



Freedom and the American Political Tradition

Educators Cohort - Summer Institute

August 1-4, 2022
New-York Historical Society



Monday, August 1: *What is the relationship between equality and freedom?*

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| 12:00 - 12:40pm | Lunch |
| 12:40 - 1:30pm | Welcome and Introductions |
| 1:30 - 3:00pm | Political and Philosophic Foundations of the Declaration of Independence <i>Professor Daniel DiSalvo, City College of New York</i> |
| 3:00 - 3:15pm | Break |
| 3:15 - 4:15pm | Cultivating Purposeful Civic Education <i>Nina Taub and Tiphonie Shoemaker, Civic Spirit</i> |
| 4:15 - 4:45pm | Closing reflection |

Tuesday, August 2: *What kind of constitution best preserves liberty?*

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| 8:15 - 8:45am | Breakfast |
| 8:45 - 9:15am | Opening circle |
| 9:15 - 10:45am | Liberty and American Constitutionalism (The Federalist/Anti-Federalist Debate) <i>Professor Lynn Uzzell, Washington and Lee University</i> |
| 10:45 - 11:00am | Break |
| 11:00 - 12:30pm | How a Bill of Rights Secures Liberty <i>Professor Lynn Uzzell, Washington and Lee University</i> |
| 12:30 - 1:30pm | Lunch |
| 1:30 - 4:15pm | Teaching with Artifacts at the New-York Historical Society <i>Leah Charles-Edouard, Jenni Rein, and Grace Wagner, New-York Historical Society</i> |
| 4:15 - 4:45pm | Closing reflection |

Wednesday, August 3: *Is America a Nation Conceived in Liberty?*

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| 8:15 - 8:40am | Breakfast |
| 8:40 - 9:15am | Opening circle |
| 9:15 - 10:45am | Frederick Douglass on the Constitution: an “agreement with hell” or a “glorious liberty document” <i>Professor Diana Schaub, Loyola University Maryland</i> |
| 10:45 - 11:00am | Break |
| 11:00 - 12:30pm | Abraham Lincoln and the Civil War: the “new birth of freedom” and “charity for all” <i>Professor Diana Schaub, Loyola University Maryland</i> |
| 12:30 - 1:30pm | Lunch |
| 1:30 - 2:30pm | Building a Dialogic Classroom <i>Tiphonie Shoemaker, Civic Spirit</i> |
| 2:30 - 2:45pm | Break |
| 2:45 - 4:15pm | Reframing Divisive Topics through Dialogue <i>Tiphonie Shoemaker, Civic Spirit</i> |
| 4:15 - 4:45pm | Closing reflection |
| 5:00 - 7:00pm | Night at the Museum (optional) |

Thursday, August 4, 2022: *Religion and democracy: friends or foes?*

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| 8:15 - 8:40am | Breakfast |
| 8:40 - 9:15am | Opening circle |
| 9:15 - 10:45am | The Lincoln-Douglas Debates and the Nature of Democratic Freedom <i>Professor Vincent Phillip Muñoz, University of Notre Dame</i> |
| 10:45 - 11:00am | Break |
| 11:00 - 12:30pm | What is Religion’s Role in Securing Democratic Freedom? <i>Professor Vincent Phillip Muñoz, University of Notre Dame</i> |
| 12:30 - 1:15pm | Lunch |
| 1:15 - 2:30pm | Now What? <i>Nina Taub and Tiphonie Shoemaker, Civic Spirit</i> |
| 2:30 - 3:00pm | Closing reflection |