

FREE ONE-DAY WORKSHOPS ON TENNESSEE

A Refreshing Look at the Geography and History of Tennessee

Knoxville, TN – Monday, June 2, 2008

Murfreesboro, TN – Tuesday, June 17, 2008

Memphis, TN – Wednesday, June 18, 2008

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The Tennessee Geographic Alliance

- Times for Workshops: 8:30am – 3:30pm (Local time)
- Locations of Workshop: Knoxville – Burchfiel Geography Building – UT Campus
Murfreesboro – Kirksey Old Main – MTSU Campus
Memphis – Teaching and Learning Academy
- Persons Eligible to Apply: All Tennessee K-12 teachers and pre-service teachers
- Deadline for Applications: Deadline is May 19, 2008 for receipt of Knoxville applications
Deadline is June 2, 2008 for receipt of Murfreesboro and Memphis applications
- Primary Presenters: Dr. Peggy Gripshover, Professor of Geography at the University of Tennessee and Dr. Carole Bucy, Professor of History at Volunteer State Community College
- Content and Benefits: Both Dr. Gripshover and Dr. Bucy are dynamic lecturers and their presentations are innovative, informative and more than a little entertaining.

In Dr. Gripshover's presentation "You are Here: Targeting TCAP Skills Using the TENNESSEE: A GEOGRAPHIC PERSPECTIVE Map" she will provide a quick refresher on our state's geography. She will then assist you in teaching your students to: 1) understand how to interpret maps, including absolute and relative location, 2) locate major geographic features, 3) identify the physical and political boundaries of Tennessee, 4) identify and compare landform, climate, and natural resources of the three Grand Divisions, and 5) understand the relationships between physical and cultural characteristics of regions. Participants will take away lesson plans, teaching strategies and a classroom set of the TENNESSEE: A GEOGRAPHIC PERSPECTIVE maps.

In her presentation, Dr. Bucy presents innovative ways to link major events in Tennessee's history to those of American History so that you can bring history "home" to your students. She includes liberal use of maps and geographic techniques as well as language arts skills.

- Application Submission: Send application (included on the back of this announcement) and \$25 refundable deposit (checks made to Tennessee Geographic Alliance) to Kurt Butefish, 304 Burchfiel Geography Building, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN 37996-0925.
- Questions and Information: Kurt Butefish, 865-974-4841 or kbutefis@utk.edu

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Refunds made to attendees who complete the workshop.

Please Check One

I am applying for the: Knoxville Workshop
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 Memphis Workshop

Name _____

Home Address _____
Street and No. City State Zip

Home Phone _____ - _____ - _____ Work Phone _____ - _____ - _____

School _____

E-Mail _____

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