Advanced Placement® Summer Institute for AP® World History Teachers

John Cabot University, Rome, Italy

Program Dates: July 13-17, 2020

What to expect from this APSI

AP World History teachers are invited to John Cabot University’s campus in the heart of Rome for a unique AP® Summer Institute. This AP Summer Institute in AP World History is intended for new AP teachers looking to implement a successful program in their school. Enrollment is also recommended for experienced AP teachers eager to gain insight into the redesign of the course. The workshop will create an environment of mutual collaboration among participants and the instructor affording the group the rare opportunity for on-site learning that teachers can bring alive in their classrooms. Moreover, this institute will foster a dialogue and discussion regarding issues and concerns related to AP World History. The re-design changes will be specifically addressed during the Institute.

This APSI is endorsed by the College Board and led by experienced consultant, Stephen Cox. The fee of $1,950 per participant includes class instruction, College Board workshop materials, 6 nights of accommodation with daily breakfast, private tour bus transportation in Rome, museum entries, guided tours, a welcome cocktail reception with a guest lecture and a farewell lunch. A non-refundable deposit of $500.00 must be paid to reserve your place in the program.

Institute’s Outcomes

- Acquire new teaching strategies that focus on student-centered learning and learn effective literacy instruction.
- Collaborate with peers to prepare classroom material, hone history-reasoning skills, and construct long-term plans for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Explore Rome’s history, art, culture, and monumental architecture by taking field studies to relevant historical sites related to the content covered in the AP® World History course, such as the Monumento Nazionale a Vittorio Emanuele II, Mussolini’s EUR, and the Jewish Ghetto.
- Participate in stimulating discussions, lectures, and engagements centered on the AP® History Disciplinary Practices, the four history reasoning skills, nineteen key concepts, and five themes that drive the redesigned AP® World History course.
- Gain insight into the scoring of the exam and become familiar with texts and electronic teacher resources available for the new course.
- Advise teachers on how to complete and submit a course audit.

How to register:

Email the following information to Giordana Mongardini at gmongardini@johncabot.edu

- Your full name, date of birth, home address & phone number
- Your school name, mailing address, and phone number
- How you heard about the APSI at JCU
- A short statement about your background and experience teaching art history, and why you would like to attend this institute

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