

Department of Translation Studies, Faculty of Arts, Constantine the Philosopher University in Nitra

Invites all students and colleagues to a lecture and discussion with Dr. Megan Reister from the Franciscan University of Steubenville, Austria

## Deaf / Hard of Hearing: Deaf Education, Reception, & Understanding

The lecture will be held on 22 March 2019 in the Faculty of Arts meeting room (ST119), 13:00-15:00. Entrance free and registration required by 20 March 2019 at: [eperez@ukf.sk](mailto:eperez@ukf.sk)

**Dr. Megan Reister**—a former hearing itinerant and special education teacher for 8 years in Delaware and Pennsylvania—was responsible for deaf education, transition services, and early intervention services prior to becoming a college professor in North Carolina. Dr. Reister—now an Ohio resident—enjoys conducting research, writing, and teaching as a Professor in the Education Department at Franciscan University of Steubenville, which is 45 minutes west of Pittsburgh. Her primary areas of research include self-advocacy and identity in students with hearing loss; itinerant teaching; and fostering collaboration among parents, general education, and special education teachers. She is passionate about working with preservice teachers to help them be the best advocates they can be for the children they will serve as they fulfill their vocations as teachers. Her other passion lies within her family of husband, Adam, 3 year-old daughter, Charlotte, and their two pups.

