

## ***LILT Professional Development Winter Workshops 2007***

LILT is offering a series of two-hour professional development workshops for Long Island L.O.T.E. teachers. Before registering, check with your district to ascertain if prior approval is required, if credit will be granted and if verification of attendance is necessary. Upon your request, LILT will send you a letter at the end of the workshop series verifying your workshop attendance. Participants may enroll in as many workshops as they wish. Weekday sessions will be held from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the school indicated in the course description.

Please note the updated site information for some of our workshops, as well as a change in date for Workshop #8 (highlighted in red).

Cost:               \$15 per session for LILT members

                          \$ 25 per session for non-members

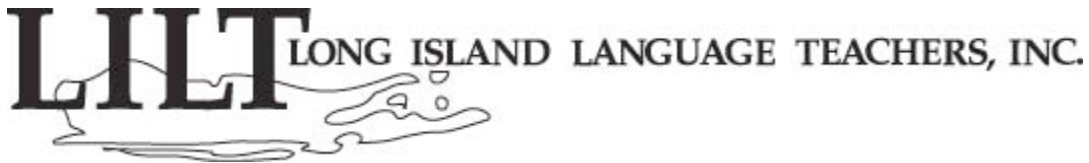
**Non-members: To qualify for the \$15 per session fee, check “YES” on the “Member of LILT” line on the registration form at the end of this flyer and include a SEPARATE CHECK in the amount of \$20 (or \$10 for FULL TIME STUDENTS) PAYABLE TO LILT, for your 2007 LILT dues.**

In the event of insufficient enrollment, LILT reserves the right to cancel a session. If this occurs, participants may substitute an alternate session or receive a refund for the canceled session. **FEES ARE OTHERWISE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

*A confirmation letter with directions to each location will be sent at the close of the registration period.*

Registration (including payment) must be postmarked by:  
**February 27, 2007.**

Should you have any questions, please contact Alba Masullo evenings before 9 p.m. at (516) 298-5005 or via e-mail at [amasullo@liltfl.org](mailto:amasullo@liltfl.org).



## ***LILT 2007 Winter Workshop Descriptions***

### ***Session 1: Energize your classroom with music and music videos***

***Presenter: Anahí Walton-Schaffer***

***Location: Northport High School***

***Date: Wednesday, March 7, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

***Do you want to zest up your lessons? Experience the power of music and images to keep your students on task, alert, and fully engaged. The presentation will include demonstrations, audience participation, games, and activities. The workshop is intended primarily for Spanish teachers; however videos will be shown in German, French, and Italian. All languages are encouraged to attend!***

### ***Session 2: Linking LOTE: A March through time and through disciplines***

***Presenter: Regina Casale***

***Location: Longwood High School***

***Date: Thursday, March 8, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

***Teachers and students are introduced to the photo documentary, "Marching through History with César Chávez and the Farm Workers" by Cathy Murphy. This exhibit includes intimate portraits***

*of César Chavez, farm workers, the historical Thousand-mile march, and documenting child labor. Participants will be instructed on how to create and implement interdisciplinary lessons into their class based on the themes of this traveling exhibit, such as: the Civil Rights movement, child labor, Long Island history U.S. History, the Arts, testimonials, and social responsibility. Participants will be given time to view the exhibit and collaborate with each other to create lessons. Participants will also receive resources, sample lesson plans, and other material that can be used upon returning to class.*

### ***Session 3: Replenish that ASL bag of tricks!***

***Presenter: Patricia McCarthy***

***Location: Massapequa High School, Room 128***

***Date: Tuesday, March 13, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

*Are you in need of more tricks to energize your class? It all happens here with many activities to motivate your ASL students. Participants will be exposed to a variety of Do Now and closure activities that coincide with MASTER ASL curriculum, as well as other activities for Levels I and II.*

### ***Session 4: The Interdisciplinary Connection***

***Presenter: Jennifer Nesfield***

***Location: S.H. Calhoun High School***

***Date: Wednesday, March 14, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

*Would you like to help your students make connections between LOTE and their own culture? One of the ways to help them make these connections is to participate in Interdisciplinary and Intra-disciplinary projects. This workshop will help get you started.*

**Session 5: Beyond Love Songs: Using Music to Build Proficiency in the Italian Classroom**

**Presenter: Isabel Cosentino**

**Location: Centereach High School**

**Date: Thursday, March 15, 2007, 4-6 p.m.**

*Participants will learn how to engage students in lively activities which build listening, speaking, reading and writing skills as well as develop cultural literacy. Pop music, "oldies", and children's songs will be featured. This workshop is most suitable for high school with some applicability to middle school.*

**Session 6: Bringing It All Together: Performance-based assessments**

**Presenter: Francesco Fratto**

**Location: Roslyn High School**

**Date: Wednesday, March 21, 2007, 4-6 p.m.**

*Performance-based assessments include projects, essays, oral presentations, real-world simulations, and other authentic tasks that allow a student, including those with learning disabilities to provide evidence of his/her accomplishment of curriculum goals. These assessments will encourage self-reflection and self-assessments by students. Each participant will have the opportunity to create performance-based assessments for upcoming units of instructions. Rubrics and technology will be used and discussed during the workshop, along with suggestions to improve a student's presentational style. Participants will be able to use the rubrics and sample activities for immediate use! All languages are welcome to attend!*

### ***Session 7: Open your doors to Feng Shui***

***Presenter: Janet Loehr***

***Location: Udall Road Middle School, West Islip***

***Date: Thursday, March 22, 2007, 4:15-6:15 p.m.***

*The workshop is a common sense introduction to the art of Feng Shui. Learn the basic principles of the age-old art of living in harmony with your surroundings and how to apply these principles to your personal life, as well as your classroom, and daily interactions with students. Whether you have your own classroom, share a classroom, or travel, you are sure to come away with ideas to make your day more serene.*

### ***Session 8: Reaching out to LOTE students with Special Needs***

***Presenter: Jennifer Nesfield***

***Location: S.H. Calhoun High School, Room 218***

***Date: Tuesday, March 27, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

*How can we better meet the needs of all LOTE students? Tips and strategies on dealing with the changing landscape of the LOTE classroom and ways to accommodate the needs of a variety of students.*

### ***Session 9: The AP Italian Exam - A reader's insights***

***Presenter: Nicholas Maurantonio***

***Location: Jericho High School***

***Date: Thursday, March 29, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

*Analyze the A.P. Italian language exam from the frontlines. Prof. Maurantonio has served as one of the first A.P. Italian Exam readers and will teach you strategies that will enable students to succeed on the A.P. Italian exam. His knowledge of student*

*expectations will guide you and your students to success, as he has done with his own classes that included students of varied abilities. His own classes have had impressive results on the Language Exam. Allow him to share his knowledge with you.*

***Session 10: The AP Language Course Audit: What, When, How and... Why me?***

***Presenter: Dr. Lori Langer de Ramirez***

***Location: Herricks High School. Computer Lab (Room 307)***

***Date: April 12, 2007, 4-6 p.m.***

*In this session we will first answer the question: Why me? by commiserating and bemoaning our fate. Then, we will re-group and talk about the kind of information the College Board is looking for, look at sample syllabi and have time to work on your own syllabus. Please bring the following to the session:*

- a scope and sequence, syllabus or course description for your AP language course*
- a disk, CD-ROM or flash drive*

***Session 11: I Love Post-its! (and other materials for the organized teacher)***

***Presenter: Dana Giangrasso***

***Location: Division Avenue High School, Levittown***

***Date: Tuesday, April 17, 2007. 4-6 p.m.***

*Learn simple tricks that will help you to be organized and always prepared for the unexpected. The workshop will present you with ways to keep your database in order, keep your supervisors happy, and simple tips and techniques that will keep you sane.*

**Session 12: Get excited about L.O.T.E. with Skype, Music Videos and LCD Projectors**

**Presenter:** Craig Butler

**Location:** Harborfields High School, Greenlawn

**Date:** Tuesday, April 24, 2007, 4-6 p.m.

*In this workshop, participants will look at practical and fun uses of technology in the classroom. Learn how students can benefit from Skype software to communicate in the target language with students in the U.S. and abroad. Take a look at how music and music videos excite students and enhance lesson planning. Look at websites that allow you to stream legally and free-of-charge the latest Italian, French, German, and Spanish music videos. Examples for Skype and music will be given in Italian, but can be easily incorporated into other languages. Teachers are encouraged to share their own ideas and experiences with other attendees.*

**Session 13: Welcome to Interactive White Board technology!**

**Presenter:** Michel Candela

**Location:** Herricks High School Computer Lab (Room 307)

**Date:** April 26, 2007, 4-6 p.m.

*This workshop is an introduction to Interactive White Board technology, a recent tool that is being adopted by districts across all disciplines. Teachers will be exposed to a variety of features and related activities that can be created through the use of Interactive White Boards. Participants will be able to create activities that can be used in class the very next day! Come explore more techniques to engage your students.*



## LILT 2007 Professional Development Winter Workshops Registration Form

This form, accompanied by a check(s) payable to LILT, must be postmarked by **February 27, 2006** and sent to:

**Alba Masullo  
G.W. Hewlett High School  
60 Everit Avenue  
Hewlett, NY 11557**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to register for the following sessions:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Energize your classroom with music and music videos |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Linking L.O.T.E.                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> 8. L.O.T.E. students with special needs    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. A.S.L.  | <input type="checkbox"/> 9. AP Italian                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4. The Interdisciplinary Connection                    | <input type="checkbox"/> 10. AP Language Course Audit               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Beyond Love Songs (Italian)                         | <input type="checkbox"/> 11. I love Post-its!                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Performance-based assessments                       | <input type="checkbox"/> 12. Skype, Music Videos and LCD Projectors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7. Feng Shui   | <input type="checkbox"/> 13. Interactive White Board Technology     |

**Member of LILT?**  **Yes**  **No**

\$20 for teacher membership 2007\*

\$10 for student membership 2007\*

\*Please enclose a separate check for membership.

I have enclosed a check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a total of \_\_\_\_\_ sessions.

Check here if you would like verification of attendance.