**General News and Announcements**

**Meetings**

The final department meeting of the semester will take place on Thursday May 2, at 3:30 p.m., in Ritter Hall 222.

**LLC**

**Kudos**

Dr. Jean-Louis Pautrot has published a book, *Pascal Quignard* with Gallimard-Grasset in Paris. (172 pages, ISBN 978-2-07014-061-9). The book is an introduction to the works of Quignard that he was invited to write by the Institut Français (the cultural branch of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs) for their collection on contemporary Francophone writers. It also contains a cd of interviews.

The Uni Bamberg's press office interviewed Dr. Evelyn Meyer recently, as a guest scholar. Here is the link to the interview, which is in German. [http://www.uni-bamberg.de/kommunikation/news/artikel/meyer/](http://www.uni-bamberg.de/kommunikation/news/artikel/meyer/)

Dr. Kara McBride presented a poster, "Do L2 Learners’ Beliefs about Linguistic Relativity Affect Their L2 Development?" at the American Association of Applied Linguistics conference in Dallas, March 19, 2013.