

CHICAGOLAND AREA CHAPTER OF THE AATSP
INVITES YOU TO SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR **FREE WEBINAR**
TUESDAY DECEMBER 5, 2023 @ 6-7PM CST
on [Zoom](#) (Click to register)

**Diapers to Degrees: Educators Share
Best-Practices for Proficiency-
Based Learning Across All Levels**

In this webinar, educators with experience at many levels of L2 instruction (K-12 though university) will discuss the importance of implementing a proficiency-based curriculum across all levels of instruction. The panel will share Learning Scenarios (lesson plans) that demonstrate how ACTFL's Proficiency Guidelines, Performance Descriptors, and Can-Do statements can be used by teachers to develop lessons, to measure students' linguistic and cultural proficiency, and to support the development of 21st century skills. Attendees will leave with a better understanding of ACTFL's resources and concrete ideas for the implementation of proficiency-based instruction.

SPEAKERS:

Grades 6-8

Michelle Lange, Spanish Teacher
Lincoln Hall / Lincolnwood School District 74

Grades 9-12

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