kemetic philosophy and its echoes in Egyptian oral traditions), produced by Ayman Kharrat.

**Dec. 19**: The Egyptian Documentary (Egyptian Art: Ancient Till Now), produced by Ayman Kharrat.

**German**
- Tuesdays, 6:30-9:30 pm, SH 2316
- Oct. 11: The Nasty Girl (Das schreckliche Mädchen), Michael Verhoeven, 1990
- Nov. 1: Victoria, Sebastian Schipper, 2015
- Nov. 22: Labyrinth of Lies (Im Labyrinth des Schweigens), Giulio Ricciarelli, 2014

**Hindi**
- Thursdays, 5:30 pm, AHB 1B06
- Oct. 6: Deewaar
- Nov. 3: Pakeezah, Kamal Amrohi’s, 1972.
- Nov. 17: The Heroism of a Villan
- Dec. 1: Munnabhai MBBS

**Cineclub Italiano**
- Wednesdays, 7:00 pm, AHB 3B15
- Oct. 5: Roman Holiday, William Wyler, 1953
- Oct. 12: Roma citta aperta (Rome Open City), Roberto Rossellini, 1945
- Oct. 19: Ladri di biclette (Bicycle Thieves), Vittorio De Sica, 1948
- Oct. 26: Three Coins in the Fountain, Jean Negulesco, 1954 (English only)
- Nov. 2: Uccellacci e ucellini (The Hawks and the Sparrows), Pier Paolo Pasolini, 1966
- Nov. 9: Roma, Federico Fellini, 1972
- Nov. 16: Gladiator, Ridley Scott, 2000 (English only)
- Nov. 23: Caro diario, Nanni Moretti, 1993
- Nov. 30: La grande bellezza (The Great Beauty), Paolo Sorrentino, 2013
- Dec. 7: Il marchese del grillo (The Marquis of Grillo), Mario Monicelli, 1981

**Hispano (Spanish)**
- Tuesdays, 7:00 pm, AHB 1B04
- Oct. 13: ‘Abre Los Ojos’
- Oct. 20: ‘El Secreto De Sus Ojos’
- Nov. 3: ‘No’, Pablo Larraín, Chile, 2012
- Nov. 17: ‘Como Agua Para Chocolate’
- Dec. 8: Gregorio

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**Conference Presentations**


**Alena Robin,** “Carmelite Preaching in Guadalajara,” Universities Art Association of Canada, Montreal, October 30, 2016.

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**Publications**


**Laurence de Looze** „The Letter and the Cosmos: How The Alphabet Has Shaped the Western View of the World” University of Toronto Press, 2016.

Congratulations to the following Hispanic Studies Graduate Students who successfully defended their theses: Jamil Afana, Yolanda Pangtay Chang, Antonio Jimenez-Mavillard, Jaime Ontiveros and Roberto Ulloa and Jimena Zambrano.

Ayelet Ishai (HS-PhD) won the 2016 GTA Teaching Excellence Award recognizing one MLL Graduate Student whose outstanding work as course instructor shows evidence of educational leadership and impact on student learning. This Award is announced annually at the IASLT conference, and last year’s winner was Bruna Reis.