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The University of Hawai‘i National Foreign Language Resource Center engages in research and materials development projects and conducts workshops and conferences for language professionals among its many activities.

[3RD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION & CONSERVATION \(ICLDC\) – CALL FOR PROPOSALS](#)

The **3rd International Conference on Language Documentation and Conservation (ICLDC)**, “Sharing Worlds of Knowledge,” will be held **February 28-March 3, 2013**, at the Hawai‘i Imin International Conference Center on the University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa campus.

By popular demand, the 3rd ICLDC will be a full day longer than the previous two conferences. The conference program will feature an integrated series of Master Class workshops. An optional Hilo Field Study (on the Big Island of Hawai‘i) to visit Hawaiian language revitalization programs in action will immediately follow the conference (March 4-5).

This year’s conference theme, “Sharing Worlds of Knowledge,” intends to highlight the interdisciplinary nature of language documentation and the need to share methods for documenting the many aspects of human knowledge that language encodes. We aim to build on the strong momentum created by the 1st and 2nd ICLDCs to discuss research and revitalization approaches yielding rich records that can benefit both the field of language documentation and speech communities.

We currently have an open Call for Proposals, and we welcome your abstract submissions. Abstracts are due by August 31, 2012, with notification of acceptance by October 1, 2012.

For more information, visit our conference website: <http://nflrc.hawaii.edu/ICLDC/2013/>

[2013 CALICO CONFERENCE RETURNS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI‘I AT MĀNOA](#)

The National Foreign Language Resource Center is pleased to once again be welcoming and hosting the annual Computer Assisted Language Instruction Consortium (CALICO) conference, here in Honolulu, Hawai‘i on May 21-25, 2013. Conference details and its Call for Proposals will be posted on the [CALICO website](#) later this summer. We hope you will join us.

STAY IN TOUCH WITH SOCIAL MEDIA

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NEW NFLRC PUBLICATIONS

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Language Documentation & Conservation is a refereed, open-access journal sponsored by NFLRC and published by [University of Hawai'i Press](#). LD&C publishes papers on all topics related to language documentation and conservation, as well as book reviews, hardware and software reviews, and notes from the field.



Reading in a Foreign Language is a refereed international journal of issues in foreign language reading and literacy, published twice yearly on the World Wide Web and sponsored by NFLRC and the University of Hawai'i College of Languages, Linguistics and Literature.

Check out [our many other publications](#).

Michigan State University Center for Language Education and Research (CLEAR)



CLEAR's mission is to promote the teaching and learning of foreign languages in the United States. Projects focus on materials development, professional development training, and foreign language research.

CONFERENCES

CLEAR exhibits at local and national conferences year-round. We hope to see you at [ACTFL](#), [CALICO](#), [MIWLA](#), [Central States](#), and other conferences.

We will be presenting sessions at [CALICO](#) 2012 and [ACTFL](#) 2012. We hope to meet you in person!

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We debuted a series of webinars in Fall 2011, and have added more since then. These low-cost, online, interactive workshops allow language teachers from around the country (and the world) to access CLEAR's professional development on demand. The currently available webinars focus on CLEAR's Rich Internet Applications and language assessment. We hope to add to the collection in the coming months. Webinar participants are able to apply for State Board Continuing Education Units. Detailed information on all webinars is posted on the webinars page of our [Web site](#).

MATERIALS DEVELOPMENT

CLEAR is developing several new products during our fifth funding cycle. Check our Web site for updates on new products and services. Some of our upcoming projects include:

- Expansion of our Rich Internet Applications for language learning on mobile devices
- Professional development webinars on diverse topics (see above)
- Online videos for language teaching techniques
- Online listening and speaking tests for LCTLs

NEWSLETTER

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