## SUMMER INSTITUTE On

## Pedagogy & Equitable Teaching and Learning across the Curriculum:

Language Pedagogy, Research and Testing: Development of web-based materials for classroom and remote platforms

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(all sessions will be held on Zoom)

## Saturday. August. 1:

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. ......"Language Ideologies and language teaching and learning"

*Luciana Fellin* Professor of the Practice Romance Studies & Linguistics, Director, Italian Language Program, Duke University

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. ......"Training American Astronauts to Communicate in Russian: A View from Inside" Anthony Vanchu TechTrans International Inc, Director, NASA Johnson Space Center Language Education Center

Kira Gor Professor of Second Language Acquisition, University of Maryland

The talk will report the results of an empirical study involving heritage speakers and late learners of Russian at the same proficiency range in two modalities: auditory and visual. The participants were also tested on their sensitivity to the hard/soft contrast in Russian consonants.

The findings are discussed with respect to how the input modality and phonological sensitivity mediate morphosyntactic processing in heritage speakers and late learners of Russian.

1:00 – 1:30 p.m. .....Lunch break

*Luke Tilbury* Instructor of Persian Farsi, Center for Language and Area Studies, National Cryptologic School, U.S. Department of Defense

3:45 – 4:00 p.m. .....Closing remarks for the 2020 Summer Institute *Michael Newcity* Deputy Director CSEEES, Senior Research Scholar, Linguistics & Slavic Studies