

THE AMERICAN REVELATION FOR SOCIAL STUDIES TEACHERS: CONCEPTS, THEMES, COLLABORATIONS

A Half-day Workshop for Middle School and High School Teachers

Friday, February 29, 2008

9:00 am to 12:00 noon

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Montclair State University

Do you find yourself as a social studies teacher planning your curriculum and lessons in a vacuum? Are you frustrated that your pedagogical content and concepts are limited by available textbooks and Internet resources? At this half-day conference for middle and high school teachers, Neil Baldwin, Distinguished Visiting Professor, College of the Arts, Montclair State University, will give a key-note presentation on his recent book, *The American Revelation: Ten Ideals That Shaped Our Country From The Puritans To The Cold War*. This will be followed by a panel discussion led by Barry Bachenheimer, Director of Instructional Services for Caldwell-West Caldwell Public Schools, Laurie Scott-Jonach, Supervisor of Humanities, Berkeley Heights Public Schools, Frank Sanchez, Supervisor of Humanities, Springfield Public Schools, and George Burroughs, Social Studies Supervisor, Montclair High School on pedagogical strategies and resources for incorporating the concepts and themes of *The American Revelation* into the social studies classroom, together with information about collaborative arenas in which to share and access innovative social studies teaching techniques after the conference is over.

In conjunction with Black History Month, this program will feature a special segment on Carter Woodson, whose life and contributions are celebrated in *The American Revelation*.

Please note that in order to obtain full benefit from this conference, familiarity with *The American Revelation* (New York: St. Martin's Press, 2006) prior to the conference is essential. This book may be purchased from amazon.com and other bookstores. See www.neilbaldwinbooks.com for critical praise of the book as well as information from the author on how he came to write it.

Professional Development Credit

Teachers will receive 4 hours of professional development credit for this program. Letters of verification will be mailed to your school address following the conference.

Registration Information

The registration fee for this program is **\$70 per person**. For planning purposes we ask that you pre-register by returning the registration form. Forms may be sent via snail mail, fax or e-mail—checks mailed under separate cover. All forms and fees (purchase order numbers) should be received by the registration **deadline date: Thursday, February 21, 2008**

- **Make checks payable to Montclair State University.**
- **Mailing Address:** Montclair State University, Institute for the Humanities, 105 Dickson Hall, Montclair, NJ 07043.
- **Phone:** 973-655-7516 **Fax:** 973-655-7207 **E-mail:** inst_hum@mail.montclair.edu
- **After we receive your registration information, a confirmation e-mail, with directions to campus and parking information will be sent to you.**

Registration Form

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Teacher: _____ Department: _____

School: _____

School Address: _____ (zip) _____

Telephone: () ext. Fax: () _____

Email: _____

****PROVIDE US WITH AN E-MAIL ADDRESS (PREFERABLE) OR FAX NUMBER SO THAT WE MAY SEND PROGRAM CONFIRMATION.**

I would like to receive professional development credit for this program

Amount Enclosed (Check) \$70.00 per person: \$ _____

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