

FOCUS:

Heroes of Both Genders

- Heroes of Liberty (18th Century)
- Heroes of Freedom (19th Century)
Women's Movement and
Abolition Movement
- Heroes of Equality (20th Century)

Program Methods

- Summer Seminars
- Fall and spring teacher support meetings & book discussions
- Graduate credit for participation, if requested as a grant funded course 3 graduate credits are available from Castleton State College for \$327
- Observation of master teacher & paid release time
- Stipends & paid release time for local conference
- Development of lesson plans based on Vermont and National Standards
- Books on National Standards, classroom books & other benefits

Partners

LEA: Addison-Rutland Supervisory Union and a consortium of three Education Support Agencies, (Southwest ESA, Addison-Rutland Consortium, and Champlain Educator Development Center), Castleton State College, Christ the King School, Rutland Historical Society, Slate Valley Museum, Rokeby Museum, National Women's Center, and Vermont Alliance for the Social Studies

Goals

- Enlarge and enhance teachers' background and understanding of American history
- Improve teacher-practice and student success in American history in the participating schools
- Update and revise American history curriculum in the participating schools
- Develop a recommended collection of American history primary and secondary resources

What You Can Do

- Participate or contact fellow teachers who might be interested
- Obtain a letter of support from your superintendent, principal or fellow teacher

Eligibility

Open to all history/social studies teachers in elementary, middle, and secondary schools in Bennington, Rutland, Addison, Chittenden, Grand Isle, and Franklin counties. Space is limited.



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Grant Program

*The Enduring Legacy
of the
American Revolution:
Liberty, Freedom
and Equality*

Apply Now!

Openings are Still Available

Featured Speakers

2007-2008 Session

Summer Seminar: July 9-13, 2007

- Willard Sterne Randall, Champlain College, Pulitzer Prize nominee for works on Revolutionary heroes, Summer Seminar
- Jacqueline Barbara Carr, UVM, Book Discussion Leader, Fall 2007
- Carol Berkin, Baruch College, CUNY, Book Discussion Leader, Spring 2008

2008-2009 Session

Summer Seminar: July 14-18, 2008

- Donald Yacovone, Research Manager, W.E.B. DuBois Institute, Harvard University, Summer Seminar
- Amy Morsman, Middlebury College, Book Discussion Leader, Fall 2008
- J. William Harris, UNH, Finalist for Publicist Prize in History, Book Discussion Leader, Spring 2009

2009-2010 Session

Summer Seminar: July 13-17, 2009

- William Chafe, Dean of Arts and Sciences, Duke University, Summer Seminar
- Ron Powers, Pulitzer Prize winning author, Book Discussion Leader, Fall 2009
- Lois Wunderley, Castleton State College, Book Discussion Leader, Spring 2010

Special Field Trips

Heroes of the 18th Century

- Premier Bus trip to Saratoga (background also on Battle of Hubbardton)
- Premier Bus trip to Newburgh (site of Newburgh Conspiracy)



Heroes of the 19th Century

- Premier Bus trip to Rokeby Museum (Underground Railroad site)
- Premier Bus trip to Seneca Falls and stay over (National Historic Site of Women's Movement)

Additional Information

Web Site for Current TAH Grant

www.tahvt.org

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Application Forms

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Summer Seminar Lodging

Stay in our residence halls or in local lodging at special seminar rates.
Contact Mary Giordano for details.

Previous TAH Grant Information

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