

What would it look like...

...for our state to create a language learning system that extended from preschool through graduate school? Join us for an informative and interactive day of exploring the current status of world language teaching and learning in Washington state.

Who Should Attend? Students, teachers, administrators, faculty, community members, business and community leaders, policy makers, and parents – anyone who cares about preparing our students for today's interconnected world.

7:30-8:00 am Registration in the UW HUB Ballroom

8:00-8:30 am **Business Panel Breakfast:** Why business and community organizations value multilingual employees

8:30-9:20 am **Welcome** by Anand Yang, Director of the Jackson School of International Studies:

National Context for a Vision of World Language Pathways PK-20. Keynote by Paul Sandrock, former World Languages Consultant with the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction and past President of the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages

4:00-5:30 pm **"Models of Success for World Languages and Global Education" Resource Fair & Pecha Kucha Stage**

Come learn and be inspired. On hand will be organizations from around Washington state exhibiting their successful models, examples, and ideas for engaging students and teachers with world languages and global learning. (Attendance at the summit is not necessary to join us at the Resource Fair.)

Thursday, **November 6, 2008** 7:30 am – 5:30 pm
University of Washington HUB Ballroom, Seattle, WA

PATHWAYS TO PK-20
LANGUAGE LEARNING

WORLD LANGUAGES SUMMIT

How to Register for the Summit

Register online at: <https://eds.ospi.k12.wa.us/EventsManager/Public/Calendar.aspx> (It's free!) You will be prompted to create an ID, then you can register for the November 6 event. Please register even if attending only part of the day.

For more information, go to <http://internationaledwa.org/summit.htm>

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Summit Agenda
for November 6, 2008

9:30-10:20 am **What Languages are Taught in Washington Schools?**

10:30-11:45 am **Bridging the Gap for World Languages from High School to College**

1:30-2:20 pm **Where are the Teachers? Meeting the Growing Demand in K-12 Schools**

2:30-3:30 pm **Citizens of the World: Highlights from research on babies and language learning**