

UofM Virtual World Language Expo 4/12-4/15

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Dear Fellow World Language Educators and Administrators,

The University of Memphis is happy to announce the schedule for the **UofM Virtual World Language Expo** which will take place **Monday, April 12 thru Thursday, April 15, 2021** via Zoom.

Who is invited?

All teachers, students, parents, and administrators are invited to attend. This is a free event, though there is a virtual participation capacity of 300 in each presentation. Admittance to each session is first-come-first-serve.

What will be presented?

Faculty from the University of Memphis Department of World Languages and Literatures will present each area of study within the department. Time will be allotted for questions and answers via the chat feature in Zoom.

Special Presentation:

Taking Language Classes at the University Level

Wednesday, April 14, 2021 - 5:30 p.m.

This presentation will include information about what language study at the college level is like, how you can earn credit for your previous experience with a language, and what opportunities there are for language students in college in general and at the University of Memphis in particular. Information will also be provided about courses in Arabic, Korean, and Russian.

The schedule of language presentations is as follows (all times are Central Standard Time):

Presentations	Time (CST)
Monday, April 12, 2021	
Portuguese	4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
French	5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
German	5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, April 13, 2021	
Greek and Latin	4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Spanish (General)	5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Spanish for Heritage Speakers (Presentación bilingüe)	5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 14, 2021	
Chinese	4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Japanese	5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Taking Language Classes at the University Level	5:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 15, 2021	
Spanish for Specific Purposes (Medical/Business/Community)	4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Italian	5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Classics: Who Were the Romans Anyway?	5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

How do I view a presentation?

Links to join the live virtual sessions will be posted at www.memphis.edu/fair by April 9, 2021. Recordings of the presentations will be posted on the event website on April 16, 2021.

To learn how to create a Zoom account or access a Zoom meeting, please click [here](#).

How will I be able to participate in the live presentations?

Participant cameras and microphones will be disabled during the presentations; however, the chat feature will be available.

Can I send my questions ahead of time?

Teachers and students may also send questions beforehand to flfair@memphis.edu. Please send any questions at least 48 hours prior to the presentation to which the question pertains in order for faculty members to appropriately address the inquiry.

How can I stay up-to-date about this event?

Follow us on our social media ([Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#)) and refer to our event website (www.memphis.edu/fair) to stay up-to-date on this event.

Should you have any questions, please email us at flfair@memphis.edu. **We look forward to seeing you online for the UofM Virtual Language Expo!**

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