

July 30-August 4, 2006



# California Great Teachers Seminar

La Casa De Maria, Santa Barbara

## What They Say...

"The Great Teachers Seminar was an enlightening adventure that all should have." L. Hargrove, Sierra College

*"The wealth of ideas from many disciplines was really energizing. I used two ideas from the seminar during the first two weeks and received kudos from students via email for one and a spontaneous ovation in class for another. It was a great experience all around."* C. Wolfsen, College of the Redwoods

"The most effective elements were the honest and uninhibited exchanged of ideas, the fact that participants came from all disciplines, and the focus on solutions rather than problems." D. Keller, Modesto Junior College

*"I can honestly say that the California Great Teachers Seminar was the single best education seminar that I have experienced. The format of the seminar itself is a prime example of how to successfully promote collaboration and creativity."* Lena Chang, De Anza College

"The seminar celebrated us and our commitment to our students. As the week went on, we were more willing to take risks, we became more confident in our teaching, and felt ready to begin a new year. We discovered that we are all great teachers because we care for our students."  
Donna Wedell, Cerritos College

*"The warm, friendly and fun environment of the seminar is ideal in which to share and learn. Even in the first few weeks of the new semester I used at least fourteen strategies, techniques, and ideas from the seminar in my courses."* J. Dominik, San Joaquin Delta College

## Who should attend

Faculty who are

- ❖ Full and part-time
- ❖ Teaching and non-teaching
- ❖ New and experienced
- ❖ From all disciplines

## Benefits

- ❖ Optional 2 units of post-baccalaureate credit
- ❖ Re-energize and renew
- ❖ Tons of ideas for for teaching
- ❖ Find the "great teacher" within

## Register Now!

Detailed seminar information is at  
[www.ccleague.org/cgts](http://www.ccleague.org/cgts)



## Seminar Arrangements

The seminar begins at 4:30 PM on Sunday, July 30 and ends at 1:00 PM on Friday, August 4. The nature of the seminar requires full attendance and participants should plan travel arrangements around those times. A packet of information to help in preparing for the seminar will be mailed to each registered participant beginning in late May and available online at [www.ccleague.org/cgts](http://www.ccleague.org/cgts).

## The Staff

**David Gottshall**, director of GT seminars across the nation and Canada, will direct the California Great Teachers Seminar, assisted by experienced community college faculty facilitators.

Seminar Coordinator: **Cindra J. Smith, Ed.D.**  
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## Registration and Fees

To ensure a quality experience, enrollment is limited to 60 faculty from a variety of disciplines and programs. Colleges are welcome to send more than one faculty member to the seminar. Reservations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. *Due to space and other limitations, no family members may attend.*

The seminar fee (\$875—double occupancy) includes lodging costs, all meals but one (dinner Wednesday evening), and materials.

A limited number of single rooms are available for an additional \$200. Requests **MUST** be accompanied by a check or purchase order, which will be returned if we are unable to fill your request.

## The Site

La Casa de Maria is a beautiful retreat center located in the rolling hills above Santa Barbara. Participants live in rustic but comfortable quarters on 25-acre grounds with gardens, orchards, a swimming pool, and tennis, volleyball, and basketball courts. Hiking, beach activities, museums, and shops are located nearby.

*The seminar is cosponsored by the Community College League of California, the Faculty Association of California Community Colleges, and the Academic Senate for the California Community Colleges*

**No refunds will be given for cancellations made after Friday, July 14th**

# Registration Deadline: June 30, 2006

## Registration Information

(Please complete all sections; typing or printing clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Discipline: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

College Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

College Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

College Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

- Enclosed is \$875 for the seminar
- Enclosed is \$50 reservation fee; the balance will be paid by June 30, 2006
- I plan on registering for 2 units of post-baccalaureate level credit at the seminar. *(Do not send payment with this registration. Payment of the \$100 fee will be collected at the seminar.)*

Return completed registration with check **payable to Community College League of California** to:

**Community College League: CGTS**  
2017 O Street  
Sacramento CA 95814

## Housing Information

Please complete all sections. *Roommates are matched using discipline, college, age range, and other factors.*

- **Gender:**       Male       Female
- **Age Range:**     24-34       35-44  
                          45-54       55+
- **Special Dietary Considerations:**
  - Strict Vegetarian (no fowl, fish, or dairy)
  - Medically RestrictedPlease describe \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- **Mobility Concerns:**
  - Yes, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- **Single Room Request**
  - Yes, \$200 fee must be enclosed       No
- **Snorer:**       Yes       No
- **Smoker:** There is no smoking in any of the rooms.
  - Yes       No
- **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

***Please retain a copy of completed registration form for your records***

### PAYMENT RECEIVED:

Amount \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Cash     Check \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_