General News and Announcements

The Chinese division celebrated the Chinese Moon Festival on Friday, October 6. Chinese Moon Festival is on the 15th of the 8th Lunar month of the Chinese calendar. It is also known as the Mid-Autumn Festival. While being one of the most traditional festivals, the Moon Festival is also an occasion for family reunions. When the full moon rises, families get together to watch the full moon, read moon poems, and eat moon cakes. On Friday, approximately 60 people participated in the party, including more than forty students from five Chinese classes, ten guest Chinese students, two Chinese guest families, and the Chinese faculty. The students in the Chinese division had a wonderful opportunity to learn Chinese culture, enjoy delicious Chinese food, practice their language, and exchange their cultural experience with Chinese students. For more images from this event, please see the MCL Facebook page.

Save the date for the next meetings of the MCL Research Group:
- Tuesday, Oct. 30, 3-5
- Monday, Nov. 19, 3-5
If you plan on coming to the Tuesday meeting, please contact Annie (smart@slu.edu).

Coffee Hour
The MCL Coffee hour will take place the first Wednesday of each month.

Meetings
This semester’s MCL Department meetings will take place on the following Thursdays, 3:30-5:00, in Ritter Hall 128.
October 25; November 29.

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MCL now has its own Facebook page, and it's ready for some likes!
https://www.facebook.com/mclslu
Don't be shy contributing content!

Kudos
Dr. Kara McBride has been awarded the 2012 James H. Korn Award for Scholarship on Teaching and Learning. The award, established in 2006 recognizes excellence in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, which involves asking questions about student learning and teaching activities, answering those questions by assessing student learning and effectiveness of teaching strategies, and publicly sharing results of this inquiry in a setting that invites peer review.

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