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Dear Administrator,

I would like to inform you of an excellent professional development opportunity for your world language teachers. The 2017 Central States Conference of the Teaching of Foreign Language is going to be in Chicago! Many leaders in our field will be presenting topics such as: vertical alignment, proficiency-based assessment, standards-based assessments, developing global citizens, biliteracy and many other research-based topics.

This is an opportunity for your teachers to network with teachers from more than fourteen states and attend presentations from authorities from around the country. There are presentations from CSCTFL Teacher of the Year, ACTFL Teacher of the year (the national organization) and many other highly respected leaders in our field. I urge you to consider allowing your teachers to attend. I guarantee that not only will it be an excellent experience for your teachers; you will see positive results in your students' performance.

The dates are March 9-11, 2017, at The Palmer House Hilton in Chicago.

The following are the sleeping room rates: Single Occupancy @ \$152.00 plus tax; Double Occupancy @ \$152.00 plus tax; Triple Occupancy @ \$162.00 plus tax; and Quadruple Occupancy @ \$172.00 plus tax

* **Registration:**

\$140 early (through January 16, 2017)

\$150 regular (January 17 – February 13, 2017)

\$165 late and on-site (February 14 – March 11, 2017)

Retired teachers: \$100; Full time students: \$75; Saturday only: \$80

* **Workshops:** \$65 (half day) \$95 (full day)

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me, Martha Pero Halemba, halembacsctfl@gmail.com

I hope you will encourage your teachers to participate and support their efforts to learn about emerging trends in our field.

Sincerely,

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