

Summer Workshops

Global Communication, International Disputes & Conflict



August 9-13, 2004

Monday

8:00-9:00

Registration and Refreshments

9:00-9:30

Welcome and Introductions

9:30-10:30

**Alternative Strategies for Globalization of the Curriculum:
Learning from the Past**

Michael Schechter, Michigan State University

10:30-10:50

Refreshments Break

10:50-12:00

**The Context of Our Undertaking: Internationalization, Globalization
or Empire?**

Michael Schechter, Michigan State University

12:00-1:00

Lunch

1:00-2:30

Foreign Language and the International Curriculum

Margo Glew, Michigan State University

2:30-2:50

Refreshments Break

2:50-4:00

Language and Culture for Non-Language Courses

Margo Glew, Michigan State University

4:00-4:45

Organizational Meeting and Facilities Tour

Tuesday

9:00-10:30

**What has Culture got to do with it? Techniques and Topics
of Intercultural Communication**

Guen Witteveen, University of Michigan, CJS

10:30-10:45

Refreshments Break

10:45-12:00

**The Globalization Syndrome and the Transformation of the Media in
Africa**

Folu Ogundimu, Michigan State University

12:00-1:00

Lunch

1:00-2:10

**Conflict in Somalia and the Horn of Africa: Causes, Responses, and
Prospects for Peace**

Carolyn Logan, Michigan State University

2:10-2:30

Refreshments Break

2:30-4:00

Conflict and Democratization in Africa

4:00-4:45 Carolyn Logan, Michigan State University
Meeting of Curriculum Development Groups

Wednesday

9:00-10:30 **Religious Fundamentalism and Conflict : An Examination of their Causes and Consequences**

Badrinath Rao, Kettering University

10:30-10:50 Refreshments Break

10:50-12:00 **Religious Fundamentalism and Conflict in South Asia**

Badrinath Rao, Kettering University

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:30 **The Sharon Plan, The Roadmap and the Wall: The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict**

Irving Birkner, University of Chicago

2:30-2:45 Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00 **Historical Roots of the Kosovo Conflict**

Jim Tallon, University of Chicago

4:00-4:45 **Meeting of Curriculum Development Groups**

Thursday

9:00-10:30 **Cooperation and Conflict into the 21st Century: Patterns and History Lessons**

Alam Payind, Ohio State University

10:30-10:50 Refreshments Break

10:50-12:00 **Burmese/Myanmar Educational Crises & Conflict**

Han Han Thi, Michigan State University

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:10 **The Communications Gap between America and the Muslim World**

Larry Pintak, University of Michigan

2:10-2:30 Refreshments Break

2:30-4:00 **The al-Jazeera Effect: Changing Shape of the Global Media**

Larry Pintak, University of Michigan

4:00-4:45 **Meeting of Curriculum Development Groups**

Friday

9:00-10:30 **Access to Information, Human Rights, and Press Freedom in Latin America**

Manuel Chavez, Michigan State University

10:30-10:50 Refreshments Break

10:50-12:00 **Communication and Democracy in Latin America: The Case of Venezuela and Cuba**

Manuel Chavez, Michigan State University

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:30 **Meeting of Curriculum Development Groups**

2:30-2:45 Refreshments Break

2:45-4:00 **Debriefing and Wrap-up**