

## APPLICATION

### DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE TEACHERS AS SCHOLARS APPLICATION

The Teachers as Scholars Program is open to all school district teachers subject to local school district policy and selection criteria. Teachers wishing to participate in Teachers as Scholars seminars must complete the district application form located on the following page and return it to their TAS district leader listed in this brochure.

School district leaders will select one participant for each seminar which is offered during the semester and email the name and contact information for the participants to [step@tcnj.edu](mailto:step@tcnj.edu) or via fax at 609.637.5196. The Office of the Director will confirm the seminar selections and will distribute the information and materials pertaining to the seminar to each registered participant.

Registration protocols and procedures:

- Each PDSN district is guaranteed one registration (one seat) per seminar. If additional seats are available, districts will be informed and will be permitted to register more than one registrant in the same seminar.
- A minimum of 10 registered participants are required to offer a seminar.
- Seminars may require participants to do some reading or preparation prior to attending.
- PLEASE BE SURE TO LIST THE EXACT MAILING ADDRESS OF ALL REGISTRANTS. Registration forms without this information cannot be processed and will be returned to the district.

Cost of materials and books will be paid by TCNJ. All seminars will feature coffee and conversation from 8:30–9 a.m. The seminars will begin at 9 a.m. and conclude at 3 p.m. Lunch will be provided.

Questions pertaining to Teachers as Scholars can be addressed to the Office of the Director at 609.771.2408 or via email ([step@tcnj.edu](mailto:step@tcnj.edu)).

### APPLICATION FOR TEACHERS AS SCHOLARS

**Please note the above application directions.** Applications for the fall semester offerings must be submitted to TCNJ's STEP Office by your school district leader no later than September 14, 2018. Please provide ALL of the requested information. Incomplete registration forms cannot be processed and will be returned.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

*Mail all correspondence and reading materials to the following address:*

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE LEVEL/CONTENT AREA \_\_\_\_\_

*Registration Fees:*

☐ My district is a PDSN member. (There is no fee for teachers from PDSN member districts.)

☐ My district is not a PDSN member but is interested in being considered as an applicant to attend the TAS seminars.

If your district is not a PDSN member, please pay by purchase order or check. Please make checks payable to "The College of New Jersey."  
The cost of each seminar for each registrant is \$200.

Purchase Order # \_\_\_\_\_ or Enclosed Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

CONFIRMATION AND ROOM ASSIGNMENT WILL BE EMAILED AND MAILED TO THE REGISTRANT.

## SELECT SEMINAR CHOICES

Each seminar is limited to 20 participants. If seats are available, districts will be informed and permitted to register more than one teacher in a seminar. Each seminar requires 10 registrants to warrant its offering.

Please check the seminar(s) you wish to attend:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 1</b><br><b>TRANSGENDER FILM</b><br>Leader: Juda Bennett<br>Dates: October 9 and 16, 2018   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 9</b><br><b>DESIGN THINKING FOR THE CLASSROOM</b><br>Leader: Belinda Haikes<br>Dates: January 23 and 30, 2019   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 2</b><br><b>CREATING AGENTS OF CHANGE (WHILE PREPARING FOR STANDARDIZED TESTS)</b><br>Leader: Maureen Connolly<br>Dates: October 12 and 19, 2018                | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 10</b><br><b>MAKERSPACES</b><br>Leader: John Kuiphoff<br>Dates: January 29 and February 5, 2019   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 3</b><br><b>THERE'S A DEAF CHILD IN MY CLASS</b><br>Leader: Lynn Z. Smith<br>Dates: October 22 and 29, 2018   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 11</b><br><b>THE CAUSES AND CONSEQUENCES OF WRONGFUL CONVICTION</b><br>Leader: Margaret Leigey<br>Dates: February 12 and 19, 2019                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 4</b><br><b>ON-LINE LI(V)ES: AUTOBIOGRAPHY AND SOCIAL MEDIA</b><br>Leader: Lisa Ortiz-Vilarelle<br>Dates: October 26 and November 2, 2018                       | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 12</b><br><b>EXPLORING ECONOMIC JUSTICE THROUGH PHILOSOPHY, GAMES, FILM AND FICTION!</b><br>Leader: James Stacey Taylor<br>Dates: March 6 and 13, 2019      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 5</b><br><b>MAKERSPACES</b><br>Leader: John Kuiphoff<br>Dates: November 5 and 13, 2018  | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 13</b><br><b>TEACHING SCIENCE THROUGH ISSUES</b><br>Leader: Christopher Murphy<br>Dates: March 7 and 14, 2019   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 6</b><br><b>NARRATIVES EVER AFTER: FAIRY TALES AND FOLK TALES FROM THE RENAISSANCE TO THE POSTMODERN</b><br>Leader: Jo Carney<br>Dates: December 4 and 11, 2018 | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 14</b><br><b>DYSTOPIAN VISIONS</b><br>Leader: Jean E. Graham<br>Dates: April 1 and 8, 2019  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 7</b><br><b>eHEALTH LITERACY: ESSENTIAL SKILLS FOR NAVIGATING THE DIGITAL HEALTH WORLD</b><br>Leader: Yifeng Hu<br>Dates: December 12 and 19, 2018              | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 15</b><br><b>STEPPING OUT OF MY COMFORT ZONE! RAISING INTERCULTURAL AWARENESS THROUGH MINI ETHNOGRAPHY</b><br>Leader: Yifeng Hu<br>Dates: May 2 and 9, 2019 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SEMINAR 8</b><br><b>DEVELOPING STUDENTS WITH A THINKING MIND</b><br>Leader: Alex Pan<br>Dates: January 17 and 24, 2019  |   |