



I looked forward to each of the Five College Center for East Asian Studies seminar sessions and gained insight and awe through understanding the history and culture of the region from different perspectives. The varied professors who taught were at the top of their field. The materials provided were also excellent. I have participated in Fulbright and NEH programs and can honestly state that this seminar was one of the best learning experiences I have had as an educator.

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2017-2018 Seminar Program

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Human and Physical Geography of East Asia “A View of the Past and Contemporary Issues”

Hosted by the Geography Department, Keene State College

Facilitated by Arlene Kowal

Session dates, times, and location:

Saturdays—1/27, 2/3, 2/10, 3/3, (3/10 snow date) 2018

9:00am-3:00pm

Putnam Science Center Room 275, Keene State College, Keene, NH

This thirty-hour seminar is open to teachers of history, geography, social studies, English/language arts, art, music, technology, and other teachers who desire to incorporate teaching about East Asia into their curriculum. School librarians and administrators are also encouraged to apply. It provides content and resources for teaching about China, Japan, and Korea.

Benefits:

- Learn about East Asia from experts in the field.
- Receive \$150 personal stipend and certificate for completion of 30 hours (upon completion of requirements).
- Receive \$250 in course materials and a subscription to *Education About Asia*.
- Have opportunity to become eligible for subsidized study tour in East Asia (pending funding) with completion of seminar requirements.
- Optional graduate credit may be available through UMass/Amherst.

Requirements:

- Attend sessions (4 Saturdays) and view webinars (6), complete readings, and assignments. Any sessions missed must be made up.
- Create a written implementation plan showing how information and resources from the seminar will be used in your classes.

Since enrollment is limited, early application is encouraged. Complete form on second page and forward to Arlene Kowal, 6 Country Way, Florence, MA 01062 or email: arlene.kowal@gmail.com. Rolling admission.

To view last year's syllabus, speak with previous participants, or for further information, contact Arlene Kowal at arlene.kowal@gmail.com.



The Five College Center for East Asian Studies (NCTA national site) is located at Smith College, 18 Henshaw B1, 201, Northampton, MA. Learn more at www.fivecolleges.edu/fcceas

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Application Form 2017-2018

To be completed by the applicant:

Name:

Home address:

Home phone #:

Email:

School name & address:

School phone #:

Subject(s) & grade level(s) taught:

Statement:

Please attach a one-page statement describing how the seminar topics fit into your teaching assignment, particular subject areas of interest, and what you hope to gain from participation in the seminar itself. Please indicate whether you previously participated in a NCTA seminar.

Agreement:

If accepted, I agree to participate in a 30-hour seminar in its entirety. I understand that the stipend is contingent upon completion of program requirements.

Signature of Applicant_____ Date_____
