

Friends of International Education, Inc. Week of February 25.

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1. International Education Conference
Australia, Costa Rica, Nepal, Puerto Rico—still looking for somewhere to travel this summer? BE SURE to attend the session presented by the Friends of International Education, Inc., on Teacher Travel Opportunities at the WCSS/IEC Conference in Middleton on March 31, April 1. The session will be Monday morning, March 31.

For information go to the website of the Wisconsin Council of Social Studies,

www.wcss-wi.org

2. Global Educator Graduate Certificate Program
It's not too late to start planning for summer/fall 2008!!! Study abroad and earn graduate credits. Compare education systems around the world and engage in global research. Learn cutting edge approaches on how to teach Global Citizenship and develop an appreciation for bilingual/bicultural education. Combine this program with a Master's Degree in Educational Leadership and enhance your teaching.

Do all this and more while pursuing the Global Educator Graduate Certificate Program at UW Oshkosh.

Contact Courtney Bauder at bauderc@uwosh.edu or go to the UW Oshkosh Global Educator Graduate Certificate Program website www.uwosh.edu/globaled

3. Teaching the Holocaust: Lessons for the Future

On Sunday, March 2 through Monday, March 3, 2008, the Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center will host the Ateret Cohn Holocaust Educators Symposium Teaching the Holocaust: Lessons for the Future for middle and high school teachers at the UW-Milwaukee. RENOWNED HOLOCAUST SCHOLAR AND AUTHOR DEBORAH LIPSTADT TO GIVE KEYNOTE ADDRESS. The goal of the conference is to present a variety of pedagogical strategies to best teach today's students about the history and ethical issues of the Holocaust and contemporary genocide.

The registration fee for teachers is \$75.00 (includes five meals) and \$25.00 for university students. Pre-registration is required. For more information call (414) 963-2719 or sign up online at www.milwaukeejewish.org.

4. From the Nobel Peace Prize acceptance speech (Al Gore)
The great Norwegian playwright, Henrik Ibsen, wrote, "One of these days, the younger generation will come knocking at my door." The future is knocking at our door right now. Make no mistake, the next generation will ask us one of two questions. Either they will ask: "What were you thinking; why didn't you act?" Or they will ask instead: "How did you find the moral courage to rise and successfully resolve a crisis that so many said was impossible to solve?" We have everything we need to get started, save perhaps political will, but political will is a renewable resource. So let us renew it, and say together: "We have a purpose. We are many. For this purpose we will rise, and we will act."

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