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## General News and Announcements

### RCLC Event: Diversity and Language Learning - A Panel Discussion

Friday, Nov 11, 2011, 4:00-6:00

Featuring:

\*Lauren Schmidt – Hispanic Linguistics, UMSL

\*Pascale Perraudin – French Literature, SLU

Student Government Chambers

Millennium Student Center 3rd Floor

University of Missouri – St. Louis

RSVP to Beth Eckelkamp at [beckelkamp@umsl.edu](mailto:beckelkamp@umsl.edu) or [314-516-6517](tel:314-516-6517)

The **MCL Holiday Party** will take place:

Friday, Dec. 2

5:00-7:00 p.m.

at Il Monastero (plenty of free parking)

**The Evening of French Theatre** presented at UMSL on Nov 3 was attended by an audience of 193 students and adults. Our university was well represented with around 50 students and faculty attending. This event was organized by our department jointly 3 other local universities (Wash U, Webster, UMSL) and 5 local cultural organizations (Alliance Française, Société Française, the Jane M. and Bruce P. Robert Foundation, St-Louis-Lyon Sister Cities, AATF Greater St.-Louis Chapter).

## Meetings

The final Department Meetings of this semester will be held Thursday, December 1, 2011 3:30-5:00 in **Ritter Hall 222**.

The next meeting of the **MCL Strategic Planning Committee** will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1-2 p.m., place to be announced.

## Deadlines

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## Kudos

- Dr. Claude Pavur, S.J., has published an article, "Re-Envisioning Classics As a Liberal Art," in the open and online journal *Electronic*

*Antiquity* 14:2 (May 2011) 1-20.

- Together with Dr. Joe Barcroft, Associate Professor of Spanish and Second Language Acquisition at Washington University, Dr. Kara McBride presented the invited workshop “Teaching and Learning Vocabulary: What Recent Research Tells Us” at the [MidTESOL](#) conference, held on the campus of Saint Louis University, Oct. 2011.
- Dr. Reinhard Andress spent the week of Oct. 24-28 at the Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (Argentina). While there he conducted a workshop on "Robert(o) Schopflocher als Selbstübersetzer" with 22 undergraduate and graduate students of German, participated in a round-table discussion on exile in Argentina, and functioned as a consultant for the German program at the university.
- Dr. Jean-Louis Pautrot was invited by the Book Club of the Alliance Française de St. Louis to present the French author Irène Frain and to conduct a discussion of her book *Les Naufragés de l'île Tromelin* (2009) on Oct. 27.
- Dr. Kathleen Llewellyn presented a paper, "Judith Re-Imagined: Old Testament Heroine, Renaissance Woman" at the Sixteenth-Century Studies Conference in Fort Worth Texas, on October 28.