



Classical & Modern
Languages & Literatures

CALICHE 2019

APRIL 5, 2019

12:00

Check in & Light Refreshments

12:20

YESICA AMAYA, CALICHE CHAIR

Texas Tech University

Opening Remarks

12:30

SARAH SCHIFFECKER

Texas Tech University

Texas German: A Present Day Glimpse of
the Past without a Future?

01:00

YESICA AMAYA

Texas Tech University

Doing an Evaluation Study on Authentic Materials
for Spanish Language Learners

01:30

BOSHRA EL-GUINDY, Ph.D.

Foreign Services

The Impact of Blending Digital
Technologies with Task-based Language
Teaching, an Assessment on Adult
Learners' Motivation and Language Skills

02:00

ROSLYN BURNS, Ph.D.

The University of Texas at Austin

Contemporary Dialect Divisions in Plautdietsch

02:30

KHALEEL ABUSAL

Texas Tech University

Can Hand Gestures Help Vowel Lengths
Contrast? A Perspective from Arabic as Foreign
Language

03:00

LORENA ALARCON

Texas Tech University

Sociolinguistic Awareness through Multimodal Texts

03:30

Coffee Break

04:00

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

CARRIE JACKSON, Ph.D.

The Pennsylvania State University

Don't give up! There is hope: How Linguistic
and Instructional Factors can Facilitate the
Acquisition of Grammatical Gender among
Less-proficient Second Language Learners

SATURDAY APRIL 6, 2019

08:45

Breakfast & Poster Presentations

BOSHRA EL-GUINDY, Ph.D.

Foreign Services

Toward Developing Second and Foreign Language
Learners' Pragmatic Skills through A
Comprehensive Model of Assessment Procedures**LORENA ALARCON & LAURA RIEDER**

Texas Tech University

An Auditory Analysis of Rhotic Assibilation in
Northwest Argentina**KARINA OLIVEIRA**

Texas Tech University

Portuguese as a Heritage Language in a Bilingual
Context in Tennessee**ROBIN TIEPERMAN NISPEL**

Texas Tech University

Investigating Constraints on Use of Definite Articles
with Proper Personal Names in Chilean Spanish

09:15**SULTAN Y. TAWHARI**

Texas Tech University

Errors in English Paragraph Writing Made
By Jazan University Students: A Linguistic Analysis

09:45**SUMSHOT KHULAR**

University of North Texas

Body Parts Metaphors in Lamkang

10:15**MOURAD ABDENNEBI**

Texas Tech University

Arabic Inflectional Morphology, Teaching Strategies
to Arabic L2 Learners

10:45**SUMAIA ALDUBAIKHI**

Texas Tech University

Young Saudis' Attitudes toward Saudi
Pidgin Arabic

11:15**NICK HENRY, Ph.D.**

The University of Texas at Austin

The Function of Explicit Information in
Processing Instruction

11:45**MARTHEVIENTY SOUMOKIL, GSAL PRESIDENT**

Texas Tech University

Closing Remarks
