

El Camino College Humanities Division
Foreign Language Meeting
October 15, 2013

In attendance: Evelyne Berman, Alicia Class, Elise Geraghty, Rosella Pescatori, Bernie Rang, David Shan, Carmen Sotolongo, Nina Yoshida

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1.1. Earthquake drill this Thursday, October 17, at 10:17 a.m.
- 1.2. Academic Senate representatives are needed.
- 1.3. Sabra from counseling needs volunteers for Oct. 29 Careers and Major Fair.

2. SLO BUSINESS

- 2.1. Elise distributed the list of finalized SLOs to each department and asked that they be reviewed and returned to Elise. Elise will make sure that current SLOs are posted either in the old grid or on the division web page (by language).
- 2.2. All faculty confirm that they have completed SLO revisions, and according to Kevin Degnan and Stephanie Merz, everything aside from German is in. Elise will follow up with Chris Stevens regarding German SLOs.

3. PROGRAM REVIEW UPDATE

- 3.1. Nina Shared Program Review status, and Elise asked the faculty to work on the prioritized recommendations.
 - 3.1.1. All faculty agree that after full-time hiring, the Foreign Language lab is a priority—more hours and repaired equipment are needed desperately for the lab to serve our students adequately.
 - 3.1.2. Study abroad was brought up by R. Pescatori. She will pursue a revival of ECC's study abroad offerings by gathering information from contact schools in Italy and demonstrating the strong desire in the community for study abroad opportunities.
 - 3.1.3. E. Berman noted that the licenses for Tell Me More should be a priority as the current subscriptions will expire within two years.