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## Stockton to Host NJ Humanities Council Teacher Institute

*Seminars Available on a Variety of Topics*

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**Galloway Township, NJ-** The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey is hosting a month-long residential program for teachers throughout New Jersey.

The New Jersey Council for the Humanities Teacher Institute, with seminars running from July 5 through July 31, offers teachers professional development credits, a stipend with a curriculum project, and a stipend and graduate credits with a research paper by attendees.

"Stockton is thrilled to be hosting this excellent professional development program in conjunction with the New Jersey Council for the Humanities," said Dr. Harvey Kesselman, Stockton's Dean of Education. "Teachers will benefit greatly not only from the Institute's programming, but from the opportunity to network with outstanding scholars and teaching colleagues," Kesselman continued.

Programs include "The 20<sup>th</sup> Century African American Experience," "Washington and Lincoln: Presidents and Slavery," "Coming of Age Literature," and "Literature and Democracy."

Kesselman said the institute includes lectures, field trips, discussions, films, writing workshops, and curriculum planning sessions. "Teachers attending the residential Institute may earn up to 45 professional development credits and receive stipends of \$250 for their participation," he said.

In addition to the New Jersey Council for the Humanities, funding for the programs is supported by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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