

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ATA DUTCH LANGUAGE DIVISION
VIRTUAL ZOOM MEETING - OCTOBER 01, 2022**

1. The meeting was called to order by Division Administrator, Irene Stoel, at 12:33 pm EDT.
 - The meeting was attended by: Mery Molenaar, David Stephenson, Irene Stoel, Mia Vijt, Thomas West, Nina Woodson, Leo van Zanten.

2. The agenda for this meeting and the minutes of last year's annual meeting were accepted as distributed.

3. DLD Overview for 2021-2022
 - a. Report from the Administrator Irene Stoel
 - The Dutch Language Division currently has 117 individual members and 74 corporate and institutional members.
 - The DLD held a virtual get-together in 2022 in January, with our Distinguished Speaker Tia Nutters as our special guest.
 - The DLD nominated Tia Nutters once again as our Distinguished Speaker, after she was unable to come to the conference in Minnesota last year. She is a lecturer and researcher at the Universities of Groningen and Utrecht.
 - We had a Leadership Council meeting in April to discuss how we can increase the value of DLD membership.
 - The administrator attended ATA's virtual Quarterly Leadership Summits, which were introduced this year.

 - b. Report from the Webmaster David Stephenson

David reported the reorganizing of some pages on the DLD website. There is room to add to the website in the main menu, and David is requesting suggestions from the members for new content.

 - c. Report from the Forum Moderator Nina Woodson

In the past year Nina checked the members of the Google group, mainly to see if they were still DLD members. She only had to approve a few new members this year.

 - d. Report from Interim Social Media Coordinator Dennis Seine

Dennis did not submit any formal report on the social media activities. Irene reiterated that he is the interim social media coordinator, and that he has indicated that he does not dedicate much time to it. We have been looking for someone to replace him, but have not been able to find anyone willing to take over.

Irene has added some content to the Linked-In group for the DLD.

 - e. Report from Blog Coordinator Alexandra de Vries

Alexandra submitted the following report: "We haven't had very many blog activities this year. Earlier in the year we shared the results of the membership

survey, and we just published an article in celebration of International Translation Day. I am available to continue as the blog coordinator for the coming year. If any members have suggestions or contributions for the blog, please contact me directly or anyone else on the Leadership Council.”

There are ideas for new blog posts in the upcoming months. Mery and Leo are willing to write posts about Tia Nutters’ two sessions at ATA63.

4. New Business for 2022-2023
 - a. Irene repeated the quest for a new Social Media Coordinator.
 - b. Thomas West suggested Aart van den End, the writer of a Dutch legal dictionary as a Distinguished Speaker for the DLD for the ATA Conference in Miami in 2023. He will provide contact information, so the administrator can get in touch with him. He also suggested Gaston Dorren, but the previous DLD Administrator had a negative experience when we had selected him as a DS in 2020.
5. David announced the results of the election of officers. Irene and Leo were asked by the Nominating Committee (Claire Singleton and Myriam-Rose Kohn) to run for a second term. They ran uncontested and are the administrator and assistant-administrator for the 2022-2024 term.
6. Meeting was adjourned at 12:57 pm EDT.