



Mississippi Council For The Social Studies

MCSS FALL CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 5, 2015

Old Capitol Museum

Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson, MS

“Social Studies in Mississippi: College, Career, and Civic Life (C3)”

MCSS will offer a variety of professional development sessions for elementary, middle, and secondary teachers.

Sessions will focus on how to use the NCSS’s College, Career, and Civic Life (C3) Framework for Social Studies Standards to help implement Common Core State Standards.

The conference is from 8:00 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Old Capitol Museum in Jackson.

. 8 CEUs will be offered through Mississippi State University.

The conference is followed by the Mississippi Department of Archives and History Social Studies Teachers Workshop on Friday, November 6, 2015 at the Old Capitol Museum for information please visit:

<http://mdah.state.ms.us/new/events/social-studies-teachers-workshop/>

NOTE: Registration for the MDAH Social Studies Teachers Workshop is separate from the MCSS Conference.

Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mississippi-council-for-the-social-studies-fall-conference-2015-tickets-18556262280>

Like MCSS on Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/MSCouncilForTheSocialStudies>

Featured Presentations

Using the C3 Framework to Help Elementary Students (Re)Consider Indian Removal

Dr. Jay Howell, University of Southern Mississippi

Participants will engage in a model elementary “think-aloud” lesson grounded in a problem-based historical inquiry framework in order to decide if Andrew Jackson was justified in removing Indians to reservations. The presentation will pursue two goals: 1) To model a jigsaw discussion strategy through which elementary students evaluate sources and use evidence related to Indian Removal; 2) To have participants experience and critique a problem-based elementary lesson focused on evaluating Andrew Jackson’s decision to remove Indians.

Social Studies and the College and Career Readiness Standards

Mr. Chauncey Spears, Mississippi Department of Education

This presentation will detail the connections between the Mississippi Social Studies Framework Standards, the College and Career Readiness Standards for Literacy in the Social Studies, and commentary on the possibilities of the College, Career, and Civic Readiness Standards (C3). Participants will have the opportunity to reflect on the aims of Social Studies education in MS, the literacy skills required for advanced inquiry in Social Studies, and the expectations of student learning in Social Studies classrooms.

Using mythology and stories of heroes to support individual development and identity in the social studies classroom

Ms. Melissa Baneck and Dr. Kenneth Anthony

Mythology and stories of heroes have long been a part of the education curriculum, but many times are thought of as language arts or arts topics. In this session, participants will learn how stories of heroes provide children and adolescents patterns to help them make the transition from childhood to adulthood thus building both civic competence and individual resilience.

What's "in" the Name? East Sea/Sea of Japan, Geographic Naming Issue for Classroom

Barbara Boone, Patti Edwards, and Mary Jane Jackson, Mississippi Geographic Alliance

The name "East Sea" has been used to refer to the sea area between the Korean Peninsula and the Japanese Archipelago for more than 2,000 years. The name "The Sea of Japan," however came into use in the 20th century. This workshop will demonstrate to the participants why "East Sea" should be use concurrently with the "Sea of Japan." Background information and teacher designed lessons to engage students in exploring this data rich, inquiry inviting issue will be presented.

Background information and lesson plans will be provided for High School and AP Human Geography. This information can be used at all classroom levels.

Transatlantic Outreach Program sponsored by the Goethe Institute

Bruce Mize, West Point High School

A two-week study tour opportunity to Germany for Social Studies teachers with the overall goal of learning about the rich history and culture of the German people. In addition, teachers will learn how the German educational system works by visiting schools and speaking to teachers/students. The institute covers the cost of the international/domestic flights, hotel accommodations and food.

Using visual discovery to prepare students for the US History Test

Dr. Paul Binford, Mississippi State University

In this session, participants will learn authentic instructional strategies, which also foster student success on the SATP2 US History test. Specifically, this session will focus on visual discovery and discrepant event inquiry teaching strategies that support analysis of primary sources. The session will conclude with participants developing their own lesson using these strategies.

Other confirmed speakers

Dr. Alberta Yeboah, Jackson State University

Dr. Otis Picket, Mississippi College

Mr. Chuck Yarborough, Mississippi School for Math and Science

Mr. Steven White, Pearl High School, Pearl, MS

Dr. Ellen Foster, University of Mississippi

Mr. Al Wheat, Mississippi History Day Co-Coordinator, Olde Towne Middle School

Mrs. Alice Carolus, Amanda Elzy High School, Greenwood, MS

Conference Schedule

8:00-9:00 a.m. Registration (Old Capitol) and refreshments

9:00-9:50 a.m. General Session

10:00-10:50 a.m. Concurrent session 1

11:00-11:50 a.m. Concurrent session 2

12:00-1:30 p.m. Awards Luncheon – Old Capitol Inn Grande Ballroom

1:30-2:20 p.m. Concurrent session 3

2:30-3:20 p.m. Concurrent session 4

3:30-5:00 p.m. **Field Trips: Margaret Walker Center, Jackson, MS or
COFO Civil Rights Education Center**

5:30 p.m. Closing session and reception, Sponsored by the Mississippi Geographic Alliance

Continuing Education Registration

Participants must register for CEUs online through ce.msucare.com. Below is the information needed to register for CEUs.

Course Number: CEUS082501 **Course Title:** Mississippi Council for the Social Studies Fall Conference 2015

Course Dates: November 5, 2015 (Registration begins on the last day of the course.)

Registration Deadline: November 19, 2015 (Last day to register for CEUs. Certificates will not be issued until after the registration deadline.)

CEUS Awarded: 0.8 **Coordinator:** Kenneth Anthony

In order to register for and obtain your CEUs for this course, you will need to follow these instructions:

1. Please have your card in hand before beginning the registration process. You will not be able to register and make an online payment in separate transactions. Please do not continue if you do not have your payment information.

2. Go to ce.msucare.com.

3. Choose the **Catalog** tab.

4. You will then see the categories of our course catalog. You will choose **CEU Registration**.

5. The current course listings will appear. Choose the **Course Title** that is listed above.

6. This screen shows each section of the course that was offered. Using the **Course Number** listed above, choose the correct section of your course. **Make sure you register for correct course number.**

7. Choose **Add to Cart**. (Do not add to cart if you are not ready to pay. You cannot go back and pay later.)

8. You will now either **Create New Account** or **Sign in to Existing Account**.

We suggest that when creating an account, you use an email address that will not likely change.

9. Once you have created or signed in to your account, you will be directed to your Shopping Cart. After checking your order for accuracy, you will choose **Check Out**.

10. Once you select your **Payment Method** and enter your information, you will be led to a confirmation page. You will also receive an email stating the status of your order. Once your payment is verified, you will receive an additional email.

In order to receive CEU credit participants must attend all sessions and sign the attendance roster.

The Mississippi Council for the Social Studies is a state affiliate of the National Council for the Social Studies. The purpose of this organization is to promote social studies as the key subject in developing good citizenship, to provide a like among educators interested in social studies, and to aid the development of social studies educators professionally.