

MEMORANDUM

TO: Symposium 2008 Participants
FROM: Neil Bolick, Associate Director
DATE: October 15, 2008
SUBJECT: Community College Symposium Information

We are delighted that you will join us for World View's annual community college symposium on November 12 and 13. This year's program will focus on *Globalization and Global Health Issues*. This day-and-a-half event will provide you with insight into a topic central to understanding globalization and vital for community college educators preparing our students for the 21st century. As background for the program, the reading "Health and Globalization" from Globalization101.org is enclosed.

The following information will be helpful as you prepare for the symposium.

1. Hotel Information. We have reserved blocks of rooms for participants at the Hampton Inn (919/968-3000), the Hampton Inn and Suites (919/403-8700), the Holiday Inn (919/929-2171), and the Holiday Inn Express (919/489-7555). Please identify yourself as a UNC World View Symposium participant. If you need more information, please call the World View office at 919/843-8210.

2. Arriving in Chapel Hill. Please see the enclosed map and directions. When you arrive at the Friday Center on the morning of November 12, follow signs to the registration table, where you will check in at the registration table and pick up an information packet and your nametag.

3. Concurrent/Break-out Sessions. All concurrent sessions will be attended on a first come, first served basis. Simply go to the session you wish to attend. Once a session is full, no one else will be admitted to the room. Descriptions of the classroom application sessions are posted on the World View website:
www.unc.edu/world/2008_Symposium/CCSymposium08.htm.

4. Professional Development Contact Hour Certificate / CEU Credit. We will provide a certificate for professional development contact hours (15 contact hours) for those who complete the program and request the certificate. Although CEU credits are not necessary in the community college system, we will provide one and a half (1.5) CEU credits to those that need them to keep licensures or other certificates current. Please contact Neil Bolick if you need a certificate for professional development contact hours or CEU credit.

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5. School Teams and Action Plans. We ask symposium participants to come to the symposium as a team when possible, and each team is asked to draft an action plan to take back to its college and implement. For that purpose, we have set aside an action team meeting on the first day, where a faculty advisor will work with the team as a resource person. A sample action plan and a booklet (*Action Planning for Global Education*) are available for your preparation on our website at www.unc.edu/world/action_plan.shtml. The sample action plan is also enclosed here.

If your team knows what it will focus on during the action team meeting, please send an email to Katharine Lang (khlang@email.unc.edu) so we can match your team's needs to an appropriate faculty advisor. We will send your plan to your college president to encourage support. You may turn in a copy of your action plan at the end of the symposium or, if you prefer, you may take it home to finish and mail it back to World View within two weeks.

Participants who are not part of a team or will not work on an action plan will attend the presentation *Online Resources for Globalizing the Curriculum* by Bobby Hobgood from LEARN NC, UNC-Chapel Hill School of Education.

We look forward to seeing you on November 12th and to working with you to create a global college. If you have questions, please call World View at 919/843-8210.

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