

PARTICIPANT APPLICATION FORM

Michigan Technological University ~ Teacher Professional Development

Forest Ecology & Resources

Teacher Institute ~ July 9 – July 13, 2012

Application Deadline: June 1, 2012

Complete BOTH pages of the application. Type or print clearly in ink. **Enrollment is limited to 20 participants.** The off-campus registration fee for the 5-day Institute is \$485 for both Michigan and out-of-state residents and includes five lunches, instruction, field trips, classroom materials, plus **three graduate credits from Michigan Tech.** The on-campus registration fee is \$725 which includes four nights lodging, Monday-Thursday, and all meals Monday lunch through Friday lunch. Generous support from the Michigan Forest Foundation, along with a stipend from the School of Forest Resources and Environmental Sciences reduces the total tuition cost for both Michigan and out-of-state participants (the official 2011-12 Michigan Tech Graduate Resident and Non-Resident tuition cost is \$457 per credit). **Full payment is due June 1. Make checks payable to: Michigan Tech University D93723. To pay by credit card, call the MTU cashier (906- 487-2247) and specify that your payment is for the Forestry Institute. Refunds only if the space is filled.**

Name: _____ E-mail: _____
First Last

Home Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Work Phone: () _____ Home Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____

Place of Employment: _____

Employer's Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Subject Areas Taught: _____ Grades Taught: _____

Degree(s) Earned/Areas of Teacher Certification: _____

Return BOTH pages of your completed application by June 1, 2012 to:

Joan Chadde, Course Coordinator
Western U.P. Center for Science, Mathematics and Environmental Education
105 Dillman Hall - Michigan Technological University
1400 Townsend Dr., Houghton, MI 49931
Tel: 906-487-3341 Fax: 906-487-1620 Website: <http://wupcenter.mtu.edu/>

This Institute is made possible with generous support from the Michigan Forest Foundation.

Meals & Accommodations: Forest Ecology & Resources Teacher Institute

Participants will stay on campus in Michigan Tech's new Hillside Place Residence Hall 4-person suites with two bathrooms, kitchen and living room, and receive all meals, Monday through Friday in Wadsworth Hall. Please indicate your preference below:

- I plan to stay on campus Monday-Thursday nights. (Total cost \$725)
- I plan to stay off campus (Total cost \$485).

Please provide contact information for your off-campus housing (in case of emergency):

- I will need a room for Sunday night before the course begins. (\$40/night additional)
- I will need a room for Friday night after the course ends. (\$40/night additional)
- I have additional housing needs. List dates: _____
- I have special dietary needs.* Describe: _____

* Vegetarian options are available for every meal.

I heard about this Institute from (check ALL boxes that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Friend, colleague | <input type="checkbox"/> Math/science center in Michigan |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher or school administrator | <input type="checkbox"/> Michigan Science Teachers Association |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Website: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> List-serve _____(name) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Journal advertisement: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Local newspaper | |

I have / have not (please circle) **taken courses previously at Michigan Technological University.**

I plan to take this Institute for (check one box):

- Non-degree seeking credit (i.e. for permanent teacher certification renewal)
- Currently enrolled in a graduate program at MTU: _____(department)
- Currently enrolled in a graduate program at another university: _____
- I do not want to enroll for MTU credit, but will complete all of the assignments.

As an Institute participant, I agree to:

- 1) Read and respond to all preparatory materials and communications prior to the Institute.
- 2) Fully participate in each day of the Institute.
- 3) Develop a teaching unit related to the Institute topics to implement during the 2011-12 school year.
- 4) Give my permission for any original work that I may produce as a result of my participation in the Institute (including my teaching unit and all materials submitted for credit), to be published in any format by Michigan Tech University (MTU) and the Western UP Center for Science, Mathematics & Environmental Education.
- 5) Allow photos of myself taken during the Institute to be used in publications, electronic media, presentations, and demonstrations, and to use my name if pictures are published.
- 6) The release of my name, mailing address, and email address to other participants in this Institute.

Applicant's Signature

Date