

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY

7th Annual Teaching Asia Conference

**Teaching Asia in a Multicultural and Globalized World:
Opportunities and Challenges**



Fulbright-Hays participants at the Taj Mahal—July 2011

Friday, April 13, 2012

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

1600 Valley Road Campus

Wayne, New Jersey

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9:00 - 9:20	Registration, Light Breakfast/Coffee/Tea
9:20 - 9:30	Welcome Theodore Cook , Professor, Department of History and Asian Studies Program Director William Paterson University
9:30 - 10:45	Keynote Address <i>From Dynasties to Dynamism: Teaching about Current Issues in Asia</i> Monisha Bajaj , Assistant Professor of Education, Department of International & Transcultural Studies Teachers College, Columbia University
11:00 - 12:45	William Paterson University Faculty Panel on Curriculum Development: Diversifying Lesson Plans Moderator: Vidya Kalaramadam Assistant Professor, Department of Women's and Gender Studies Panelists: Heejung An : <i>Using Google Earth to Teach Korean Culture</i> Associate Professor, Department of Elementary & Early Childhood Education Rajender Kaur : <i>Teaching 9/11: South Asian Perspectives</i> Associate Professor, Department of English Ali Mir : <i>Deconstructing "Islam," Interrogating Islamophobia</i> Professor, Department of Marketing and Management Balmurli Natrajan : <i>Connecting the Global and the Local</i> Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology Keumjae Park : <i>Understanding Asian Immigration to the United States</i> Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology Gabe T. Wang : <i>Changing China: Population and Socioeconomic Development</i> Professor, Department of Sociology
12:45 - 1:45	Lunch (Photo session/presentation by FHGPA participants)
2:00 - 3:30	Workshop on Multiculturalism in the Classroom: Experiences from India Djanna Hill , Professor, Department of Secondary and Middle School Education with FHGPA participants
3:30 - 4:00	Wrap-up and Distribution of Teaching Kits and Certificates for Educators

For additional information, please email: Vidya Kalaramadam (kalaramadams@wpunj.edu) or Djanna Hill (hilld@wpunj.edu).

Online Registration Procedures

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Teaching Asia Conference Course Number: E221

Conference Fee: \$25

(includes materials, 6PD contact hours and a certificate)

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