Summer Workshops
Languages, Global Communication, Environment & Europe
August 2-6, 2010

Co-Sponsoring Institutions & their International Centers

Michigan State University
(African Studies, Asian Studies, Latin American Studies, and CASID-GGC)

University of Michigan
(East Asia Studies, Middle East & N. African Studies, Latin American & Caribbean Studies)

Ohio State University
(Middle East Studies)

Ohio University
(Southeast Asian Studies)

University of Texas
(Russian, E. European & Eurasian Studies)

University of Illinois
(Russian, East European & Eurasian Center, European Union Center)
Monday

8:00-9:00  Registration and Refreshments
9:00-9:30  Welcome and Introductions
9:30-10:30 Globalization and Higher Education
          Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute
10:30-10:50 Refreshments Break
10:50-12:00 Internationalizing the Curriculum
             Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute
12:00-1:00  Lunch
1:00-2:15  The Road to Pearl Lagoon: Environmental and Social Impacts
           Andrea Allen, Michigan State University
2:15-2:45  Refreshments Break
2:45-4:00  Nature-Based Tourism: Local & Global Expectations for Pearl Lagoon
           Andrea Allen, Michigan State University
4:00-4:30  Facilities Tour

Tuesday

9:00-10:15 Critical Decisions for Natural Resource Management in a Global Society
           Paul Babladelis, Michigan State University
10:15-10:30 Refreshments Break
10:30-11:30 EU: Integration and its Implications for Supranationalism
           Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute
11:30-1:00  Lunch and “Dances, Music & Art Communication from India”
1:00-2:15  Implementing European Environmental Policy (in a Financial Crisis)
           Norman Ghaham & Anna Kirkwood Graham, Michigan State University
2:15-2:45  Refreshments Break
2:45-4:00  Renewable Energy: Now & Forever  
Kandiah Balachandra, Kalamazoo Valley CC

**Wednesday**

9:00-10:15  Languages across the Great Asian World, 500 - 1500: Arabic, Chinese, Persian, Sanskrit, and Turkic  
Stewart Gordon, University of Michigan

10:15-10:45  Refreshments Break

10:45-12:00  Asia’s Big Rivers: Environment, National Boundaries & Development  
Stewart Gordon, University of Michigan

12:00-1:00  Lunch

1:00-2:15  Global Media & International Communication in LICs  
Jo Ellen Fair, University of Wisconsin

2:15-2:45  Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00  Curriculum Development: Process & Resources  
Fran Kubicek & Theo Sypris, Midwest Institute

**Thursday**

9:00-10:15  The Politics of Language and Mass Communications in India  
Badri Rao, Kettering University

10:15-10:45  Refreshments Break

10:45-12:00  Globalization and the Environmental Crisis in India: Problems and Prospects  
Badri Rao, Kettering University

12:00-1:00  Lunch

1:00-2:15  Diversity is Globalization: Seeing others, understanding ourselves  
Guven Witteveen, University of Michigan

2:15-2:45  Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00  Language is Diversity: Shaping what is significant to people  
Guven Witteveen, University of Michigan
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