

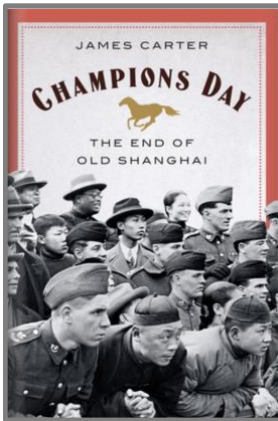
THE NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR TEACHING ABOUT ASIA
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Winter 2022 Online Course

A Professional Development Course for Secondary Teachers

Champions Day: The End of Old Shanghai
January 14 – March 3, 2022

This book group engages secondary teachers with the highly acclaimed *Champions Day: The End of Old Shanghai*, by James Carter, Professor of History at Saint Joseph's University. Through the lens of horse racing in Shanghai in the first half of the 20th century and leading to World War II, participating teachers will be introduced to a multitude of topics that emerged from this unique urban setting: life in the port city; city planning and architecture; Shanghai's complex social fabric; interactions between China and the West; imperialism; extraterritoriality; racism; and Japan's invasion of China.



Course Format and Expectations: The course will be conducted online through five asynchronous week-long modules, each consisting of readings of *Champions Day*. The course will include resources and participant discussion forums on content and pedagogy. In addition, participants will take part in a live Zoom discussion session with the author, Professor James Carter. The course begins January 14, 2022 with online introductions. The first module will begin January 21 and the final module will conclude on March 3, 2022. There will be a one-week break for February vacations. A short Curriculum Implementation Plan (CIP) and evaluation will be due March 28, 2022.

Eligibility and Selection: Teachers nationwide are invited to apply. Admission is selective, and priority will be given to social studies, literature and humanities; contract teachers whose required curriculum includes modern China; and teachers who are not enrolling in another winter NCTA online seminar. Applications close January 10, 2022 or when course is full.

Participation is free. Participants will

- Purchase *Champions Day: The End of Old Shanghai*;
- Receive access to resources online;
- Participate in a virtual tour of Shanghai on February 16, 8 pm ET
- Participate in a Zoom discussion with the author on February 28, 8 pm ET;
- Receive a completion award and certificate of completion for 15 hours;
- Receive \$75 upon completion of the CIP.



Participants will have the opportunity to travel – virtually – to Shanghai and see important landmarks discussed in the book. Our tour is scheduled for February 16, 2022 at 8 pm ET.

I went to graduate school not only to study the history of China, but to learn how to find, research, and share stories that shed light on China's past. Since my time at Yale, and in my work as a professor of History at Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia, I've focused on the interaction between China and the West by writing, teaching, and researching smaller moments that illuminate the big story of Chinese-Western relations. – James Carter



The course offers the opportunity to meet the author to discuss his book and research as well as answer our questions about this fascinating and exhilarating time period in China's history. Live Zoom conversation February 28, 2022 at 8 pm ET.



Apply online at <https://www.colorado.edu/ptea/ChampionsDay>
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