



SWALLT

SouthWest Association for Language Learning and Technology

SWALLT Board Meeting

Date: Friday, March 13; 4:00 – 4:30 pm

Location: UC Santa Barbara Zoom

Members Present: Kelsey White (President), Thomas Garbelotti (President-Elect), Adan Gallardo (Past-President), Shahnaz Ahmadeian (Treasurer), Trevor Shanklin (Secretary), Margherita Berti (Web Editor)

Agenda

SWALLT Conference via webinar and membership drive

- 1) Agreed to offer full honorarium to keynote speaker Clorinda to offer her keynote through a webinar on Friday, April 17 at 1 pm. (45 + 15 min)
- 2) Kelsey to look through abstracts and devise plan to have two webinars offered (20/10 minutes) on **three Saturdays** at two-week intervals. She will combine according to theme.
- 3) The webinars will be recorded and posted on website subject to approval by the presenter.
- 4) We will use the opportunity to launch the 2020 membership drive while we announce the conference/webinar. Still \$15 for one year, \$30 for two.
- 5) When we put the webinars up on YouTube, we could make it an unlisted file and then provide the link to members (on request?)
- 6) Suggestion that board members add Slack – there is a SWALLT account and conference channel.
- 7) The Swallt Conference/ Webinar will spell the official transfer of the presidency from Kelsey to Tom.
- 8) Kelsey to send out link for membership renewal and use the moment to announce the SWALLT Conference/Webinar series.