AILDI Summer Session Course Overview

As a follow-up to the workshop, AILDI offered a course called Data Gathering Management, Synthesis and Use, June 6 – 29, 2016 Co-instructors: Tyler Peterson and Rolando Coto-Solano. The course addressed the issues involved with data management systems for organizing, storing, managing and retrieving various kinds of information from language fieldwork. The course included hands-on training using database management systems (DBMS), and equipped the participants with the necessary knowledge and techniques for designing and implementing a secure, accessible database using open source software, scaled and customized to the community's needs. The course also provided training in how to use the information gained in a language survey toward establishing community networks of support in preparation for grant proposal development and in language and culture program development. The grant provided for tuition and fees for the students selected to participate in the project.

Student Participants

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