Global Education Summer Institute for Teachers
Sponsored by The Stanley Foundation and UI International Programs
287:210:WKA or 07S:210:WKA, 2 graduate credits

Monday, June 11 – Wednesday, June 13, 2012
Meeting daily with evening activities.

You may soon be asked to include global perspectives in your classes, whatever your content area, in order to meet Iowa’s Core Curriculum requirements. This year’s Global Education Summer Institute for Teachers at The University of Iowa will help you incorporate global learning into your classes, applicable to all content areas and disciplines, from writing and science to social studies. The Institute is a three-day, two-credit experience taught by University of Iowa Professor Greg Hamot. Guest lecturers include other University of Iowa professors from various academic disciplines. In addition to developing an overview of global education and exploring specific issues, teachers will work together with mentors in writing curriculum during class sessions. Each student will be required to submit a final comprehensive project of a unit that builds a global perspective into the curriculum. Attendees will take home many exciting new resources and easily accessible materials, and will finish with a ready-to-go curriculum unit for their classrooms.

Twenty middle, junior, and high school teachers will be selected to attend this year’s institute and will receive free tuition and housing. This year’s participants will be asked to seek the endorsement of their school principal in the expectation that the principal will facilitate the attending teacher’s presentation to the faculty at his or her school following completion of the Global Education Summer Institute. An application form is attached or may be found on our website at: http://international.uiowa.edu/summer-institute

The course will focus on the following:

• Rationales, conceptualizations, and themes in global perspectives in education
• Application of global perspectives in teaching and learning
• “State of the planet” awareness, intercultural competence, knowledge of global systems, and awareness of human choices across the curriculum
• Access to knowledge across the planet
• Engagement in the world
• Citizenship in a global age
• How to address the Iowa Core 21st Century Skills on Global Literacy and Culture

The course will also include:

• Lectures from, and large and small group discussions with, scholars in the academic disciplines on how to relate a global perspective in specific curricular areas
• Small group working sessions on curriculum design and lesson development
• Use of digital technology for increased global understanding
To Apply:

1) Please fill out and submit the attached application form by May 2.
2) Send $50 deposit with application. Deposit will be returned on opening day of course.

Apply by May 2; space is limited. Applicants will be notified via email by May 9.

Past participants have this to say about the IP Summer Institute:

- I would highly recommend this to any educator…! Once again, fantastic!
- Best recertification credits that I have ever done – the intellectual focus is exhilarating and the topics are challenging.
- Please continue to allow this fantastic forum as a way for teachers to continue to explore and search for ways to think about and re-invent their own practices.

Intended Audiences:

Middle, junior, and high school teachers in all content areas.

Tuition and Housing

Tuition for two semester graduate credits is included at no cost to participants. A $50 deposit will be required with application to be returned on opening day.

Participants will receive free single-room housing at Mayflower Residence Hall on The University of Iowa campus.

For more information about tuition and housing, contact Amy Green, International Programs Outreach Secretary at 319-335-1433 or e-mail amy-green-1@uiowa.edu.

Professor Greg Hamot

Gregory E. Hamot is professor of social studies education in the Department of Teaching and Learning at The University of Iowa College of Education. He directs The University of Iowa Center for Human Rights, as well as the “We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution” Program for the state of Iowa. His work on cross-cultural citizenship education includes collaborations with Poland, the Czech Republic, Armenia, Bulgaria, Kyrgyzstan, and Latvia. Hamot taught secondary social studies for 15 years in the Chicago area before moving into the field of teacher education.
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Application due date: May 2, 2012

Applicant Information

Name: ____________________________________________________________

School where you teach: ____________________________________________

Content area(s) you currently teach: _________________________________

Grade level(s) you currently teach: _________________________________

Number of years in teaching: _________________________________

Home Address: ___________________________________________________

Address City Zip

School Phone: ___________________________ School Email: _________________

Home Phone: ___________________________ Home Email: ______________________

Would need housing: ☐ Yes or ☐ No Gender: ☐ Female or ☐ Male

☐ My principal has given his/her endorsement of my application and will facilitate a presentation to the faculty at our school following completion of the Global Education Summer Institute.

Please list all of your past international travel. Include where, when, duration, circumstances, etc. (please attach additional page if necessary):

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Please submit this completed application form and $50 deposit to:
Amy Green, UI International Programs, 1111-5 University Capitol Centre, Iowa City, Iowa 52242.
Phone: 319-335-1433, Fax: 319-335-0280, E-mail: amy-green-1@uiowa.edu

Please make check payable to: UI International Programs. Deposit will be returned on opening day of course.

For questions regarding the Global Education Summer Institute, please contact:
Amy Green, International Programs, at 319-335-1433 or amy-green-1@uiowa.edu

For Office Use Only:

Date Received: ________________ County (school): ________________________