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State of Nominees for the 2008-2009 TexTESOL-V Executive Board

Photographs and brief biographies of continuing officers and nominees appear in this newsletter, as required, via this TexTESOL-V Website link: http://www.textesolv.org/index.php?module=pagemaster&PAGE_user_op=view_page&PAGE_id=46


Proposed Revisions to Constitution/By-Law

In compliance with the Constitution/By-Laws these are published in this newsletter, via this Website link: http://www.textesolv.org/docs/newsletter/2008TexTESOLVConstitution-web.html

Minutes General Membership Meeting 9-27-07 http://textesolv.org/index.php?module=pagemaster&PAGE_user_op=view_page&PAGE_id=29. Please review them before our next meeting, at 5 p.m., Friday, 11-7-08, meeting room TBA in 2008 TexTESOL State Conference program.

POSTED ON YOUR TexTESOL-V WEBSITE:


OPPORTUNITIES from TESOL on our Website:

http://www.textesolv.org/docs/newsletter/TESOLopportunitiesPre-Cont.pdf

TESOLTravel Grant for ESL/EFL Teachers Applications due November 1st, 2008

Upcoming TESOL Virtual Seminars on Assessment, Young Learners, and Reading

Oct. 28 Webcast “Falling Through the Cracks: Meeting Needs of Adolescent English Language Learners” Deborah Short & Kate Menken

TOEFL Small Grants for Doctoral Research in Second Language Assessment, applications due October 1st

Virginia French Allen Award for Scholarship and Service, nominations due November 1st

Nov. 8 A TESOL Symposium on Learner Autonomy: What Does the Future Hold? University of Sevilla, Sevilla, Spain

OUR TexTESOL Fall Conference November 6-8 in Richardson

ON THE WEBSITE http://www.textesolv.org

REGISTER and VOLUNTEER!

October 6: Red Letter Day for the 2008 TexTESOL State Conference by Don Weasenforth

Mark October 6 as the deadline for several events for this year’s TexTESOL State Conference:

• Registration for Pre-Conference Institutes,
• General conference registration at lower pre-conference rates, and
• Hotel reservations at the conference rate of $115. Please note: You may find a lower rate by making your reservations through the hotel's homepage at http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/dalrd-renaissance-dallas-richardson-hotel/

Go to TexTESOL V’s website to register http://www.acteva.com/booking.cfm?bevaid=144807 and find information about the conference. If you cannot find what you want, contact Don Weasenforth at 972-881-5970 or dweasenforth@ccccd.edu.


Concurrent presentation titles COMING SOON on TexTESOL V’s website at www.textesolv.org. This will give you a preview of the outstanding concurrent presentations at the conference.

If you have time to take advantage of Dallas/Fort Worth’s cultural offerings, check the Dallas Convention & Visitor Center’s interactive calendar at http://www.visitdallas.com/visitors/. Cultural activities in early November range from views of Tutankhamun, Joseph Havel and the Nasher sculpture collection, from opera to the Championship Rodeo.

See you in Richardson this November for a great state conference!