

Area Studies & Outreach in the Social Studies Classroom

November 10 – 11, 2015
Tulane University
Lavin Bernick Center Room 203

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

9:00 am – 9:45

Introduction

Tom Reese, Tulane University Stone Center for Latin American Studies

Valerie McGinley, Tulane University Stone Center for Latin American Studies

Denise Woltering Vargas, Tulane University Stone Center for Latin American Studies

Strategic Partnerships

9:45 – 10:30

From an Initiative to a Partnership – Internationalizing K-14 Curricula

Elizabeth Saenz-Ackerman, Stanford University, Center for Latin American Studies

Molly Aufdermauer, Stanford University, Center for Latin American Studies

10:30 – 11:15

Forum on International Education and Leadership Development

Kathy Ayers, University of Pittsburgh, European Studies Center

Veronica Dristas, University of Pittsburgh, Global Studies Center

11:15 – 11:30

Break

11:30 – 12:15

Reading Across Cultures: Selecting the Best from Africa, the Middle East & Latin America

Denise Woltering Vargas, Tulane University, Stone Center for Latin American Studies

Barbara Brown, Boston University, African Studies Center

Chris Rose, University of Texas at Austin, Center for Middle Eastern Studies

12:15 – 12:30

Discussions

12:30 – 1:45

Lunch

Telling the Story

1:45 – 2:30

Telling the Story Using External Grants that Extend Title VI Outreach to K-16 Communities

Betsy Arntzen, University of Maine, Canadian-American Center

Amy Sotherden, SUNY Plattsburg, Center for the Study of Canada

Tina Storer, Western Washington University, Center for Canadian American Studies

2:30 – 3:15

High School to College to Career: Considering Area Studies & Language as Your Major

Sarah Ripp, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Latin American, Caribbean & Iberian Studies

Nancy Heingartner, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Center for Russia, Eastern Europe, & Central Asia

3:15 – 3:30

Break

3:30 – 4:15

Bridging Invisible Gaps by "Telling Stories" Teaching Cuba in Miami in the Secondary Social Studies Classroom

Liesl Picard, Kimberly Green Latin American and Caribbean Center, Florida International University

Koree Hood, Palmer Trinity School

Gayle Lasater Pagnoni and Aldo Regalado, Palmer Trinity School

Laura Massa, Palmer Trinity School

4:15 – 4:30

Responding to Breaking News for K-12 Educational Outreach

Barbara Brown, Boston University, African Studies Center

4:30 – 4:45

Discussions

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Evaluation and Assessment

9:00 am – 9:15

Evaluating the Impact of Title VI Programs at The University of Minnesota with Ripple Effect Mapping

Deborah Jane, University of Minnesota, European Studies Consortium

9:15 – 10:00

Innovative Strategies for Infusing Evaluation into K-16 Global Outreach Programs

Alexandra Holmgren, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, Center for European Studies

Emma Harver, Duke-University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, Consortium for Middle East Studies

Elizabeth Bucek, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, Center for Global Initiatives

10:00 – 10:15

Discussions

Innovative Resource Design and Access

10:30 – 10:45

Transatlantic Educators Dialogue

Sebnem Ayse Ozkan, University of Illinois, European Union Center

Jeremie Smith, University of Illinois, Center for Global Studies

10:45 – 11:30

Innovative Uses of Technology for K12 Outreach

Karen Goldman, University of Pittsburgh, Center for Latin American Studies

Diana Shemenski, University of Pittsburgh Center for Latin American Studies

11:30 – 11:45

Break

11:45 – 12:00

Twitter Applications for Outreach Specialists: A Practical Overview

Jamie Lee Marks, Vanderbilt University, Center for Latin American & Caribbean Studies

12:00 – 12:15

Digital Delivery of K-12 Professional Development by the National Consortium for Teaching about Asia

Roberta Martin, Columbia University, Weatherhead East Asian Institute

Travel & Outreach

12:15 – 12:30

The Bridging Cultures Initiative

Jeremie Smith, University of Illinois, Center for Global Studies

12:30 – 1:00

Discussions

1:00

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