

# The National Consortium for Teaching about Asia Northern Virginia Fall 2018 Workshop Series



**DC area teachers are welcome to apply**

**Offered by  
NCTA Northern Virginia and the  
University of Colorado Program for Teaching East Asia**

In cooperation with the Madeira School, George Mason University Department of History and Art History, and the Institute for Korean Studies at the George Washington University.

## Program Overview

NCTA Northern Virginia announces two Saturday workshops for Fall 2018. *An additional two workshops will be offered in Winter-Spring 2019.* The workshops will address social studies knowledge and skill outcomes of the state of Virginia and NoVa school districts. Each program will include:

- Academic presentations that ground contemporary issues in historical and global contexts.
- Sessions designed to integrate content outcomes with skills-based learning and disciplinary literacy—through exploration of authentic primary source materials and inquiry learning strategies.
- A “case study” session focusing on approaches and resources for teaching a contemporary regional or international issue.

Participants receive curriculum resources and stipend for each workshop. See details on page 2.

## Fall Workshop Topics and Dates

**The Korean Peninsula in the Modern World: Legacies and Challenges.** Saturday, October 27, 2018 at the George Washington University Institute for Korean Studies, Washington, DC, 8:45-3:45

**China on the World Stage.** Saturday, December 8, 2018 at the Madeira School, McLean, VA. 8:45-3:45



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## Participant Benefits

Through grant funding, NCTA will provide the following benefits for workshop participants:

- **Participant stipend:** Participants will receive a \$50 stipend for full attendance at each workshop.
- **Classroom materials:** Each workshop will provide teachers with skills-centered curriculum resources incorporating primary source materials for teaching about East Asia.
- **Background readings and resources:** Reading materials and resource lists will be provided for each workshop.
- **Certificate of professional development hours:** Participants will receive a certificate of 6 contact hours per workshop issued by NCTA.
- **NCTA Study Tour eligibility:** Participants who successfully complete the 18 hours of NCTA programming are eligible for NCTA summer study tours to China or Japan, pending annual funding.

Workshop participants agree to:

- Participate for full-day program of each Saturday workshop they attend and complete a workshop evaluation.
- Undertake modest (1- to 2-hour) reading prior to each workshop, if applicable.

## Eligibility and Registration

Northern Virginia and DC area secondary social studies educators are invited to attend one or both Fall 2018 workshops. Please indicate **all** workshops you plan to attend on your initial registration. Registrants will be asked to confirm intent to participate a week prior to each workshop. Registration closes **October 10, 2018**, or when workshops fill.

Registration is limited to 25 eligible teachers per workshop on a first come-first serve basis. Register online at [www.colorado.edu/ptea/VaNCTA-reg](http://www.colorado.edu/ptea/VaNCTA-reg).

**Questions?** For more information on the workshop series, contact NCTA National Co-director Lynn Parisi, [parisi@colorado.edu](mailto:parisi@colorado.edu), 303.735.5121 or Matthew Sudnik, NCTA NoVa Workshop Coordinator, [matthew.sudnik@gmail.com](mailto:matthew.sudnik@gmail.com).

## About the National Consortium for Teaching about Asia

The **National Consortium for Teaching about Asia (NCTA)**, now in its 20<sup>th</sup> year, is a professional development program for K-12 teachers headquartered at the Asian Studies centers of seven universities across the United States: University of Colorado, Columbia University, Five Colleges, Inc; Indiana University, University of Southern California, University of Pittsburgh, and University of Washington. NCTA offers seminars, workshops, summer institutes, and online courses for teachers nationwide. This workshop series is NCTA's 13<sup>th</sup> professional development program for Virginia teachers offered by the NCTA National Coordinating Site at the University of Colorado Program for Teaching East Asia (TEA). NCTA is generously funded by The Freeman Foundation.

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