Keynote Speakers

**Dr. Maria Carreira**  Heritage languages, Spanish in the US, Identity, resilience, Heritage language development and maintenance

**Dr. Julie Sykes**  Digital Technologies of Language Acquisition, inter language pragmatic development, intercultural competence

**Dr. Alvaro Cerrón-Palomino**  Sociolinguistics, Spanish in the US, Language Variation in Peru, History of the Spanish Language

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### Friday, March 24th, 2017

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                    University of Oregon
                    *Interlanguage Pragmatics and Digital Discourse: Design, Implementation, and Assessment* | LL 02|
| 11:45-1:00pm     | Lunch (On your own)                                                  |      |

#### Session 1*
1:15-1:45pm
- **Kaitlyn Teske** | Arizona State University
  *Does Duolingo actually work? A closer look at Duolingo*

1:45-2:15pm
- **Mohammad Mahzari** | Arizona State University
  *A Sociopragmatic Study of the Congratulation Strategies of Saudi Facebook Users*

2:15-2:45pm
- **Josh Prada** | Texas Tech University
  *Emergent bilingualism and the development of translanguaging identities in a study abroad context*

2:45-3:00pm
- **Break (snack provided)**

3:00-4:00pm
- **Keynote Speaker: Dr. Cerrón-Palomino**
  Arizona State University
  *Bilingualism and the syntactic-pragmatic interface: what subject pronoun expression in bilingual Spanish tells us*

#### Session 2*
4:00-4:30pm
- **Alexis Vollmer Rivera** | Arizona State University
  *Subject expression in the Spanish of Bilingual speakers in Phoenix, AZ*

4:30-5:00pm
- **Mansour Altamimi** | Arizona State University
  *Arabic Pro Drop*

5:00-5:30pm
- **Sara Alcázar Silva** | University of Arizona
  *Former Language Brokers Reclaiming Power in Interpreting Events*

5:30-6:30pm
- **Workshop: Dr. Ligia Bezerra** | Arizona State University
  *"The Academic Job Search"*

6:30-8:00pm
- **Dinner (provided)**

### Saturday, March 25th, 2017

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                    California State University, Long Beach
                    *Parameters of variation in Mixed Classes: Focus on Disciplinary Literacy* | LL 104|
| 11:45am-1:00pm   | Lunch                                                                |      |

#### Session 3*
1:15am-1:45pm
- **Eric Jensen** | University of California, Davis
  *Exploring Transparency: The Comprehension of Collocations in a Spanish Classroom*

1:45am-2:15pm
- **Judit Palencia Gutiérrez** | University of California, Riverside
  *Carta a Santángel y la Segunda carta de relación: exploración de herramientas lingüísticas para la reinvenzione del espacio*

2:15pm-2:45pm
- **John Powell** | Arizona State University
  *Proficiency and Performance of the Subjunctive among Advanced Spanish Second Language Learners*

2:45pm-3:00pm
- **Break (snack provided)**

3:00pm-3:30pm
- **Sergio Loza** | Arizona State University
  *Language attitudes toward Spanish in a user-unfriendly environment: the case of Phoenix, AZ*

3:30pm-4:00pm
- **Olga Jeffrey** | University of Nevada, Las Vegas
  *Literature in the teaching of Spanish as a second language and communicative competences*

4:00pm-4:30pm
- **Lillie Essah & Rosti Vana** | Arizona State University
  *Language ideologies in L2 Spanish courses: Critical perspectives from textbooks and instructors' notes*

4:45pm-5:30pm
- **Workshop: Dr. Michael Gradoville** | Arizona State University
  *R: Linguistic Applications and Basic Usage*

* 20-minute presentation with 10-minute Q&A