CALL FOR PROPOSALS NOW OPEN
105TH AATSP ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The AATSP is now accepting proposals for the 105th AATSP Annual Conference in Salamanca, Spain (June 26-29, 2023). Our 2023 conference theme is Nuevos horizontes para la comunicación y la cultura or Novos horizontes para a comunicação e a cultura. Join us next summer for professional development, learning, and fun. We are expecting a robust turnout of educators and administrators at all levels. The Call for Proposals is now open on our website through Monday, October 31.
ATTENTION PORTUGUESE TEACHERS
LEARN ABOUT USAL’S CENTER FOR BRAZILIAN STUDIES

Did you know that the Universidad de Salamanca (USAL) has a Center for Brazilian Studies (Centro de Estudios Brasileños)? The Centro de Estudios Brasileños was created by USAL and the Embassy of Brazil in Spain with the aim of promoting the teaching and research of Brazil and its cultural, social, political, and economic aspects. Click here for more information.

CONFERENCE WRAP-UP NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE

The Conference Wrap-Up for the 104th AATSP Annual Conference in San Juan, Puerto Rico is now published on our website. To view the full PDF complete with photos and recaps, click here. Thank you
ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

SHH CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica is seeking nominees for the position of Region II Director and President-Elect. Click here for full details, including the nomination form and which states fall into Region II.

The SHH President-Elect and Regional Directors are part of the SHH Advisory Board. Board members must be available to meet in person at each AATSP Annual Conference. Each Regional Director oversees one of the SHH scholarship or awards competitions – coordinating with judges and contacting applicants about results. Self-nominations are welcome.

The nominations deadline is Wednesday, August 31.

GET INVOLVED WITH 2022 NATIONAL TEACH SPANISH WEEK

The AATSP will celebrate the 2022 National Teach Spanish Week (NTSW) from Sunday, September 25-Sunday, October 2. The purpose of NTSW is to promote the teaching of Spanish as a profession, to call attention to the current Spanish teacher shortage (PreK-16+) in the US, and to emphasize the importance of Spanish as a world language. This year’s theme is la alegría y la creatividad en el aula del español.

Share your story by submitting a short video (approximately three minutes) that will be shared on our website and social media during NTSW. Videos can focus on an idea, activity, or strategy that language educators have found brings joy or fosters creativity in themselves or their students. The deadline to submit a video is Monday, September 5. For complete guidelines and instructions, click here (PDF).
PARTICIPATE IN SPECIAL NTSW WEBINAR
¡PREPÁRENSE PARA TRAER LA ALEGRÍA!

On Monday, September 12 at 7:00 pm ET, Vista Higher Learning and AATSP will co-sponsor a webinar on how to prepare for 2022 National Teach Spanish Week. Panelists will include 2022 NTSW Co-Chairs Nadine Jacobsen-McLean, Hawthorne Elementary School, Louisville, KY, and Ryan Casey, Lexington High School, Lexington, MA, as well as 2021 NTSW Chair Haydee Taylor-Arnold, Ladue Horton Watkins High School, St. Louis, MO. Click here to register.

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR AATSP HONORARY FELLOW 2022

Each year, the AATSP considers outstanding achievement by individuals in the field of Hispanic and Luso-Brazilian languages,
literatures, cultures, linguistics, and cinema for recognition as an AATSP Honorary Fellow. Individual members in good standing and chapters are encouraged to nominate candidates for consideration. The nominations deadline is **Saturday, September 24**. Nominations are sent directly to **awards@aatsp.org**. Please label the subject: Honorary Fellow Nomination. Koichi Hagimoto, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA, is the Chair of the AATSP Honorary Fellow Search Committee. For complete information, profiles of past fellows, and the nomination form, please [click here](#).

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**CALL FOR PROPOSALS**  
**10TH NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON SPANISH AS A HERITAGE LANGUAGE**
The Joint National Committee for Languages – National Council for Languages and International Studies (JNCL-NCLIS) is now accepting nominations for the 2023 J. David Edwards Power of Advocacy Award. The purpose of this award is to recognize
extraordinary advocacy efforts carried out at the individual, local, state, regional, national, or international level that contribute to the JNCL-NCLIS mission and serve to expand access to languages other than English. Because the AATSP is a JNCL-NCLIS member organization, all AATSP members are eligible to nominate an individual for this award. Click here for more information and to submit a nomination. The nominations deadline is Monday, September 12.

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**APPLY FOR GOLDEN TICKET TO ATTEND FEDELE’S SEMANA DE ESPAÑOL HYBRID EVENT IN-PERSON IN MADRID**

*Semana del Español* is a hybrid physical-digital event, whose main objective is to bring together language and tourism agencies, international Spanish language centers, teachers, and students with Spanish schools in Spain. Spanish teachers interested in attending FEDELE’s *Semana del Español* in-person in Madrid (October 17-22) are encouraged to apply for an all-expense paid “Golden Ticket.” The application deadline is Thursday, September 1, and recipients of the “Golden Ticket” will be notified by email during the first week of September. Click here (PDF) for participation terms and conditions and click here for the “Golden Ticket” application form.

For the past 20 years, FEDELE’s (*Federación Española de Asociaciones de Escuelas de Español para Extranjeros*) main objective has been to promote quality and professional status for companies in the Spanish language teaching sector in Spain with a common goal: to offer a quality linguistic and cultural immersion experience to students from all over the world.
SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE REVIEW
MANAGING EDITOR SPOTLIGHT SERIES

The Spanish and Portuguese Review (SPR) Managing Editors team is a diverse group of graduate students and recent graduates with a variety of experience volunteering and publishing with SPR. They oversee various facets of the publishing process, coordinate across teams and also manage their own teams of Associate Editors who help with tasks such as peer review, copyediting, and social media. In an effort to highlight their incredible efforts, celebrate their successes, and showcase a bit about who they are, we are launching our SPR Managing Editors Spotlight Series! Check out the SPR blog in the coming Mondays to learn more about this hard-working and inspiring team.

NSE TEAM WELCOMES YOU BACK TO SCHOOL

The NSE website has a new look! Each of the four exams that we offer can now be easily located on the menu bar.

Keep an eye out for the free online practice materials that are gradually being uploaded to the NSE website. Also, free practice exams are now available on Lingco Language Labs (our new exam host). If you did not receive an email on August 17 with access to
the special link, contact the NSE Office at nse@aatsp.org.

Registration for the National Spanish Assessments has officially begun. If you have questions about navigating Lingco, practice materials, or anything else, click here to sign up for a webinar about registration season.

The second annual NSC Coloring Contest is starting early! This is a great classroom activity for National Teach Spanish Week! More information is posted on the NSC webpage.

2021 AATSP FINANCIAL STATEMENT NOW AVAILABLE

The annual external review of the 2021 AATSP Financial Statement is complete. It was approved by the AATSP Board of Directors on August 18, 2022. To view the statement, click here.

CHECK OUT MORE 2022 AATSP POSTER CONTEST WINNERS

We continue to highlight the winning entries to the 2022 AATSP Poster Contest. Today we are showcasing the first- and second-place posters of the 4th-5th Grade Category. Congratulations to Ryan Li of the Maryland Chapter and Coleman Cornish of the NY Long Island Chapter. ¡Enhorabuena! Parabéns!
Ryan Li, Maryland Chapter

Coleman Cornish, NY Long Island Chapter

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