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**-REGION 1 UPDATE, MARCH, 2017-**

**REGION 1 REPRESENTATIVE: Dr Annie Duong**

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**Chapter #07 – Sacramento SALSA (No report submitted)**

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## Chapter #08 – Patterson META



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*SERVING THE PATTERSON/MODESTO AREA.  
Promoting multilingual excellence in our schools  
and communities as a foundational capacity  
required for 21<sup>st</sup> century success, academic  
achievement, and family and societal cohesion.*

### CHAPTER MEETINGS

META has had two chapter meetings (10/11/16 and 1/26/17) this year, and has two additional chapter meetings planned for April and May. Martha Zaragoza-Díaz was the featured speaker at the January meeting, sharing a presentation about Prop 58 and the political context for multilingualism.

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT EVENTS

META is planning two professional development events. The first is a spring fundraiser scheduled for May 10<sup>th</sup> and featuring Dr. Milton Chen, who will be speaking on “The Role of Multilingualism in Achieving Student Global Readiness.” Flyers are attached, but registration is also possible through EventBrite at < <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/meta-the-role-of-multilingualism-in-achieving-student-global-readiness-tickets-32456106087?aff=es2>>. This session will also feature CDE’s new global readiness document. Information about this PD session will be available at the META booth at the CAFE 2017 conference.

In collaboration with ATDLE, META is planning a dual language education research symposium for October 2017. The working title is *Success, Sustainability, Scholarship and Social Justice - The Incontrovertible Power of Dual Language Education to Transform Schools*. More information, including a SAVE THE DATE flyer will be available shortly.

### SCHOLARSHIP EVENT

META is planning to offer at least one student scholarship this year at its May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting. The META Scholarship Committee has developed the application form and it is being shared in our region now.

### STARTALK GRANT

In collaboration with Patterson JUSD, META was successful in writing a STARTALK grant, **MOSAIC**, which was selected for funding in the amount of almost \$90,000. This grant will support a one-month long intensive Arabic language program for Patterson area students in grades 5-7. META secretary, Francisca Sánchez, presented a report to the PJUSD board earlier this month. An article which features this great news is attached. Francisca will serve as the program director for the grant. She will be attending the STARTALK conference in Chicago at the end of April.

### DLE PARENT ACADEMY

META, in collaboration with the former Two-Way CAFE Board members, is developing a **Dual Language Education Parent Academy**, which will be launched in August 2017, through a contract with Patterson JUSD. This academy is designed to be delivered over four half-days, in English and/or Spanish, and will provide attendees with a DLE Parent Handbook and Journal. Information about the Academy will be available at the META booth at the CAFE 2017 conference.

be a citizen  
of the world !



**The Role of Multilingualism in Achieving  
Student Global Readiness**

**Dr. Milton Chen**

**Executive Director Emeritus, George Lucas Educational Foundation**

**CABE META Chapter Presents,  
in Collaboration with Patterson Joint USD,**

# **The Role of Multilingualism in Achieving Student Global Readiness**

**Dr. Milton Chen**

**Executive Director Emeritus, George Lucas Educational Foundation**

**Other Invited Speakers**

**Dr. Duarte Silva**

**Executive Director, California World Language Project, Stanford University**

**Jason Spencer**

**Chief Advisor to Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Torlakson**

**Wednesday, May 10, 2017**

**3:30 – 7:00 PM**

**Patterson JUSD Professional Development Center - Room C2  
530 Keystone Blvd Patterson, CA**

**REGISTER ONLINE**

**<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/meta-the-role-of-multilingualism-in-achieving-student-global-readiness-tickets-32456106087?aff=es2>**

**REGISTRATION COST**

**META Members: \$15**

**PJUSD Staff: \$30**

**All Others: \$55**

**Registration fee includes a hearty snack box  
and a copy of the new CDE Global Readiness Framework.**

# The Role of Multilingualism in Achieving Student Global Readiness

## Dr. Milton Chen

### SESSION DESCRIPTION

Attendees will meet Dr. Milton Chen and hear him speak about the vital role of multilingualism in achieving student global readiness. In today's technology-driven globalized world, our students are not limited by the boundaries of their neighborhoods. They live in a global world that requires high levels of competency in multiple languages in order to be able to navigate it with ease and to develop deeper understanding of the world's economic, social, and political issues. Multilingual competency is no longer a luxury - it has become a necessity. After all,

- Economies are becoming more interdependent and more connected to international trade. (One in five jobs is tied to international trade.)
- American society is now more diverse. (The "minority" is now the numeric majority.)
- Global challenges are becoming more complex, calling for coordinated global responses. Such timely responses require an understanding of different languages and cultures to facilitate communication.
- Multilingual competence enhances overall academic achievement. (Learning additional languages makes us smarter, more cognitively flexible, and more creative.)
- Technology has shrunk the vast distances between continents and time zones so that instantaneous communication is now possible, no matter the geographic divide.

To prepare our students for these realities, the education we provide them must help them learn languages of the world, respect for other cultures and languages, and knowledge of the world geography, history, current events, and cultures that give life and are the context in which these languages are used. Dr. Chen will address these issues and provide examples of innovative work being done in these areas.

### OUR SPEAKER

Dr. Milton Chen is senior fellow and executive director, emeritus at The George Lucas Educational Foundation (GLEF), a non-profit operating foundation in the San Francisco Bay Area producing the award-winning [Edutopia.org](http://Edutopia.org) website on innovative K-12 learning. He served as executive director of GLEF from 1998 to 2010. Dr. Chen has been the founding director of the KOED Center for Education (PRE) in San Francisco; director of research at Sesame Workshop in New York, helping develop *Sesame Street*, *The Electric Company*, and *1-2-3 Contact*; and an assistant professor at the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

In 2010, he received the NHK Japan President's Award for contributions to educational media and was named an Honorary National Park Ranger. His 2010 book, *Education Nation: Six Leading Edges of Innovation in our Schools*, was named as one of the year's best education books by the *American School Board Journal*.



## Chapter 13 – San Joaquin (no report submitted)

## Chapter #23 – San Francisco SFABE

# SFABE – San Francisco Association for Bilingual Education

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Chapter 23 \*333 Clipper St. SF CA 94114\* sfabe20@yahoo.com

Report March 21, 2017

Our last SFABE board meeting was March 14.

Currently, we are working on:

- Supporting the lifting of the 11-year pay scale cap for shortage area teachers (Bilingual Ed, Special Education) to encourage recruitment of teachers
- Organizing a SF Bay Area meeting at the CAFE conference
- Organizing a Spanish bilingual teacher meeting in SF (which will include a report on the CAFE conference)
- Implementing our scholarship process for bilingual teachers (in Chinese and Spanish)
- Working on the Cesar Chavez Day celebration parade and art contest

Submitted by Pilar Cuellar, SFABE President

## Chapter #76 – Yolo/Woodland



### **CABE – Yolo/Woodland Chapter 76**

The mission of the California Association for Bilingual Education is to promote and support education excellence and social justice for all students in California. This vision of biliteracy and educational equity for all drives the work and activities of its volunteers, Board of Directors and staff. CABE has members throughout the state and maintains an advocacy presence in Sacramento.

### **CABE – Yolo/Woodland Chapter #76 Report**

**March 21, 2017**

#### **CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter 76 New Board Members as of March 8, 2017 Elections:**

President: Maria Orozco, Vice-President: Annie Morrison, Secretary: Socorro Lizarraga,  
Treasurer: Gloria Ulloa Rodríguez, Social/Fundraiser: Alejandro Delgadillo, Ana Park, Aracelli  
Escobar and Leanna Balloffet

These are the **CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter 76** activities, event pages and meetings for the 2016 – 2017 School year:

#### **Facebook Page**

[CA Association for Bilingual Education – CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter 76](#)

#### **Event Pages**

[César Chávez Celebration – Collaboration with City of Woodland – April 2, 2017](#)

[Día de los Niños Event– Friday, April 28, 2017](#)

#### **Newspapers Articles**

[Woodland Democrat – Woodland Planning César Chávez Celebration](#)

#### **Go Fund Account**

[Día de los Niños Books](#)

## **CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter #76 Major Activities:**

### **Welcome Back – Chapter #76 Social/Meeting – September 16, 2016**

#### **CABE Scholarship Fundraisers –**

Halloween Party & Raffle, Oct. 28, 2016

Beamer Elementary School Día de los Muertos Event & Raffle November 2, 2016

Chapter 76 Membership Meeting – March 8, 2017

Día de los Niños Event – Collaboration with City of Woodland, Woodland Public Library and other organizations. Committee Meetings: Feb. 16, Mar. 1, Mar. 16, Mar. 23

Celebration César Chávez Event – Collaboration with City of Woodland and other organizations. Committee meetings: Jan. 26, Feb. 13, Mar. 20

“Entre Nosotros” Spanish Book Club – Sponsored by the Woodland Public Library and CABE Chapter 76

CABE Chapter 76 Scholarship Meetings – April & May, 2017

In addition, here are flyers/announcements (attached to email):

- Membership Meeting Flyer
- “Entre Nosotros” Spanish Book Club Flyers
- CABE Chapter 76 Scholarship Application and Announcement

#### **Flyers/announcements sent with the first report (9/9/16)**

- Calendar of Meetings and Events 2016 - 2017
- Membership Social/Meeting Flyer for Sept 16, 2016
- Chapter 76 Strategic Plan for 2016-2017 School Year
- Resolutions for Proposition 58 from the following:



Woodland Joint Unified School District

CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter #76

Submitted by Gloria Ulloa Rodríguez, Treasurer, March 21, 2017



**CABE Yolo/Woodland Chapter 76**

## **Membership Meeting**

Inviting current, new and prospective CABE Members.

**When:** Wednesday, March 8, 2017

**Where:** Woodland Prairie Elementary School  
Room: C5  
1444 Stetson St.

**Time:** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

For more information contact: Gloria Ulloa Rodríguez [gulloa2008@cabee.com](mailto:gulloa2008@cabee.com) or Maria Orozco [mariozco@yabus.com](mailto:mariozco@yabus.com)

Yolo - Woodland Chapter 76 Officers  
President: Gloria Ulloa Rodríguez  
Vice-President: Maria Orozco  
Secretary: Tereza Morales  
Treasurer: Irma López  
Social/Promoter Co-Chairs: Marissa Rodríguez & Rebecca B. Alkins



## "Entre Nosotros"

Club de Lectura en Woodland

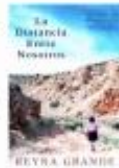
Somos un club de lectura de personas que leen el mismo libro.

Nos reunimos una vez al mes para conversar sobre la obra literaria que leímos ese mes. La participación está abierta a todas las personas interesadas. Este club de lectura está patrocinado por la Biblioteca Pública de Woodland y la Asociación de California para la Educación Bilingüe (CABE), YOLO/Woodland.



La autora, Reyna Grande, es una novelista y memorialista galardonada. Ella ha recibido el Premio American Book, el Premio Literario Aztán y el Premio Latino Book. En 2012, fue finalista para el prestigioso National Book Critics Circle Awards. Sus novelas, *A Traves de Cien Mortales* y *La Distancia Entre Nosotros* fueron publicadas con gran éxito de crítica y han sido leídas ampliamente.

*La Distancia Entre Nosotros* es una muestra de lo que la persona puede lograr cuando tiene una meta y la disciplina necesaria para que nada se interponga para prevenirla. Cuando el padre de Reyna Grande dejó a su esposa y sus tres hijos atrás en un pueblo de México para hacer el peligroso viaje a través de la frontera a los Estados Unidos, prometió que pronto regresaría con el dinero suficiente para construir la casa de sus sueños. Sus promesas se vuelven más difíciles de creer cuando los meses de espera se convierten en años.



febrero – abril, 2016

La Distancia Entre Nosotros,  
Reyna Grande

El libro que compartiremos el lunes, 6 de junio, 2016 es:

**"EN EL TIEMPO DE LAS MARIPOSAS"**  
por Julia Álvarez

Queremos tener los libros seleccionados disponibles en la biblioteca durante el tiempo que realicemos este Club de Lectura. Si quieren donar libros seleccionados o si quieren donar para comprar los libros por favor comuníquese con Gloria U. Rodríguez [rgloria2000@yahoo.com](mailto:rgloria2000@yahoo.com) o Silvia De Soto [silvia.desoto@cityofwoodland.org](mailto:silvia.desoto@cityofwoodland.org)



junio, 2016

En el tiempo de las mariposas,  
Julia Álvarez

## "Cien años de soledad"

por Gabriel García Márquez

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septiembre, 2016

Cien años de soledad,  
Gabriel García Márquez

*Una novela del pueblo que mezcla las tradiciones sagradas con la lucha de una mujer por sobrevivir en su día a día en una ciudad corrupta donde solo triunfan la belleza, el dinero y el éxito.*

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octubre, 2016

A Lupita le gustaba planchar,  
Laura Esquivel





# "Entre Nosotros"

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- ¿Qué? Un club de lectura de personas que leen el mismo libro.  
¿Cuándo? Cada primer lunes del mes a las 6:00 p.m.  
¿Dónde? En la Biblioteca Pública de Woodland en el Salón Leake

El libro que leeremos el mes de marzo y  
compartiremos el lunes, 3 de abril, 2017 es:

# "CAMELO" por Sandra Cisneros



"La célebre autora de *La casa en Mango Street*, nos ofrece una extraordinaria novela narrada en un lenguaje de una originalidad arrolladora: es la historia de varias generaciones de una familia mexicanoamericana cuyas voces crean un deslumbrante y vivo tapiz de humor y de pasión, hecho con la esencia misma de la vida."



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