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This year, the American Indian Language Development Institute (AILDI) celebrates two decades as a leading program in American Indian linguistics and Indian education. As we acknowledge this achievement, we also recognize that American Indian and Alaska Native languages are perishing at an alarming rate. This year, AILDI's theme is One Voice, Many Voices: Recreating Indigenous Language Communities. Reflecting this theme and in honor of AILDI's 20th anniversary, the Institute will host the 6th Annual Stabilizing Indigenous Languages Conference (SILC) scheduled for June 3–5. Both AILDI and SILC will focus on assisting indigenous communities to develop and expand the circle of native language speakers, highlighting strategies and approaches for recreating and strengthening ties between speakers in the contexts of community, home, and school. AILDI features three and-a-half weeks of intensive study in American Indian linguistics, bilingual-bicultural education, and culture-based curriculum development, followed by local projects implemented in participants' homes and communities. Offering six graduate or undergraduate credit hours, AILDI brings together linguists, tribal elders, bilingual/ESL specialists, teachers, aides, parents and school administrators in an integrated learning experience. All courses lead toward regular degree programs and bilingual and ESL endorsements. Note: As part of this coursework, all AILDI participants will also participate in SILC at a reduced conference registration rate.

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• Bilingual Curriculum Development
• Linguistics for Native American Communities
• Educating the Culturally Diverse
• Computer Applications for Language Teachers
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