General News and Announcements

Dr. Reinhard Andress will talk about: Alexander von Humboldt’s Attempt to climb the Chimborazo: Literary Representations Along the Continuum Between Fact and Fiction” at the Department of Modern & Classical Languages’ 23rd COLLOQUIUM on Friday, September 11 at 4:15 p.m. in the Carlo Auditorium of Tegeler Hall.

Continental Coffee Hour will continue this Wednesday, September 9 at 3:30. Hope to see you there!

Meetings

The next Departmental Meeting will take place on Thursday, September 17 at 3:30 in BSC 251B. Materials forthcoming. The remaining meetings for the semester have been scheduled for Oct. 8 (BSC 352/353) and Nov. 5 at 3:30 (BSC 352/353).

Deadlines

LLC

Kudos

- Dr. Teresa Johnson presented a paper in Avila, Spain, on June 6, 2009 entitled "Más allá de la Gramática..." (Pragmatics in the International Business World). It was a bilingual conference: Languages for Business - A Global Approach / Lenguas para Negocios - Un Enfoque Global.

- Dr. Claudia Karagoz gave a paper titled “What’s in a Doll? A Mother’s ‘Senseless Act’ in Elena Ferrante’s La filia oscura” in a session on Twentieth Century Women Writers at the 29th Annual Conference of the American Association of Italian Studies. The conference was held at St. John’s University in New York City in May 2009. At the same conference, Dr. Karagoz also organized two sessions titled “Technoteaching Revisited: Exploring the Impact of Technologies in the Italian Classroom.”

- Dr. Jean-Louis Pautrot has been invited by the editors of the journal L’Esprit Créateur (Johns Hopkins University Press) to guest-edit a thematic issue on Pascal Quignard for the Spring 2012.

From the Chair

Happy Labor Day to all!