

THE NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR TEACHING ABOUT ASIA

Winter-Spring 2012 Wisconsin NCTA Seminar on East Asia

A Blended Course with Classroom and Online Sessions



A Professional Development Seminar for Secondary Social Studies Teachers

Offered by University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
 In Collaboration with the NCTA National Coordinating Site
 University of Colorado Program for Teaching East Asia
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The National Consortium for Teaching about Asia (NCTA) is pleased to announce an NCTA Seminar on Modern East Asia (1800 to the present) for Wisconsin middle and high school teachers. This 34-hour seminar offers teachers the opportunity to engage in study, analysis, and discussion of new scholarship related to Chinese and Japanese history, geography, and culture. Content will address the National Standards in World History.

Eligibility: This seminar is open to any Wisconsin middle or high school teacher who is teaching courses that include the study of China and/or Japan at the time of the seminar, and who is able to commute to MATC West Campus in Madison, WI, for four Saturday meetings. Additional sessions will be delivered online. Class limit: 15 teachers.

Seminar Location and Leaders: The seminar will meet on four Saturdays at MATC West Campus, 302 S. Gammon Road (across from West Towne Mall), Madison, WI. There will be a total of 22 face-to-face classroom hours, led by seminar leader Prof. Larry Neuman, with four additional asynchronous online classes providing 12 more hours of instruction with NCTA national staff member Jon Zeljo.

Seminar Dates: Face-to-face Saturday class sessions are from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm on January 28, February 4, March 10, and April 14, 2012. *Please plan on attending February 11 as snow date for the January or February sessions, if necessary.* Attendance is required at all four Saturday meetings.

Participation is free, with the following benefits:

- 34 contact hours of study, curriculum, and discussion with East Asian specialists and fellow educators.
- Course textbook (\$100 value).
- Morning coffee and lunch on Saturday meeting dates.
- \$250 participant stipend upon satisfactory completion of the seminar and teacher implementation project.
- Discounted two undergraduate (\$253) or graduate (\$413) credits available from UW-Whitewater at the teacher's expense.
- Eligibility for NCTA enrichment programs, including national study tour to China or Japan in summer 2013 (pending funding).

Expectations: Seminar participants agree to:

- Participate in full 34-hour seminar through both face-to-face classroom meetings and asynchronous online sessions that include video lectures, readings, and discussion forum.
- Complete all seminar assignments and teacher implementation plan.

Registration is limited to 15 eligible teachers on a first come-first serve basis; register early to ensure a place. To register, complete the form below and e-mail to neumanl@uww.edu or fill out the online registration form at <http://www.colorado.edu/cas/tea/ncta/registration-wisconsin.html>. For additional information, contact Prof. Larry Neuman at the email above or 262-472-1093.

Registration Deadline is January 20, 2012

Name			School name		
Home address			School address	City	Zip
City	State	Zip	School phone	School fax	
Home phone			E-mail address (please PRINT legibly)		
Please list your fall 2011-12 courses/grade levels:					

