FIU's Jack D. Gordon Institute for Public Policy, in collaboration with the Division of Social Sciences, is offering a Program in National Security Studies (PINSS) for senior high school social studies teachers and students.

- The purpose of this program is to develop senior high school students' interest in National Security and its importance and impact in global, national, and local affairs.
- The program consists of two major events: One teacher workshop and one senior high school student simulation.
- The teacher workshop will be utilized to prepare teachers for the student simulation. The dates for the workshop and simulation are as follows:
  - The teacher workshop will be held on Thursday, October 4, 2012 from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. FIU's main campus (room TBA).
  - To register for the workshop, please log onto the PD Menu and Registration System, click on find a session, by instructor, Brazofsky, and find the session titled: Social Studies Best Practices - PINSS.
  - It is the expectation that if teachers register for the workshop, they are committed to bringing students to the student simulation.
  - Substitute funding structure will be sent to registered participants separately.
- The student simulation will be on Wednesday, November 14, 2012 at FIU's University Campus Graham Center Ballroom. Substitute coverage will be provided for teachers attending the student simulation. Details for the student simulation will also be provided at the teacher training.
- Participating teachers will receive 7 Master Plan Points upon completion of all program requirements.
- The workshop and simulation is limited to 30 teacher participants.
- Senior High Schools are asked to allow no more than 1 teacher from their school to register.
- Senior High Schools are encouraged to allow secondary teachers of U.S. Government/Economics and/or World History to participate.
- If you need additional information, please email rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.

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