

**AATSP CHICAGO AREA CHAPTER WINTER WORKSHOP 2018**  
**HOT TOPICS FOR ALL LEVELS**

Choose from 6 presentations that will demonstrate ways to differentiate instruction and satisfy your professional development needs. We invite members, non-members, and student teachers to take advantage of this opportunity for PDs. You will find something for all levels of Spanish as well as other languages.

**SATURDAY, February 24, 2018**

**9:00 AM - 12:30 PM**

at:

**Barrington High School**

616 West Main Street

Barrington, IL 60010

Registration and

Refreshments: 8:30-8:55 AM

**\*Enter Barrington H.S. at Door # 40  
West Wing (past tennis courts).**

Send registration form and checks to:

**Marta Constenla**

WL Department-Barrington HS

616 West Main Street

Barrington, IL 60010

AATSP Members -- \$20 registration

Non-members-- \$25 registration

Student teachers-- \$10 registration

**Make checks payable to:**

**AATSP Chicago Area Chapter**

**Space limited to 60**

\*e-mail for more information:

[mconstenla@barrington220.org](mailto:mconstenla@barrington220.org)

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and send to above address with check  
payable to AATSP Chicago Area Chapter.**

**\* Fee non-refundable/non transferable**

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Please indicate: (dues renew on Jan. 1, 2018)

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\*IEIN Number \_\_\_\_\_ (needed to receive PDs)

\*For more information on this event and other  
AATSP events, visit our website at

<http://www.Chicagoatasp.org>

**\*Choose only one presentation per session.**

**SESSION 1: 9:00-10:00 AM**

**Literatura sin Miedo en la Clase de Español**

**Presenter: Nairy Hagopian  
Highland Park High School**

Authentic literature CAN be included in Spanish classes in a relevant, engaging way that looks beyond vocabulary lists and comprehension questions. This session will share some practical ideas and resources to use in class. The presentation will be conducted in Spanish.

**Audience: High School-----Spanish**

**Tin Time & Tile Awhile**

**Presenter: Barb Pietroski (retired)  
Buffalo Grove H.S. & Baker Demonstration School**

Make and take two Hispanic crafts that are quick and inexpensive to integrate with language or culture at any level. Make a tin ornament based on the Mexican hojalata and an easy version of a Talavera or Gaudí's tile.

**Audience: All levels-----Spanish**

**SESSION 2: 10:15-11:15 AM**

**Teaching for Biliteracy:  
Strengthening Bridges between languages**

**Presenter: Karen Beeman  
Center for Teaching for Biliteracy**

This session will cover the latest research in teaching for biliteracy, including the Bridge between languages that ensure transfer and metalinguistic development. It will also highlight strategies that promote student engagement, language learning, and literacy.

**Audience: All Levels-----All Languages**

**Ready, Set, Improv!**

**Presenter: Brian Scott, College Board Consultant  
Huntley High School**

This presentation focuses on the use of improvisational speaking activities to increase oral proficiency. The goal desired by many teachers is that their students become better at speaking, but do we do enough spontaneous activities to improve this?

**Audience: High School-----All Languages**

**SESSION 3: 11:30-12:30 PM**

**What Works with Heritage Learners?**

**Presenter: Kim Potowski, Director for Heritage Speakers. University of Illinois at Chicago**

This session covers important issues related to teaching Spanish for heritage speakers. What are their linguistic, affective, and academic characteristics? What makes them different from foreign language learners? What placement procedures, instructional approaches, and materials are most appropriate in working with them?

**Audience: High School-----All Languages**

**Who Says Every Day Can't Be a Party in the WL Classroom?**

**Presenter: Heidi Lechner  
Libertyville High School**

Who says that fun and games have to be scheduled? Use ACTFL Core Practices and your classes will come to life on their own. Come to this session and walk away with new academic games, music, authentic materials and kinesthetic activities that will enhance your class atmosphere, get kids excited to speak, and make each day a party in the WL classroom!

**Audience: All Levels-----All Languages**