

The Five College Center for East Asian Studies  
and the Teachers Center for Global Studies invite you to:

*Reading the Landscapes of East Asia:  
An Exploration of the Geography of Japan and Korea as  
Viewed Through Literature*

Goal: The goal of the series is to provide teachers with content and strategies for combining literature and geography to teach about East Asia.

Benefits: PDPs will be awarded for all sessions. For those who attend at least 20 hours and submit an acceptable Implementation Plan, a \$400 stipend and approximately \$400 worth of curriculum materials will be provided.

Audience: Open to all educators, aimed at middle and high school teachers. You may register for the entire series or single sessions. Please register early. Space and stipends are limited.

**Saturday, Nov. 7. Korea in the World: A Geographic Focus**

The morning will begin with a basic introduction to Korean culture and language. Afternoon sessions will focus on classroom strategies and resources for introducing Korea in the classroom.

**Worcester.** 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Includes lunch.

Presenters: Hye-Souk Wang, (East Asian Studies, Brown University), Tom Barner (Day Middle School), Robert Vacca (Horace Mann Middle School) and Arlene Kowal (NCTA seminar leader).

**Tuesday, Nov. 17. Understanding Korea in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century**

The presenter, a Korean-American and a history teacher will provide a brief history for Korea and provide entry points for teaching about Korea in the middle and high school classroom.

**Worcester.** 4:00-7:00 p.m.

Presenter: Young Un (Wheeler School)

**Tuesday, Dec. 1. Teaching Korean Sijo**

Like Haiku, it is a three line poem. But don't call it Korean Haiku! Come learn about this popular Korean poetic form. The presenter will also discuss his Sijo contest for middle school students.

**Worcester.** 4:00-7:00 p.m.

Presenter: David McCann (East Asian Languages and Civilizations, Harvard University) (Invited)

**Saturday, Dec. 5. Japan in the World: A Geographic Focus**

**South Hadley.** 9:00 a.m-3:30 p.m. Lunch included.

The session will begin with an introductory presentation on Japan's geography. Afternoon sessions will focus on ways to use Japanese literature in the geography classroom.

Presenters: Piper Gaubatz (Geography, University of Massachusetts Amherst), Christopher Walsh, (NCTA Seminar leader), and Arlene Kowal, (NCTA seminar leader)

## Thursdays, Jan. 14, 21, and 28. Selected Literature of East Asia

All in Amherst. 4:00-7:00 p.m.)

Each afternoon will feature lesson-modeling presentations on literature from East Asia. Presenters to date include Karla Drake (Longmeadow High School) on January 14, Kathleen (Kathy) Woods Masalski, (Five College Center for East Asian Studies) and Jennifer Vacca, (R. J. Grey Middle School) on the January 21, and Marilyn Day (Marblehead High School, retired) and Carolyn Cicciu (Hollis/Brookline Junior High School, retired) on January 28

Costs: \$7.00 for an afternoon session, \$15 for a Saturday. Saturdays include lunch and refreshments. Registration fees are nonrefundable.

### Session Locations:

Worcester - Grace Room, University Center, Clark University

Amherst - Burns Room, Five Colleges, Incorporated, 97 Spring St.

South Hadley - Morrison Room, Willits Hallowell Center, Mount Holyoke College

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Sessions you wish to attend:

I plan to attend at least 20 hours of programming and would like to be considered for a \$400 stipend.

Sat. Nov. 7  Sat. Dec 5 (\$15 each, includes lunch)

Tue. Nov. 17  Tue. Dec. 1 (\$7.00 each)

Thur. Jan. 14  Thur. Jan 21  Thurs. Jan 28 (\$7.00 each)

Total enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please email Mimi Stephens ([mstephen@smith.edu](mailto:mstephen@smith.edu)) with any questions. A confirmation email with driving directions will be sent to you.