

## Red River & You Teachers Institute

The 2007 institute will include educational activities and tours of eco-regions in lower basin locales. We will also be taking a look at the Winnipeg area as it is part of the Red River Basin. Hear and learn from some of the area's foremost experts on the Red River watershed.

### Highlights:

- Watershed science
- Indigenous populations & history with resources from the Canadian Reservations
- Eco-region discovery-Science of water treatment for human use
- Euro-American settlement & cultural traditions

Join us as we explore the unique and varied features of the Red River watershed and explore the history, culture, water quality and quantity of the Winnipeg area.



### Participant Benefits:

Institute instruction includes hands-on, minds-on participation through watershed science, history, culture, curriculum-based water and cultural history activities, interpretive tours, field experience, educational strategy discussions and a connection to resources available to teachers and educators including:

- Nationally recognized and accredited curriculum resources.
- Opportunity to learn about local watershed materials and resources.
- Red River cultural and historical resource/reference materials.
- Red River & You Teachers Institute souvenir items.

### Course Objectives:

- To help educators understand and incorporate Red River of the North watershed education activities into their learning outcomes.
- To enhance knowledge, skills, and motivation of teachers and educators to teach about our local watershed and its importance in the science, history, geography, and cultural aspects of the Red River watershed.
- To get connected with educational resources available to teach watershed education concepts.
- To enhance creative thinking and problem-solving skills while learning about the value of the Red River basin in sustaining human culture.
- To meet educators from Minnesota, Manitoba, and North Dakota who live and teach in the Red River watershed.
- To expand learning across the grade span of students.



## Registration Form July 15-19, 2007

Registrations and full payment must be received before  
June 15, 2007 to reserve a spot.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Subject Taught \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any special medical or other condition that  
could limit your participation?  Yes  No

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**The \$200 registration fee paid prior to June 15, 2007**  
includes meals, lodging, materials, & transportation.  
If taking for credit, total cost is \$350.

Registrations with full payment are on a space available basis  
after June 15, 2007. A \$25 fee will be charged to cancellations  
prior to June 15. After June 15, the fee is \$100.  
No refunds after July 1, 2007.

I am interested in credit from NDSU/UND.

Make checks payable to: International Water Institute  
(note new address!) 1301 12<sup>th</sup> Ave N Box 5057  
Fargo, ND 58105

Method of payment:  Check  Credit Card

Card number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ V code on back \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Requests for accommodations related to disability should be  
made to Kim Belgrade at (701)277-8990 by June 1, 2007.



### Participants Seeking Credit:

Credit options are available through NDSU & UND for 3 graduate semester credits. If taking this course for credit, the total fee is \$350.00.

Scholarships may be available from your local county water resource district, natural resources agency, or organizations such as Soil Conservation Districts. Schools and/or regional teacher centers may have Eisenhower funds.

Manitoba participants contact Bob Laidler at Oak Hammock Marsh (203)467-3222.



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