UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON & UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

LANGUAGE EDUCATOR SUMMITS

The **UW/UO Language Educator Summits** are a collaboration between the Language Learning Center (UW) and the Yamada Language Center (UO) with a goal of **increasing professional development for language educators at institutions of higher education** in our region, while also being accessible to all educators virtually. While these summits aim to emphasize topics that are particularly relevant to LCTLs, educators of all languages are welcome and should find the topics useful.

There will be one summit each academic quarter centered around an important topic (often involving technology and language learning). The first part of the summit will last one hour and will consist of at least 1 presenter from UW and 1 from UO and will be held in a hybrid format. The presentations will be followed by a hybrid Q&A session. The second part of the summit will be in-person discussion groups about the topic (i.e., UO colleagues will meet at the Yamada Language Center, and UW colleagues will meet at the Language Learning Center separately).

Open Educational Resources

FALL 2023

The topic of the first summit will be how **Open Educational Resources (OER)** and the Creative Commons can be leveraged by higher ed language educators. We will cover how OER can be a great option for:

- Professional development
- Student projects (particularly for LCTLs)
- Supplementing traditional curricula
- Enriching self-directed learning
- Language for specific purposes
- and more!

We will also discuss some exciting funding opportunities (e.g., USDoE, WA OSPI), and how OER projects can enhance other grant programs and initiatives. Invited speakers will present their OER projects and what they have learned.

Using the QR code or the URL below, please complete the form to RSVP or to join our mailing list and be notified of future events. *Space is limited in-person (Denny Hall 159).

https://depts.washington.edu/llc/news/summits/

December 7th

12-1pm (Summit)
1-1:30pm (Discussion)
ALL TIMES PST

Denny Hall 159 & Zoom



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