

Deadline for submission: January 28, 2008
Selection notification: February 18, 2008

Standards / Curriculum Development and Evaluation Guidelines Workshop

May 19 - 23, 2008

As interest in African language learning and teaching increases, so does the need to develop content standards -- what students should know and be able to do -- in these languages.

The following will be addressed in order to develop standards for your different African languages at the end of the workshop.

- **COMMUNICATION:** Communicate in Languages Other Than English
- **CULTURES:** Gain Knowledge and Understanding of Other Cultures
- **CONNECTIONS:** Connect with Other Disciplines and Acquire Information
- **COMPARISONS:** Develop Insight into the Nature of Language and Culture
- **COMMUNITIES:** Participate in Multilingual Communities at Home & Around the World

The National African Language Resource Center (NALRC) hereby seeks applications from scholars in the field of African language pedagogy for Swahili, Yoruba, Zulu, Akan (Twi), Wolof, Hausa and Afrikaans as evaluators of drafted standards documents. Scholars of African languages other than the seven languages listed above may apply for the development of Standards for their respective languages. Please send your application letter, CV, and two reference letters to the NALRC at

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Madison, WI 53706
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Fees and related costs

The NALRC will cover the program fees (registration fees, administration costs, instruction costs) for all selected applicants. Other expenses, such as transportation, food, and lodging will be the responsibility of each participant's African Studies Program.

* Participants are encouraged to ask for support from their respective African Language or African Studies programs to cover expenses that the NALRC will not cover.