

**COUNCIL OF STATE SOCIAL STUDIES SPECIALISTS
ANNUAL MEETING/CONFERENCE
NOVEMBER 10-12, 2009
OMNI HOTEL, ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

Tuesday

- 3:30-4:30 Executive committee meeting
- 4:45-5:15 new member meeting
- 5:30 meet in Omni lobby
 - travel to Federal Reserve Bank
- 6:00-9:00 tour, talk, and Dinner at Atlanta Federal Reserve Bank (ticketed event)

Wednesday

- 8:00 - 8:45 Breakfast (ticketed event)
- 9:00 - 9:45 Getting to Know the Gilder Lehrman Institute (Anthony Napoli)
- 9:45 - 11:00 Business meeting I
- 11:00 - 11:45 Opportunity Gap in Social Studies Education (Brenda Barr)
- 12:00 - 1:00 Lunch program (ticketed event)
- 1:15 - 5:00 programs
 - 1:15 - 2:00 Goethe Institute: A TOP Update For CS4: Goethe Institute's Transatlantic Outreach Program
 - 2:00 - 2:45 Hey! What's the Big Idea? (Alberta Ministry of Education, Tim Coates)
 - 2:45 - 3:00 BREAK
 - 3:00 - 3:45 Comparing Political Identities: A Case Study Between Armenian and American Youth
 - 3:45 - 4:45 The State of Social Studies (Panel Discussion)
- 6:00 dinner and program (ticketed event)

Thursday

- 8:00 - 8:45 Breakfast (ticketed event)
- 9:00 - 10:00 Georgia State Superintendent of Schools Kathy Cox
- 10:00 - 11:00 Business meeting II
- 11:00 - 12:00 Colonial Williamsburg: The Idea of America
- 12:00 - 1:00 Lunch (ticketed event)
- 1:15 - 5:00 programs
 - 1:15 - 2:00 Archaeology: A Powerful Social Studies Curriculum
 - 2:00 - 2:45 American Red Cross: Empowering Students to Understand Armed Conflict in a New World
 - 2:45 - 3:00 BREAK
 - 3:00 - 3:45 Social Studies Assessment
 - 3:45 - 4:30 Bill of Rights Institute: A View of Online Professional Development Programs and Social Studies
 - 4:45 - 5:00 conference reflection
- 6:00 dinner and gift exchange

Friday

- 8:00 -10:00 Executive board planning
- 3:45 - 6:00 pm Joint Panel Discussion International Committee and CS4 Global Competency and Social Studies