



MONTH YEAR

LANGUAGES & CULTURES

DEPARTMENT NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

May 1st, 2022

- Graduate Summer Term starts

May 9th, 2022

- UG Summer Distance & Evening courses start

May 13th, 2022

- Last day to add a UG Distance or Evening course

May 16th, 2022

- UG Intersession (first and full term) courses start

May 23rd, 2022

- Victoria Day

Upcoming Events

SPRING PERSPECTIVES ON TEACHING CONFERENCE

Western's Centre for Teaching and Learning will host this virtual conference on May 9th and 10th, 2022. For more information including the main speakers, student panel, interactive workshops, faculty showcase and registration, please visit their website at teaching.uwo.ca.

Conversation Groups & Tutoring

Conversation Groups and Language Tutoring to resume this fall (September 2022).

Awards & Publications

MATTEO BRERA

Congratulations to Dr. Matteo Brera, recipient of the [Marie Skłodowska-Curie Global Fellowship](#) for his work on the project A Darker Shade of Whiteness: The Italian Ethnic Press in Louisiana and the Making of Racial Awareness in The Gulf South (1877-1945).



Awards & Publications Continued

BARBARA ROMERO FERRON

PhD candidate Barbara Romero Ferron has won a Graduate Internship at The Getty Institute in Los Angeles. This is a fully funded 12 month internship with applicants from all over the world. Congratulations Barbara!

LAURENCE DE LOOZE

"The Renaissance Interrogation of 'The Oldest and Most Natural Language.'" Renaissance Society of America Conference. Dublin, 1 April, 2022.

VICTORIA WOLFF

Chapter 4: Inter-Artistic Approaches to Teaching Hispanic Culture: Literature and Music. [Curriculum Design and Praxis in Language Teaching: A Globally Informed Approach](#), University of Toronto Press, March 2022.

VICTORIA WOLFF AND PHD GRADUATES

Congratulations to Undergraduate Chair Victoria Wolff and department graduates Maria Eugenia De Luna Villalon (PhD'11), Andrea Avila (PhD'12), and Ana Chiarelli (PhD'15) on the recent publication of their chapters in [Latin America Made in Canada](#) from Editorial Lugar Común.

Past Events

NALCAP PROGRAM ACCEPTING APPLICANTS

The NALCAP Canadian Language and Culture Assistants Program is currently accepting applicants. Please visit the events section of the LC website for more information on this exciting opportunity.

SCHOLARS TO LEADERS SPEAKER SERIES

Dr. Reza Ashouri Talooki (PhD'17) will be presenting in an upcoming series on leadership both inside and outside of academia. Please contact Nafisa Gillani (ngillani@uwo.ca) for more information.

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