The Department of Modern Languages and Linguistics
presents
MODERN LANGUAGES SYMPOSIUM 2017

“Re-theming Borders and Boundaries: Celebrating Modern Languages at The UWI, St. Augustine”

May 5, 2017
1:00 – 4:30 pm
Lecture Room – Centre for Language Learning

PROGRAMME

Panel 1 (1 – 2 pm) Confronting Competitiveness: The Need for Spanish in T&T
Nicole Roberts – “Assessing Value and Effectiveness of Study Abroad and Exchange Programmes in FL Degree Programmes at The UWI, St. Augustine Campus”
Natalia Cardona and Paola Palma – “Teaching and Learning Spanish in Secondary Schools in Light of SAFFL: Teachers’ Perspectives”

Panel 2 (2 – 3 pm) Real Classrooms: Subject Mastery and FL Learning
Maria Costaguta – “Interference of Spanish as L2 in the Oral Production of Learners of Portuguese: An Error Analysis Study”
Rómulo Guédez – “Interactional Competence: A Case of Spanish Majors/Minors”

Panel 3 (3:30 – 4:30 pm) Ongoing, Experiential, Collaborative: Student/Tutor Development in the 21st Century
Shawna Sealey – “Tutors’ Needs Assessment and TPACK: Planning Professional Development Activities”
Diego Mideros – “L2 Investment, Autonomy/Agency among Non-Traditional Students”