

TO ALL PRINCIPALS/APS: Living Testimony - Discover the American Story of Jewish Refugee Scholars and their African American Students an AAH Advocate/ Social Studies Teacher Workshop

Category: For Your Information

Audience: All Principals/APs, All Teachers

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

Train AAH advocates/social studies teachers on how to effectively implement historical information into the classroom that highlights African American and Jewish History.

- The Department of Social Sciences and the Coral Gables Museum are collaborating to present the workshop, "Living Testimony - Discover the American Story of Jewish Refugee Scholars and their African American Students," featuring special guest and former student, Dr. Donald Cunnigen.
- Workshop topics and activities will include:
 - A viewing of the screening "From Swastika to Jim Crow."
 - The documentary from Swastika to Jim Crow is based on the pioneering research by Gabrielle Edcomb, and was shown on PBS.
 - A guided tour of the exhibit. "Beyond Swastika and Jim Crow" by Dr. Donald Cunnigen, a former student of a Jewish refugee scholar who will provide live testimony to his experience.
- Workshop activities will include but are not limited to:
 - Hands-on activities requiring participants to work in collaboration groups to develop an exemplar lesson for classroom instruction that include common core standard for social studies and how to use the digital device HP900 to enhance their lessons.
- 7 Master Plan Points (MPP) will be awarded accordingly from the professional development office upon receiving confirmation that participants have satisfactorily completed the follow-up exemplar lesson.
- **Workshop date:** Friday, October 24, 2014.
- **Workshop time:** 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- **To receive MPP**, teachers must register online using the District's Professional Development registration system.
- **Interested participants can register for this workshop by accessing the following link:**
http://calendar.dadeschools.net/cal/calendar.nsf/vactivity/2885B67BBF1A4D6085257D42004F5A8D?opendocument&login__
- **Substitute coverage is provided.**
- **Lunch will not be provided**
- **Workshop location:** Coral Gables Museum
- **Address:** 285 Aragon Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134
- **Parking cost:** Free in the Coral Gables Museum Parking Garage
- **Phone number (Coral Gables Museum):** 305 603-8067
- If you have questions or require additional information, please e-mail sherrilyncott@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.

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