

**Foreign Language Meeting
October 18, 2016**

Attendees: Argelia Andrade, Maria Barrio De Mendoza, Evelyne Berman, Alicia Class, Donna Factor, Andres Moina, David Shan, Nina Yoshida, Margarita Talavera-Hoferer, Elise Geraghty (Associate Dean), Sabra Sabio (counselor)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Earthquake drill on Thursday, October 20, at 10:20 a.m.
- 80th Anniversary of Spanish Civil War International Conference: Nov 8 to Nov 12
- Faculty Evaluations are underway
- Tom's Campus-Wide Retirement Halloween Monday in mailroom from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.
- Division holiday party Friday, December 9, at Gene Armao and Kate McLaughlin's place in San Pedro

1. **CURRICULUM**

New Linguistics major at UCLA (Sabra)

- Sabra shared with the department that UCLA has a new articulated linguistics major, which could be very good for FL enrollment.
- Argelia volunteered to develop for ECC the linguistics course that she developed and taught at her previous institution, Valley College.

Foreign Language Courses/SLOs to be assessed for fall 2016:

Spanish 2 (Andrade), 4 (Class)

French 1 (SLO 1), 2 (SLO 1), 3 (SLO 2), 5/6 (SLO 3) [Berman/Class]

German 1 (Stevens)

Japanese 1, 3, 21/22 (Yoshida)

Chinese 2, 3 (Shan)