



# AILDI news & updates

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News, events, updates, opportunities... everything and anything related to AILDI and native languages.

[Our Website](#)

## AILDI Summer 2020 Online

*AILDI Funding*

### PARTIAL TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

AILDI is pleased to offer partial tuition scholarships for the upcoming summer session. The application deadline is June 3, 2020.

For the application, click [here](#):

If you have any questions contact AILDI @ [coe-aildi@email.arizona.edu](mailto:coe-aildi@email.arizona.edu)



*AILDI Enrollment*

### ENROLLMENT UPDATES & LOGISTICS



In light of transitioning to online learning this summer, AILDI would like to announce the following logistical updates concerning coursework and enrollment:

- students have the **option to register for either one or two classes** to participate in the summer 2020 online institute
- unlike past sessions, applicants **no longer need to submit immunizations** forms to participate in online instruction

*AILDI Coursework*  
**THEME, INSTRUCTOR BIOS & COURSE  
DESCRIPTIONS**

**Telling Our Language Journey Stories:  
*Documenting the Language Work We Do***

For more info on the theme, click [here](#)

For instructor bios, click [here](#)

For course descriptions, click [here](#)



Respect the plants and animals;  
speak to them in your language.

*AILDI Summer 2020 Course Listings:*

LING 427/527: **LINGUISTICS FOR NATIVE AMERICAN COMMUNITIES** (3 units)  
Introduction to Linguistics for Native American Communities  
Instructor: **Joe Dupris**

ENG 477/577: **WRITING ABOUT OUR LANGUAGE WORK** (3 units)  
Studies of and in Native American Literature  
Instructor: **Ofelia Zepeda**

TLS 495A/595: **EMBODYING OUR INDIGENOUS LANGUAGES THROUGH HULA  
(DANCE), MELE (SONG), AND OLI (CHANT)** (3 units)  
Topics and Issues in Language, Reading, and Culture  
Instructor: **Candace Kaleimamoowahinekapu Galla**

LING 421/521: **MASTER APPRENTICE IMMERSION METHODS** (3 UNITS)  
Language Maintenance, Preservation, and Revitalization  
Instructor: **Stanley Rodriguez**

LING 497B/597B: **DE-MYSTIFYING DOCUMENTATION** (3 UNITS)  
Workshop in Language Documentation  
Instructor: **Adrienne Tsikewa**

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*AILDI Online Registration*

## **REMINDER: AILDI SUMMER 2020 GOES ONLINE**



In order to ensure the health and safety of our students and instructors, AILDI has made the decision to offer the summer session courses on-line.

If you think this may compromise your decision or ability to participate, please let us know.

Students are required to pre-register with AILDI before applying to the University of Arizona. Tuition for online classes will remain the same.

The dates for the summer session 2020 have been scheduled for July 6-31.

To register, please visit the following links :



[AILDI Pre-registration](#)

[University of Arizona Undergraduate Application](#)

[University of Arizona Graduate Application](#)

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## Featured Talk & Media Highlight

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### Daryl Baldwin: Ken Hale Memorial Lecture (2013) at the *Revisiting the State of Indigenous Languages National Conference*

This month, we would like to revisit and share a great lecture given by Daryl Baldwin at the *Revisiting the State of Indigenous Languages National Conference* in 2013.

Daryl Baldwin is a member of the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma, the Director of the Myaamia Center at Miami University in Oxford, and a leader in the movement(s) to reclaim Indigenous languages.

The goal of the conference was to critically examine the state of Indigenous languages since the passage of the Native American Languages Act (NALA 1990 and 1992).

For more AILDI videos like this, visit:

[AILDI's Youtube Channel](#)

[Selected AILDI website video highlights](#)



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## COVID-19 Stories and Resources

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### COVID-19 Safety, Information, & Resources

Here are a few resources to help keep you, your loved ones, and your community safe, healthy, and informed:

[CDC Coronavirus Website](#)

[COVID-19 Pandemic Preparedness Plan PDF](#)

[CDC Mitigation Strategies for Communities](#)

**COVID-19** Protect yourself and loved ones

Help prevent the spread of respiratory diseases like COVID-19

- + WASH YOUR HANDS**  
Wash your hands with soap and warm water regularly.
- + COVER A COUGH OR SNEEZE**  
Cover your cough or sneeze with your sleeve, or tissue. Dispose of tissue and wash your hands afterward.
- + DON'T TOUCH**  
Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth, especially with unwashed hands.
- + KEEP YOUR DISTANCE**  
Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- + STAY HOME**  
If you experience respiratory symptoms like a cough or fever, stay home.
- + GET HELP**  
If you experience symptoms of COVID-19 (cough, fever, shortness of breath), call your health care provider or local health department before seeking care.

**MORE INFORMATION**  
Follow the California Department of Public Health:  
@capublichealth and www.cdph.ca.gov/covid19



[COVID Guide for Communities and Local Decision Makers](#)

[Indian Health Service Announcement & Response](#)

[Coronavirus Aid, Relief, & Economic Security Act \(CARES\)](#)

[Johns Hopkins Coronavirus Interactive Map](#)

Then check out the [latest stories of Indigenous resilience](#) to the pandemic curated by the American Indian Policy Institute at ASU!

## Workshop & Event Cancellations

### Institute on Collaborative Language Research

\*CANCELLED

Here is a note from the COLANG website:

*"After careful consideration, we have arrived at the difficult decision to cancel CoLang 2020. Due to the rapidly changing situation with COVID-19 in the United States and around the world, we believe that the risk is too great to continue with the Institute as planned. We want to sincerely thank all of you who have worked with us on building CoLang2020, and hope to be able to continue to collaborate in the future."*

*Updated 3/18/20.*

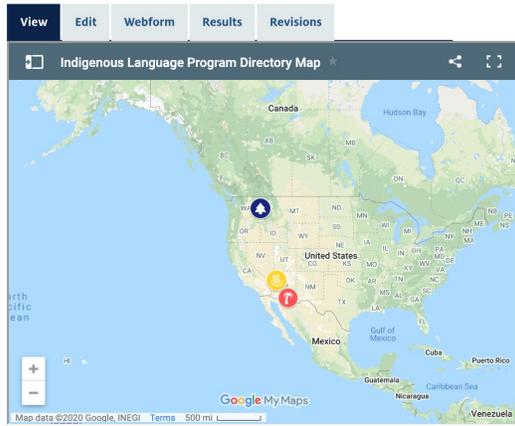
[Learn more about COLANG here](#)



## Ongoing Projects

**AILDI's Indigenous Language Program Directory**  
*Help us create a map of Indigenous language programs by submitting to our directory!*

# Indigenous Language Program Directory Map



In 2020, AILDI will be highlighting Indigenous language programs, projects, schools, teachers, student, and advocates from our online directory through featured stories on our soon to be launched blog, newsletter, and interactive map.

Submit to our directory to showcase and share the work you do for your languages.

For more information and to submit to our directory, please click [here](#)

## Win a book of poetry signed by Ofelia Zepeda AILDI Alumni Reflections Survey & Giveaway

We will be holding a second giveaway of an AILDI drawstring bag with a book of Tohono O'odham and Pima poetry edited and signed by Ofelia Zepeda! The title of the collection is *mat hekid o ju when it rains*.

Participants make themselves eligible by submitting feedback via our survey, and winners will be chosen at random after the deadline.



For another survey, please contact us @ [coe-aildi@email.arizona.edu](mailto:coe-aildi@email.arizona.edu)

## Support Indigenous Language Stewards at AILDI *with a donation towards student scholarships*



Support from our friends makes AILDI possible for future generations of students, teachers, community members, and activists.

All donations go towards AILDI scholarships and any amount -- however big or small -- is welcome.

If you have ever attended AILDI, you know its value. Honor your experience by giving back today!

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