

The Michigan World Language Association

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Language(s): Arabic Japanese
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 French Russian
 German Spanish
 Other [name] _____

Position: Teacher
 Administrator
 Department Chair
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Level: Elementary
 Middle/Junior
 High School
 College/University
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Dues are for: 2008 (10/1/07 – 9/30/08)
 2009 (10/1/08 – 9/30/09)

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We share our mailing list (only name and preferred address) with educational institutions and exhibitors upon request and approval of the MiWLA Executive Treasurer. This service is complimentary to educational institutions and a nominal fee is charged to for-profit businesses. For example, an exhibitor may contact the MiWLA to send a catalog or a University may wish to send program information. See reverse for more information.

Please check here, if for some reason, you would prefer *NOT* to participate in this opportunity.

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MiWLA Executive Treasurer
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The Michigan World Language Association is an organization for all elementary, secondary, college, and university teachers, supervisors, students, and friends of world languages. The MIWLA endorses and seeks to achieve the following goals:

- Promote and strengthen world language study at all levels.
- Promote public awareness of the importance and value of world language study.
- Assist in providing professional development for teachers of world and second languages at all levels.

The MIWLA holds an annual conference in cooperation with the Michigan Department of Education and other professional organizations. Your membership in the MIWLA helps to strengthen world language programs through the efforts of a unified profession, allows you to participate in MIWLA workshops and conferences, and includes a year's subscription to the **MIWLA NEWSLETTER**. To join the MIWLA, complete the membership form and mail it with your annual dues to the Treasurer.

MIWLA Services to its Members Include...

- **Representation**, support and visibility for the world language teaching profession, elementary through graduate school, at the state and federal government levels, and through the media.
- **Conferences** of workshops, meetings, exhibits, and nationally recognized speakers.
- **Publication** of a semi-annual Newsletter featuring articles by and for world language teachers, along with other information pertaining to the world language profession, including current information.
- **Representation** of Michigan world language teachers at the Central States Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages, The American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages, the Joint National Committee for Languages, and the National Council for Languages and International Studies.
- **Support** for The American Association of Teachers of French, The American Association of Teachers of Spanish & Portuguese, The Michigan Classical Conference, The American Association of Teachers of German, The American Association of Slavic & East European Languages, the Japanese Teachers Association of Michigan, The American Association of Teachers of Italian, and other World Language Organizations.
- **Honors** for outstanding world language students and awards for distinguished members of the profession.
- **Sharing Legal Disclaimer** Though we make every effort to preserve user privacy, we may need to disclose personal information when required by law wherein we have a good-faith belief that such action is necessary to comply with a current judicial proceeding, a court order or legal process served on our Web site.
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- **Choice/Opt-out** Our users are given the opportunity to 'opt-out' of having their information used for purposes not directly related to our site at the point where we ask for information. For example, our conference registration and membership form has an 'opt-out' mechanism so members who don't want any marketing material can keep their contact information private. **[Please check the appropriate box on the membership application.]** Users who no longer wish to receive our newsletter and/or promotional communications may opt-out of receiving these communications by sending an email to Daryl Biallas at treasurer@miwla.org. Members may also send their request in writing to Daryl Biallas, 5415 Olde Saybrooke Rd., Grand Blanc MI 48439.