

Save the Dates!

National Consortium for Teaching About Asia

2017 NCTA Seminar: Baltimore Maryland

“Seeing and Reading East Asia: Approaches for the K-12 Classroom”

Saturdays, 9:00 am-1:00 pm



Seminar Dates

September 16
September 23
October 14
October 28
November 4
November 18
December 2
December 9

Free, Eight Session Seminar!

Designed to deepen your knowledge of China, Japan, and Korea, the course will **encourage the teaching and learning about East Asian political, social, and cultural history**. Each session is built around a selection of written *and visual* primary sources, making the seminar perfect for history and social studies educators, art educators, librarians, and world language teachers as well. Our weekly lecturers (UMBC faculty) will provide you with both the content and resources needed to more effectively incorporate the study of East Asia into your existing curriculum.

New this year: “Mao’s China” (Dr. Nianshen Song)

No previous background in Asia is presumed.



Seminar Location

University of Maryland Baltimore County, Fine Arts Building (North), Room 533



Questions? Contact Seminar Coordinator: Dr. Julie Oakes, juloakes@umbc.edu

Please send your completed application by Saturday, September 9, 2017 to: Julie Rosenthal, julier@umbc.edu or fax to Julie Oakes, 410-455-1045

Benefits: Participants who complete the course and course requirements* will receive:

- \$200 worth of teaching materials for your classroom
- one-year subscription to *Education about Asia* magazine
- \$200 stipend upon completion of all coursework
- access to nationwide NCTA programs, such as eligibility for discounted study tours of East Asia, online book clubs, summer institute opportunities, and teaching resources

* Requirements: Each teacher will complete a Teacher Implementation Plan for use in his/her respective school. The Plans should include at least three lesson plans and a resource list that includes books, periodicals, videos, and websites

NCTA website:

<http://www.ucis.pitt.edu/ncta/ncta-baltimore.html>



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Baltimore Seminar Registration Form: **Due September 9, 2017**

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home/Cell Phone: _____

School at which you teach: _____

Work e-mail: _____

Personal e-mail: _____

Subject(s) and grade levels you teach: _____

Have you taken an NCTA seminar or other East Asian survey for teachers before? If yes, please indicate where and when.

I am committed to completing the full 30-hour seminar, the one follow-up session (6 hours total), and all assignments. I understand that I will not receive the full benefits of the seminar unless I fulfill this commitment

Your signature: _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT: Please attach a one-page statement describing what you teach, how the seminar material would fit into your classroom, and what you hope to gain from the seminar.

TO BE FILLED OUT BY YOUR ADMINISTRATOR:

I support the participation of _____ in the NCTA Baltimore Seminar on East Asia for teachers. We are committed to including East Asia in the curriculum, and teachers participating in the NCTA program will be incorporating the study of East Asia into their curriculum or will serve as a demonstration/resource teacher for training other teachers.

Administrator's Signature: _____

Administrator's Name (printed): _____

Administrator's Title: _____

Please return to Julie Rosenthal via e-mail at julier@umbc.edu, fax to 410-455-1045, or send via regular mail: Asian Studies Program (Fine Arts North)/UMBC, 1000 Hilltop Circle, Baltimore MD, 21250