Summer Workshops
INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT & COOPERATION
August 13-17, 2012

Co-Sponsoring Universities and their International Centers

University of Michigan
(Latin American and Caribbean Studies)
(Russian, East European, & Eurasian Studies)
(South Asian Studies)
(Southeast Asian Studies)

Michigan State University
(African Studies - Asian Studies - CASID-GGC)

Ohio State University
(Middle East Studies)

University of Pittsburgh
(Latin American Studies)

University of Illinois
(European Union Center)

Supporting Universities

University of Illinois
(East Asian and Pacific Studies - Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies)

University of Michigan
(Korean Studies)

University of Pittsburgh
(Russian and East European Studies)
Monday
8:00-9:00 Registration and Refreshments
9:00-9:30 Welcome and Introductions
9:30-10:40 Globalization Then and Now: The Case of DunHuang on the Silk Road
SuiWah Chan, University of Michigan
10:40-10:55 Refreshments Break
10:55-12:00 Globalization and Higher Education
Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute

Tuesday
9:00-10:15 From Zenger to Samizdat to Arab Spring: Social Media & Political Activism
Eric Freedman, Michigan State University
10:15-10:45 Refreshments Break
10:45-12:00 Human Rights, Press Freedom and Democracy in Kyrgyzstan: Will the Third Revolution Make a Real Difference?
Eric Freedman, Michigan State University

Internationalizing the Curriculum
Fran Kubicek and Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute
Wednesday
9:00-10:15  Popular Arab Uprisings in North Africa and the Middle East: International Implications: Part I
           Alam Payind, Ohio State University

10:15-10:45 Refreshments Break

10:45-12:00 Popular Arab Uprisings in North Africa and the Middle East: International Implications: Part II
           Alam Payind, Ohio State University

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:15  The Maoist Movement in India: Causes, Consequences and Solutions
           Badri Rao, Kettering University

2:15-2:45 Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00  The Unfinished Saga of Nation-Building in India: Notes on Secessionist Movements in Kashmir and the North-East
           Badri Rao, Kettering University

Thursday
9:00-10:15  The WTO and Enforcement: Cases and Patterns of China/USA Trade Battles
           Thomas Kostrzewa, Western Michigan University

10:15-10:45 Refreshments Break

10:45-12:00 Nations of Peoples vs. Nation-State: The Case of NW China
           Guven Witteveen, Independent Scholar

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:15  Catching Kony: Helping Students Respond Intelligently to Africa
           David Wiley, Michigan State University

2:15-2:45 Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00  Disorganizing Africa: The Quest for African Resources, African Development, and the War on Terror
           David Wiley, Michigan State University
Friday
9:00-10:15  Curriculum Development Reporting
10:15-10:45  Refreshments Break
10:45-12:00  Curriculum Development Reporting
12:00-1:00  Lunch
1:00-2:30  Curriculum Development Reporting
2:30-2:45  Refreshments Break
2:45-3:30  Debriefing, Evaluation and Wrap-up