

FLASCC Fall Conference

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Register at linktr.ee/flascc – space is limited!

What: Workshops for teachers of ALL languages and levels led by Dr. Krishauna Hines-Gaither (ACTFL president) and Christine Lanphere (ACTFL 2007 Teacher of the Year).

When: Saturday, **November 7, 2026** → check-in at 8:30 AM!

Where: Santa Clara University, Williman Room in the Benson Center.

1st Session (9 – 11:30am) with Dr. Krishauna Hines-Gaither: I Am My Language: Roots, Rhythm & Resistance. Krishauna's keynote celebrates the languages that shape who we are: ancestral, acquired, home, and classroom languages alike. Participants will explore how honoring linguistic diversity as an asset can strengthen identity, community, and language learning while challenging the idea that there is only one "right" way to language.



Lunch (11:30am – 12:15pm): Food is not included, but there are cafes & restaurants nearby.

2nd Session (12:15 – 2:45pm) with Christine Lanphere: Fostering Engaged and Effective Communication in the Target Language. Christine's workshop explores practical strategies for using more of the target language while keeping students engaged, supported, and communicating with purpose. Participants will gain tools and ideas to build confidence, increase meaningful interaction, and create a standards-aligned classroom where the target language becomes a natural part of the learning journey.



Bring: Laptop, charger, notepad, pen, and materials to share for our "flea market" swap.

Cost: \$90 for 1 session / \$140 for the full day. *Price includes CLTA & FLASCC memberships.*

Bios:

Krishauna Hines-Gaither PhD taught Spanish and methods in higher education for almost two decades. She is the 2026 President of ACTFL, Vice President for Strategic Initiatives & Partnerships at Mount Saint Mary's Univ. Los Angeles, and co-author of *The Antiracist World Language Classroom* and *Mastering Spanish through Global Debate*.

Christine Lanphere is the 2007 ACTFL Teacher of the Year and co-director of the Capital World Language Project. She serves as Treasurer of the Foreign Language Association of Greater Sacramento (FLAGS), a chapter of CLTA, and retired last year after 30 years of teaching French at Natomas High School in Sacramento.