

Eastern Connecticut State University

Official Proclamation

By David G. Carter, President

Whereas, Eastern Connecticut State University is an institution of Higher Education which embraces diversity as one of the cornerstones of the liberal arts; and

Whereas, the world of tomorrow will require that professions become proficient in a foreign language; and

Whereas, the study of modern and classical languages contributes to the diversity of our campus and an appreciation of differences among students; and

Whereas, mastery of non-native language enhances the intellectual growth of students; and

Whereas, the modern and classical languages faculty of the University understands that the study of language expands the cultural and literacy awareness of our adult population; and

Whereas, the study of world languages serves as demonstration of our desire to learn about different cultures and history;

Therefore, I, David G. Carter, President of Eastern Connecticut State University, do hereby declare the years 2005-2015 as Decade of Languages at Eastern Connecticut State University.

September 9, 2005

Date

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