

PACIE Annual Conference 2017

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In collaboration with the Pennsylvania State
Modern Languages Association (PSMLA)

“Capitol”-izing on Languages and Global Education

Since 1969, the Pennsylvania Council for International Education (PACIE) has worked tirelessly to prepare students for success in our increasingly interconnected world. Today, we are the leading authority and advocate for global education in Pennsylvania.

The need for providing students with a solid foundation in global education has never been stronger. U.S. businesses and workers are facing the growing need to compete in the worldwide, knowledge-based economy. Pennsylvania alone has 300,000 citizens employed by 6,500 international companies, and represents the 27th largest economy worldwide. More importantly, over 750,000 PA residents are immigrants, who contributed some \$1.58 billion to the state’s economy in 2014 alone. These numbers will only increase as time goes on. Our students must have the skills and compassion to understand our increasingly diverse society.

At the PACIE + PSMLA 2017 Conference, teachers will learn how to seamlessly integrate global education into their curricula. It begins with “Global Education 101,” an overview of the philosophies and strategies guiding global education, and continues with the following 40+ PACIE and PSMLA sessions that attendees can choose to attend. Teachers will leave the conference with practicable tactics to integrate global themes into their classes—such as sample lesson plans and model programs—as well as a solid understanding of the state of global education and foreign language instruction in Pennsylvania.

For more information and to register, visit:
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