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**The Professor Magda Vasilov Center for Teaching and Learning  
CTL Activities During  
Fall 2005-Spring 2006**

**September 2005**

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

September 2, Faculty Dining Room, 10:00am

[Title V-Faculty Development Series](#)

Call for Proposals for Beautiful Ideas- COBI  
September 8, 2:00pm-5:00pm

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Academic Advisement I  
Presented by Denise Lucena  
September 22, C-512, 3:30pm

[Faculty Mixes](#)

Sponsored by Center for Teaching and Learning  
September 26, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00-2:00pm

**October 2005**

**Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month:**

[Movie: "Frida"](#)

October 6, Faculty Dining Room, 12:30pm-2:30pm

[Author of the Month](#)

Professor Julie Bencosme  
October 11, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm-5:00pm

[Movie: "Yo, La Peor de Todas"](#)

October 19, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-3:30pm

[Brown Bag Lunch](#)

October 20, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-2:00pm

[Research and Innovations in Teaching and Education \(RITE\)](#)

[Writing the Dream](#)

Facilitator: Lourdes Torres

October, 25, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm-5:00pm

[Author of the Month](#)

Professor Carlos Sanabria

October 25, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm-5:00pm

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Professional Portfolios:

Planning and Developing a Professional Portfolio

By Deborah Langsam

October 27-28, B-465, 9:30am-4:00pm

**November 2005**

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Introduction to Online Teaching I

Presented by Prof. Loreto Porte

November 3, C-556, 3:30pm

[The First Annual ESL Day](#)

Sponsored by: The CUNY Language Immersion Program,  
The Language and Cognition Department and CTL

November 4, Faculty Dining Room, 9:00am-2:00pm

[The New York Times in Your Classroom](#)

Facilitator: Marianne Dombroski

November 7, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30am-5:00pm

[Author of the Month](#)

Professor Ganzhi Di

November 8, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Introduction to Online Teaching II

Presented by: Prof. Loreto Porte

November 10, C-556, 3:30pm

[Research and Innovations in Teaching and Education \(RITE\)](#)

[Living the Dream](#)

Facilitator: Amanda Bernal-Carlo

November 14, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm-5:00pm

[7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Spanish Caribbean/Latina Writers](#)

Dedicated to Sor Juana Inés de la Cruz

Presented by Division of Academic Affairs

November 15-16, Hostos C.C., All day

**December 2005**

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Resources for Research and Teaching:

Information Literacy Fundamentals

Presented by Dr. Lucinda Zoe

December 1, C-512, 3:30pm

[Research and Innovations in Teaching and Education \(RITE\)](#)

A Dream Come True

Facilitador: Dean Carlos Molina

December 7, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm-5:00pm

**February 2006**

**Celebrating Black History Month and Dominican History Month:**

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Meeting with the Provost Dr. Daisy Cocco De Filippis

February 2, B-465, 3:30pm

[African-American Read-In](#)

Moderator: Prof. Rhonda Johnson

February 6, Faculty Dining Room, 11:00am-1:00pm

[Einstein on Race and Racism](#)

Moderator: Fred Jerome, Rodger Taylor

February 8, Multipurpose Room, 12:30pm

[Higher education in Romania](#)

Presenter: Petru Octavian Ciobanu (Visiting Fulbright Scholar)

February 9, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

### [New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Introduction to the ACT  
Presented by Erin Lambert  
February 9, B-465, 3:30pm

### [Author of the Month](#)

Presenter: TBA  
February 14, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

### [Brown Bag Lunch](#)

Presenter: TBA  
February 16, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-2:00pm

### [Chinua Achebe's, Collected Poems](#)

Book Discussion  
Moderator: Prof. Cynthia Jones  
February 22, Faculty Dining Room, 12:30pm

### [RITE Seminar: Intel. Property/Copyright](#)

Presenter: Prof. Rhonda Johnson  
February 23, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

### [New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Introduction to CPE  
Presented by Diana Diaz  
February 23, B-465, 3:30pm

### [Veladas Hostosianas:](#)

TBA CUNY in the Heights, 7:00pm-9:00pm

### [Black Experience in the Dominican Republic](#)

Presenter: Prof. Sanabria, Mr. Montilla, Prof. Rada, Prof. Taylor  
February 28, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-2:30:00pm

### [Elections in Cuba](#)

Presenter: Prof. Roman  
February 28, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

## **March 2006**

### **Celebrating Women's History Month:**

### Women's History Month

Opening Ceremony

March 1, Faculty Ding Room, 3:30pm

### New Faculty Orientation Series

Academic Advisement II

Presented by Denise Lucena

March 2, C-593, 3:30pm

### "The Vagina Monologues"

March 8, Faculty Dining Room, 2:00 pm

### COBI-Faculty Development Retreat

March 9-11, Bear Mountain, New York

### Nilda

Presenter: Nicholasa Mohr

March 15, Savoy Multipurpose Room, 11:00am-12:00pm

### Brown Bag Lunch

March 16, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-2:00pm

### New Faculty Orientation Series

Sexual Harassment Workshop

Presented by Amy Ramson

March 16, B-465, 3:30pm

### Author of the Month

Moderator: Prof. M. Bencivenni

March 21, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

### Celebrate Dominican Women: "Secretos de Mujeres"

Moderator: Prof. M. Bencivenni

March 22, Faculty Dining Room, 12:30pm

### Film: "Iron Jawed Angels"

March 23, Faculty Dining Room, 11:00am

### Serrano Faculty Lecture

Moderator: Prof. N. Angulo

March 28, Faculty Dining Room, 3:30pm

### RITE Seminar

Presented by Prof. La Porte

March 30, B-465, 3:30pm

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Diversity/Disabled Students Services

Presented by Nathalie Brown & Michael Stimola

March 30, B-465, 3:30pm

[Veladas Hostosianas:](#)

Moderator: Anthony Stevens-Acevedo

March 31, CUNY in the Heights, 7:00pm-9:00pm

**May 2006**

[1<sup>st</sup> International and Interdisciplinary Conference on Dominican Studies Dedicated to Don Pedro Mir.](#)

Presented by Division of Academic Affairs and the Dominican Studies Institute

May 12, Art Gallery & FDR, 9:00am-7:30pm

May 13, Art Gallery & FDR, 9:00am-7:30pm

[Veladas Hostosianas:](#)

Moderator: TBA

May 26, CUNY in the Heights, 7:00pm-9:00pm

[Brown Bag Lunch](#)

May 19, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm-2:00pm

[New Faculty Orientation Series](#)

Junior Faculty Luncheon

May 31, Faculty Dining Room, 12:00pm