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**Nashville, August 27, 2007:** The Tennessee Foreign Language Institute has received a generous \$5,000 donation from the Cal Turner Foundation, honoring Wallace Rasmussen, which will be used to further programs at TFLI such as the scholarship program bearing his name. The Rasmussen scholarship has helped 72 students in 2007 so far, which includes 33 students in English as a Second Language, and is an important source of assistance to many students.

The fall term of foreign language classes at the Tennessee Foreign Language Institute will begin the week of September 10<sup>th</sup>. The 13-week classes are taught evenings and Saturday mornings by instructors with native or near-native fluency, in numerous languages, including Spanish, French, German, Italian, Arabic, Chinese, Russian and Japanese. Course fees are \$390 plus materials. Financial assistance is available through the Rasmussen Scholarship program, and limited opportunities exist to volunteer in exchange for classes. State of Tennessee employees may use fee waivers in classes that attain adequate paying enrollment.

Registration on line at [www.tfli.org](http://www.tfli.org) or by phone at 615-741-7579.

The Tennessee Foreign Language Institute is located in Nashville in Metro Center at 227 French Landing, Suite 100. Additional class locations include Green Hills and Brentwood.