

## ILETC INVITES YOU TO THREE FREE WORKSHOPS

## **ACTFL OPI Familiarization**

Who? All language instructors

When? Two days: 5/30-5/31

What? This two-day workshop familiarizes language instructors with the ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview, including an overview of the ACTFL Proficiency Guidelines, and the ACTFL Rating Scale. Participants observe and rate live interviews conducted by the trainer. They discuss the implications of proficiency for academic and professional purposes. The workshop emphasizes implications and applications for instruction and assessment.

## ACTFL Writing Guidelines Familiarization

Who? All language instructors

When? One day: 6/1

What? Intended as an introduction to the ACTFL Proficiency Guidelines 2012 — Writing, this workshop introduces participants to the major and minor level descriptors and the criteria for assigning a global writing proficiency rating. Participants explore a variety of writing tasks across levels of proficiency, evaluate language samples based on the criteria as described in the Guidelines, and design appropriate writing activities and writing assessment prompts at the four major levels.

## <u>Developing the Writing Skills of</u> <u>Spanish Heritage Learners</u>

**Who?** Instructors of Spanish heritage learners who have completed the ACTFL Writing Guidelines Familiarization Workshop

When? Half-day: 6/2

What? This workshop delineates recommendations for the teaching of writing to Spanish heritage writers who fall within two ranges of proficiency: Intermediate and Advanced. It combines (i) discussion of the results of a study of the writing of 77 heritage writers of Spanish, conducted by the Center for Integrated Language Communities (CILC)\* in collaboration with ACTFL, and (ii) guided, hands-on work by participants.

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Click the link below for pre-registration.

Space is limited. Registration is first-come, first-served!