

**Department of History**

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Call for Applications:

World Histories from Below: Teacher Training Workshop

When: Saturday April 7, 2012

Where: Illini Union

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

9am-5pm

This workshop is designed for social studies teachers in grades 6-12 who teach, or plan to teach, world history. It's also open to those who are looking for ways of globalizing their existing courses. We will focus on curricular strategies for creative world history teaching, specifically by modeling ways to incorporate materials that deal with the global south (the geographical below) and non-elites (the structural below). Sessions will be led by Professor Heather Streets, Northeastern University; Professor Gabriel Solis, University of Illinois School of Music; and Steven Buenning, of William Fremd High School in Palatine, Illinois.

“World Histories from Below” is a multi-year initiative sponsored by the Department of History at the University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign. Check us out at <http://worldhistoriesfrombelow.org/>.

**The workshop is generously funded by the Provost's Initiative on Teaching Advancement and the Office of Public Engagement.**

Illinois teachers are eligible for CPDU professional development credit for attendance.

Stipends of \$150 will be awarded to all participants. There is no travel reimbursement.

To apply for the workshop please send the form below to [sell4@illinois.edu](mailto:sell4@illinois.edu) by January 15, 2012. Applications will be reviewed and the participants notified by February 10, 2012.

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Application Form

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Name:

Home Address:

School in which you teach:

School address:

Email:

Phone:

Courses taught:

Short essay (500 words maximum): Please detail your experiences in teaching world history and/or your interest in the workshop. What role will it play in your development as a classroom teacher? What are you looking for in terms of strategies for presentation and student learning? Are there specific subjects or questions you would like to see covered?