

## **3 SUMMER TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES!**

### **WORKSHOP: Legislator for a Day**

June 17, 2010

9 am-4 pm

Minnesota State Capitol

St. Paul, Minnesota

Build your knowledge of the legislative process, public policy, and critical issues facing Minnesotans--and your classroom for the day is the Minnesota State Capitol! Explore the role of special interest groups, political parties, constituents, and personal conscience with legislators and others as your teachers. Engage in interactive lessons that will inspire your students to get involved in our democracy.

Supported by grants from the Minnesota Legacy Amendment and the Center for Civic Education through a grant from Congress.

\$25 refundable registration fee (returned to you at the end of the day!)

Meals, materials, and parking permits provided

Housing will be provided for participants from outside metro area.

CEU credits available

### **INSTITUTE:**

#### **We the People: the Citizen and the U.S. and Minnesota Constitutions**

July 20-22, 2010

9 am-4:30 pm

Minnesota Humanities Center

St. Paul, MN

Advocates on opposite sides of the issues claim to have the Constitution on their side! How can that be possible? Deepen your understanding so that you can examine their positions and discern who is telling the truth and who is not! Learn the ways the Constitution is at war with itself and explore the complicated relationship between the Minnesota and U.S. Constitutions. This special focus on the Minnesota Constitution will illustrate the similarities and differences using landmark Minnesota Supreme Court cases and engaging teaching strategies including a We the People simulated congressional hearing.

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\$25 refundable registration fee (returned to you at the end of the institute!)

Meals and materials provided

Limited Humanities Center housing available for out-of-town participants.

CEU units available. Participants may register for graduate level credits offered through Hamline University. Tuition is the participant's responsibility

**INSTITUTE: 2010 UPDATE**

August 10-12, 2010

9 am-3 pm

Minnesota Judicial Center

St. Paul, MN

Study this year’s Minnesota and U.S. Supreme Court decisions of interest to students—gun rights in American cities, animal torture videos, rights of religious student groups at public colleges, life term for juveniles, and corporate political speech to name a few! Get up to date on changes made by the Minnesota Legislature. Explore legal trends and public controversies.

And experience hands-on education during our in-depth look at the Minnesota Judicial Branch. As special guests of the court, we will explore all nooks and crannies of the Judicial Center and enjoy our annual “Lunch with Minnesota Judges.” Receive NEW interactive lessons for teaching the Minnesota Court system.

Register for one, two, or three days!

\$160 for three days or \$65/ day (includes materials, meals, and parking; does not include overnight rooms)

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For more information: contact Jennifer Bloom at [jbloom@civicallyspeaking.org](mailto:jbloom@civicallyspeaking.org)

**REGISTRATION FORM** Send to Learning Law and Democracy Foundation, 987 East Ivy Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55106

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Confirmation information will be mailed to your home address.

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