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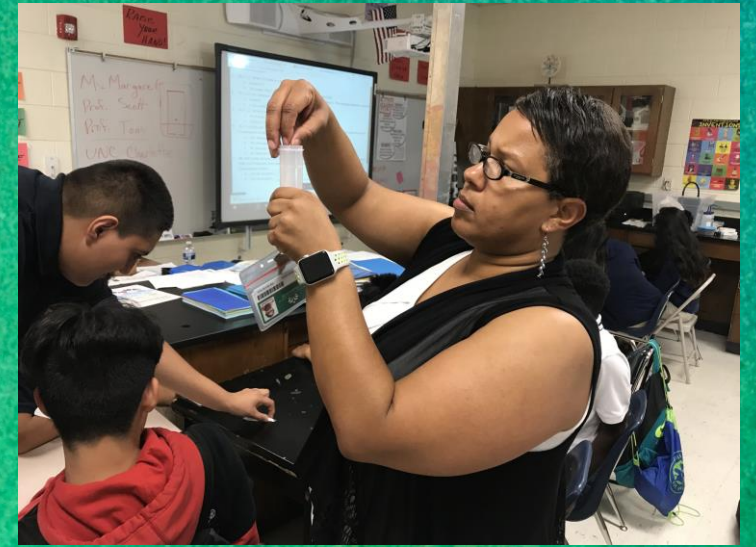


# Welcome

John Boyer, President and CEO  
Bechtler Museum of Modern Art





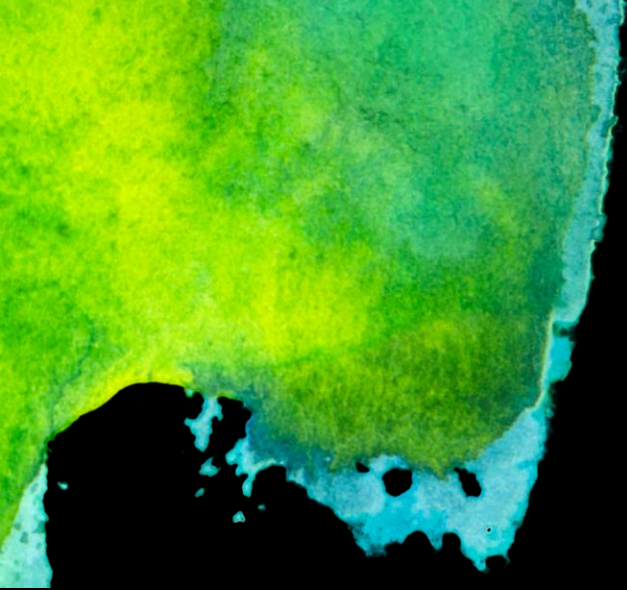


# University-School Partnership

Tonya Faison, Principal  
James Martin Middle School







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# By the Numbers

- 93 Fellows from 44 CMS schools
- 29 ES, 21 MS and 43 HS
- 54 new Fellows to CTI; 39 veteran
- Together.....
  - ✓ you have taught for 1,042 years (avg. 11 yr/F)
  - ✓ you plan to remain teaching in CMS for more than 900 years (nearly avg. 10 yr/F)
  - ✓ you teach 14,150 CMS students in PreK-12
  - ✓ you plan to share your unit with 351 teachers



# Units, CEUs & Stipends

**Scott Gartlan**

Executive Director



# CTI Leadership Opportunities

**Pam Shembo**

5<sup>th</sup> Grade French Immersion Teacher

E.E. Waddell Language Academy



# CTI Teacher Leader Roles

## **Steering Committee Member**

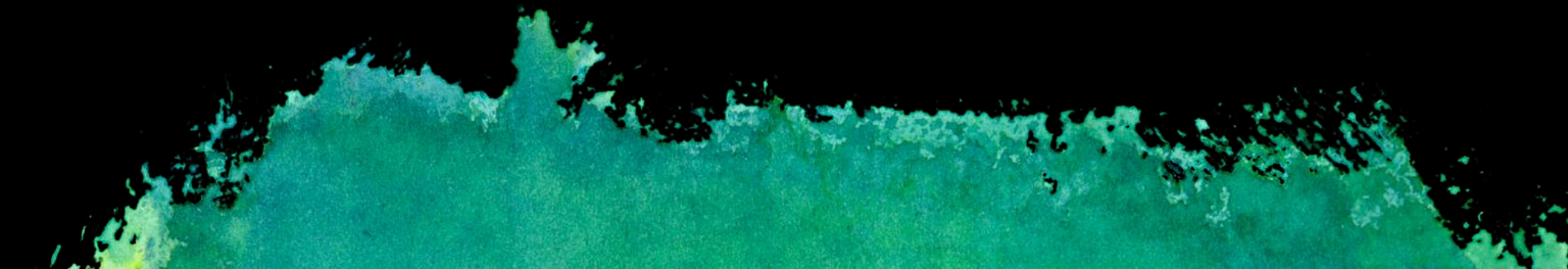
*Shape the future of CTI*

## **Seminar Coordinator**

*Collaborate with professors to create seminars*

## **School Contact**

*Recruit teachers to be part of CTI*





# 2018 Seminars

**Pam Shembo**

5<sup>th</sup> Grade French Immersion Teacher

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# 2018 Seminars 1 of 2

## **The Art and Chemistry of Light**

Marcus Jones, Chemistry, UNC Charlotte

## **It's About Time**

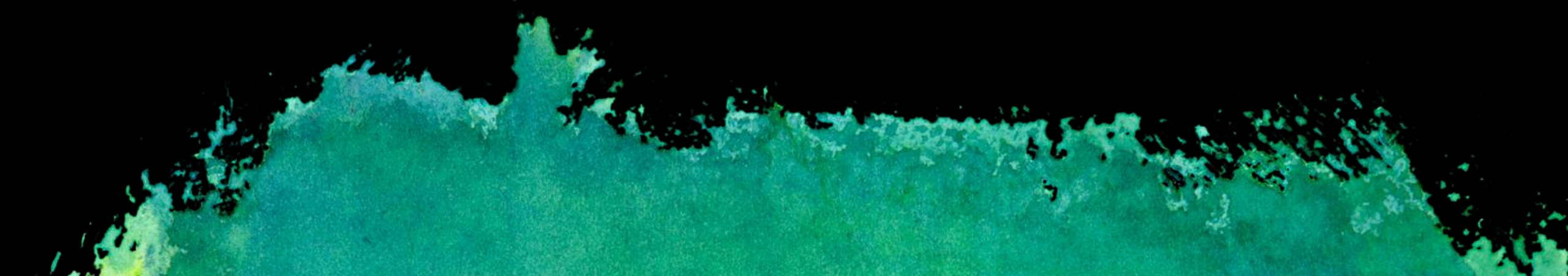
Matthew DeForrest, English, Johnson C. Smith University

## **Nurturing Nature: Epigenetics as a Way to Explore Social Justice**

Adam Reitzel, Biological Science, and Lenora Crabtree, Urban Education, UNC Charlotte

## **Writing about our Lives: A Genre Study of Memoir**

Brian Kissel, Reading and Elementary Education, UNC Charlotte





# 2018 Seminars 2 of 2

## **Exploring American Sacred Values**

Kendal Mobley, Religion, Johnson C. Smith University

## **“A Person’s a Person No Matter How Small”: Teaching Human Rights**

Sarah Minslow, English, UNC Charlotte

## **Insights into Latino Communities in Charlotte Today**

Susana Cisneros, Languages and Culture Studies, UNC Charlotte

## **Animals, Culture, and Society**

Alan Rauch, English, UNC Charlotte





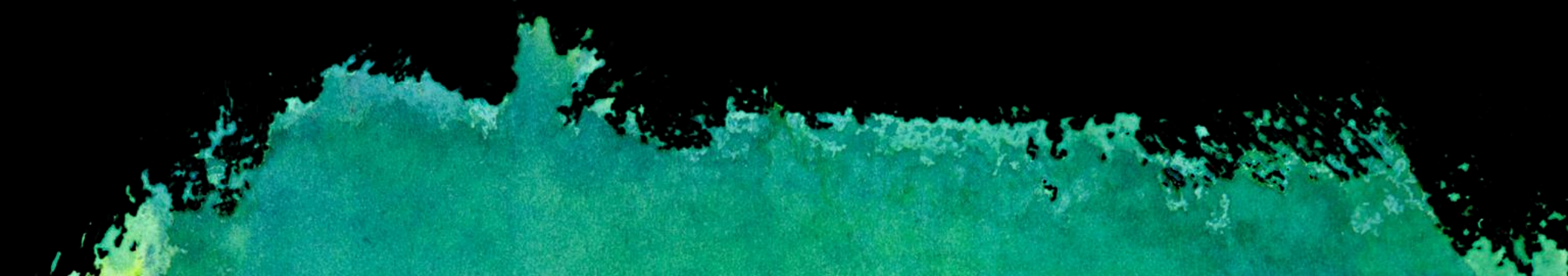
# CTI Teacher Leadership Meeting

**Wednesday, January 10, 2018**

***5:30-7:30 p.m.***

***UNC Charlotte Center City***

- ***Meet the 2018 Seminar Leaders***
- ***Learn about CTI Teacher Leaders roles***
- ***Share feedback about how to craft a high quality seminar***
- ***Enjoy pizza dinner with your colleagues 😊***





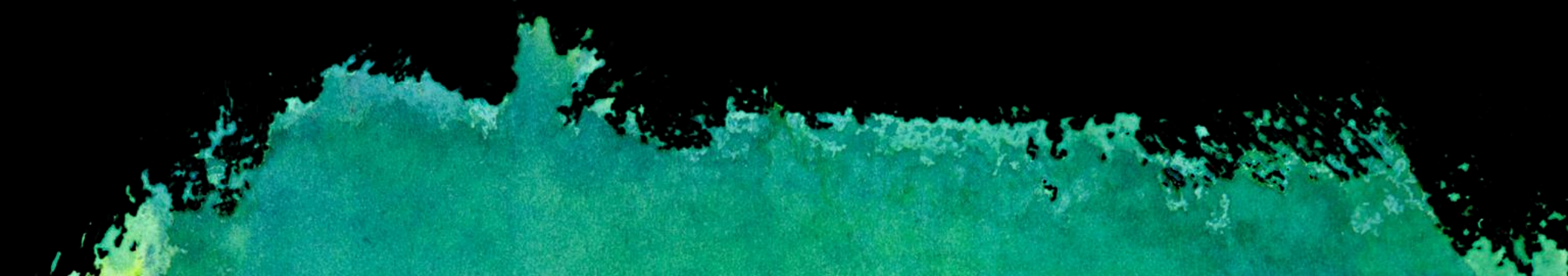
# CTI Teacher Open House

Thursday, February 22, 2018

*6:30-8:00 p.m.*

*UNC Charlotte Center City*

- *Recruit your colleagues to learn about the 2018 Seminars*
- *Meet CTI Teacher Leaders*
- *Learn about online application process*





# \$ for Teaching your Curriculum Unit

**CTI raised \$3,305 in a recent crowdfunding campaign.**

**Now it's time to give it away!**

**Attend the Teacher Leadership Meeting on January 10, 2018 to learn more about how to use this money for your classroom.**





# Charlotte Teachers Institute



## \$3,305

94%

Raised toward our \$3,500 Goal

45 Donors



### 5

DAYS LEFT

*Project ends on December 11, at 11:59 PM EST*

> *Project Owners*



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Description

Updates (5)

Donor Wall

## Charlotte Teachers Institute

Charlotte Teachers Institute (CTI) provides content-rich professional-development seminars for

**Levels** Choose a giving level

### \$25

Math

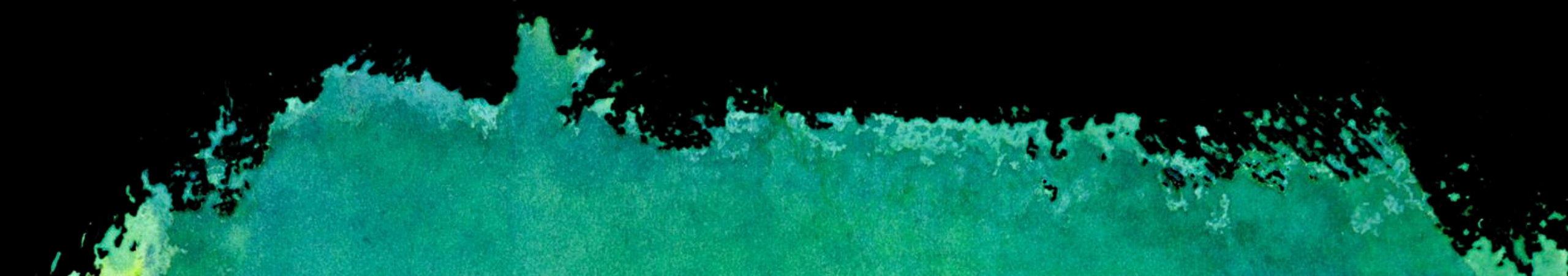
Provide a CTI Fellow's student with a graphing calculator to solve complex



# 5-Minute Survey, Coming Very Soon

Tomorrow you will receive an email with a link to a CTI Fellows survey, Part 2.

- It only takes 5 minutes to complete.
- It's anonymous.
- You could win one of two \$25 gift cards.
- Help us understand & promote the impact of CTI!





# Seminar Presentations



# Using Mathematics to Understand Social Issues

Seminar Leader: Anthony Fernandes, Mathematics & Statistics, UNC Charlotte

Seminar Coordinator: Rima Solh, Math, Southwest MS

Jeffrey Barnes, Math, Rocky River HS

Antowanna Carpenter, CTE/Business, Butler HS

Emiko Furuya, Fifth Grade, Waddell Language Academy

Katelyn Gardepe, Fifth Grade, Selwyn ES

Camay Hunter, Math, West Charlotte HS

Gwendalyn Iverson, Second Grade, Winding Springs ES

Paige Laurain, Math, West Charlotte HS

Kelly McManus, Math, Martin Luther King MS

Vertina Rhim, Math, Whitewater MS

Jimi' Rogers, Kindergarten, Nations Ford ES



# Media and Minorities: Unpacking Stereotypes

Seminar Leader: Debra Smith, Africana Studies, UNC Charlotte

Seminar Coordinator: Franchone Bey, English, West Charlotte HS

Eli Davis, Special Education, Lincoln Heights Academy

Audrey Dorante, History, East Mecklenburg HS

DeNise Gerst, Science, Barringer Academic Center

Mic Hamrick, Kindergarten, Waddell Language Academy

Shanique Lee, English, North Mecklenburg HS

Marielle Matheus, Third Grade, Irwin Academic Center

Latonda Mitchell, Second Grade, Mountain Island Lake Academy

Liza Quinn, Literacy, Waddell Language Academy

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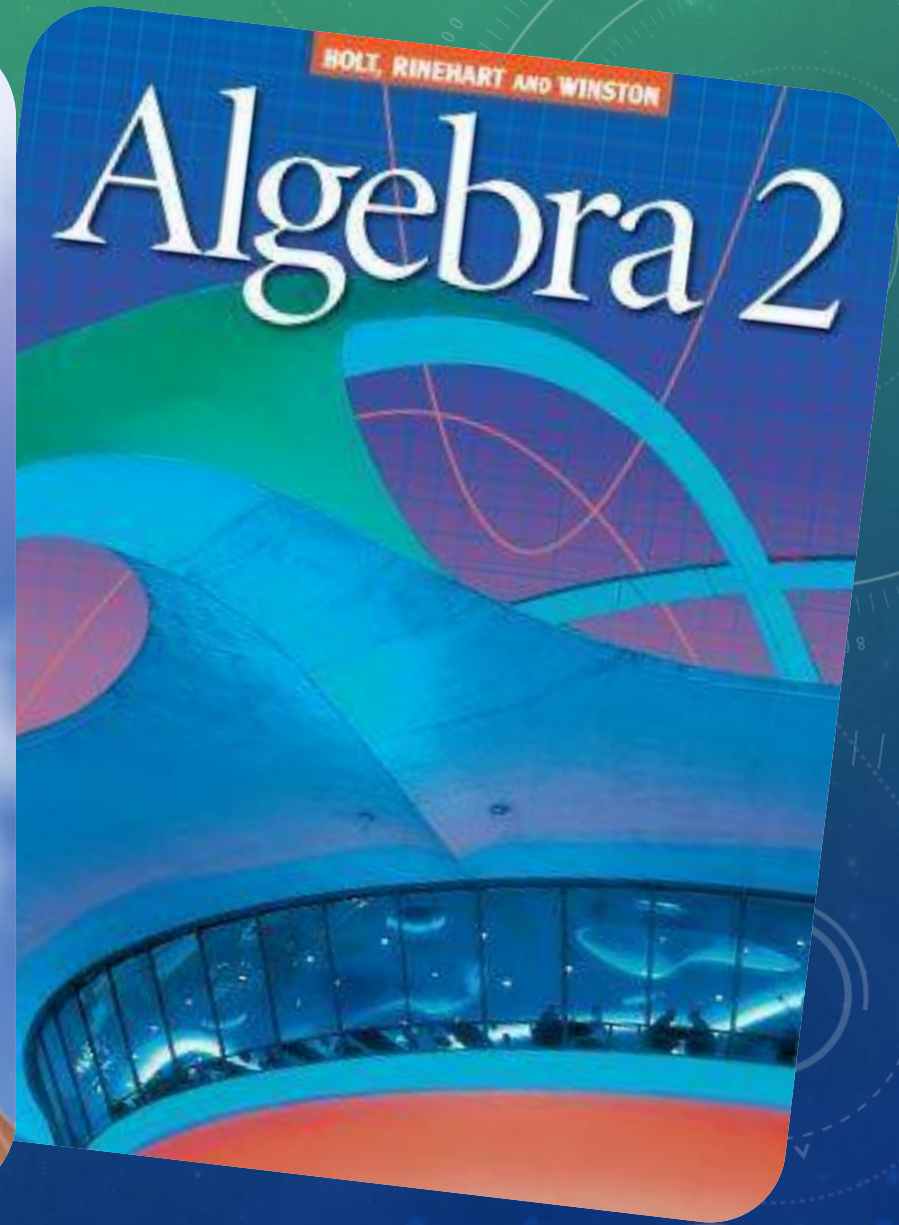
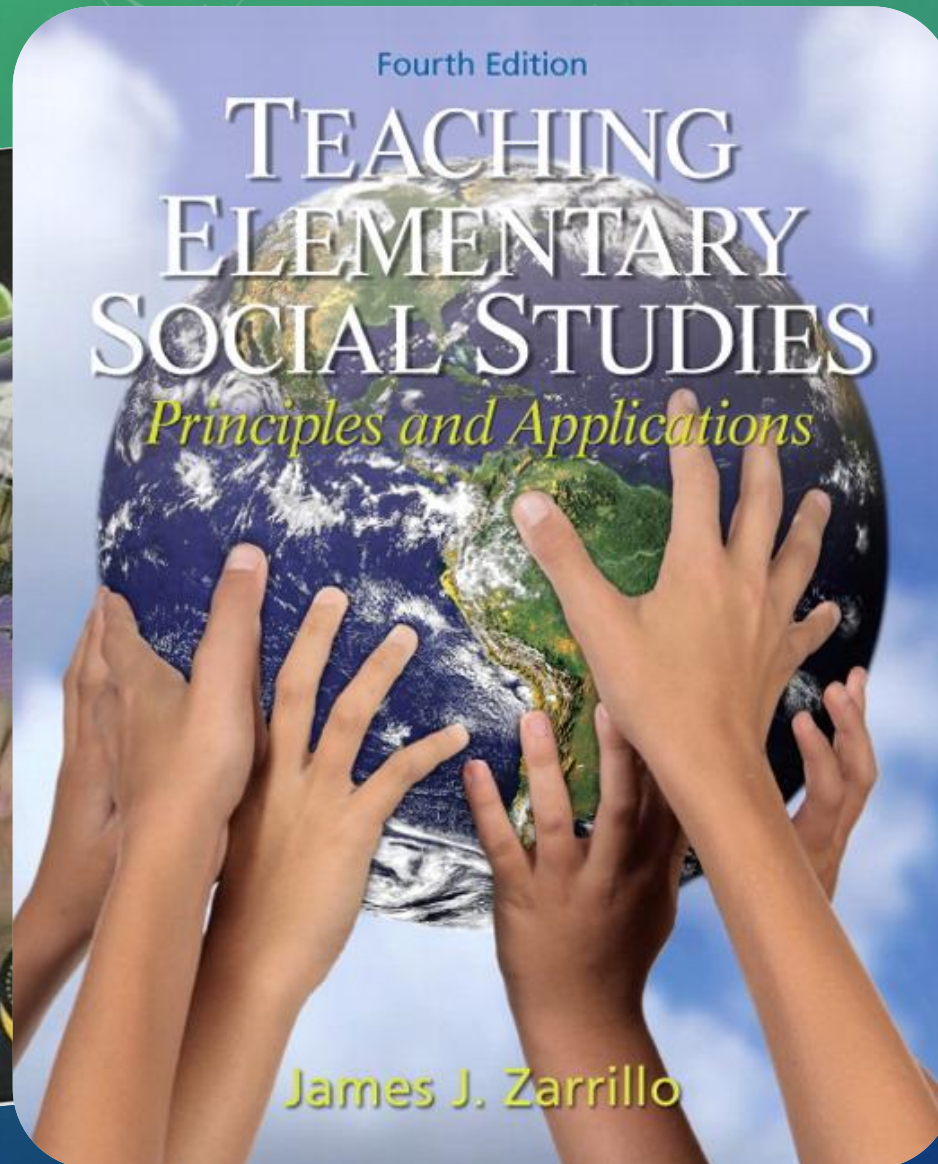
Torie Wheatley, English, North Mecklenburg HS



## All Disney Channel Shows











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...on them.  
...the letters  
...were reason  
...eggs' cereal is  
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Kellogg's  
**OPEN!**  
BREAKFAST

**LET'S TALK.**

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...your table. What can we  
...and me  
...mildly moping porcup

**BOIN-O-RAMA**

**COLLECT BOINIC**

**UNCLE WILLY'S  
CORN ON A STICK**

**NINJA  
SUPPLY  
Co.**

SKIPPING ROPE  
STILT WALKING

**POPS**





Black pygmy Oompa-Loompas, illustrated by Faith Jaques for the first British Edition of *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*; 1977



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# Chemical Interactions in the Body

Seminar Leader: Erland Stevens, Chemistry, Davidson College

Seminar Coordinator: Kassie Calvo, Chemistry, W.A. Hough HS

Morgan Andrews, Psychology, W.A. Hough HS

Kathleen Butler, Dance, South Charlotte MS

Phil Carver, Science, James Martin MS

Mariella Fernandes, ESL, Whitewater MS

Monica High, Science, Hawthorne Academy

Kari Rhoades, Biomedical Sciences, Mallard Creek HS

Jackie Smith, Forensic Science, W.A. Hough HS

Nicole Sparrow, English, Hawthorne Academy

Joshua Trujillo, Science, W.A. Hough HS

Erika Williams, Biomedical Sciences, Phillip O. Berry Academy



# Memorials, Memories, and American Identity

Seminar Leader: Emily Makas, Architectural & Urban History, UNC Charlotte

Seminar Coordinator: Wendy Potter, Apparel Production, Butler HS

Nicole Boyd, Fourth Grade, Dilworth ES

Rhonda Doe, Kindergarten, Barringer Academic Center

Yasmin Forbes, African American Studies, West Mecklenburg HS

Tracy Kennedy, Fourth Grade/Japanese, Waddell Language Academy

Deanna Kurtz, Civics/Economics, South Mecklenburg HS

Eboné Lockett, English, Cato Middle College HS

Megan McGee, Language Arts, McClintock MS

Ted Miracle, K-5 Science, Devonshire ES

Alicia Olmeda, ESL, Coulwood STEM Academy

Beth Owens, Visual Art, Reedy Creek ES

Jaclyn Peterson, Fifth Grade, David Cox Road ES

Lecia Shockley, Third Grade, Selwyn ES



# Doing Science: Hands-On Learning in the Laboratory

Seminar Leader: Susan Trammell, Physics & Optical Science, UNC Charlotte

Seminar Coordinator: Amy Thomas, First Grade, Reedy Creek ES

Scott Balay, Science, Waddell Language Academy

Geneva Bell, Science, James Martin MS

Tracie Cooper, Science, Hidden Valley ES

Michelle Faggert, Science, Martin Luther King, Jr. MS

Katrina Gordon, Second Grade, Selwyn ES

Namrata Gupta, Science, Nations Ford ES

Curtis Overton, Technology/Design, West Mecklenburg HS

Zachary Sanford, Science, W.A. Hough HS

Meg Shuman, Fourth Grade, Barringer Academic Center

Jessica Silva, Science Lab, Rama Road ES

Victoria Woods, Science, Independence HS



# Cultivating Visual Literacy

Seminar Leader: Maggie McCarthy, German Studies & Film, Davidson College

Seminar Coordinator: Deena Aglialoro, English, South Mecklenburg HS

Kate Allen, Visual Art, W.A. Hough HS

Michele Lemere, English, Garinger HS

Kim Mayes, Science, Cochrane Collegiate Academy

Erin Murray, TD Catalyst, Hornets Nest ES

Justin Pierce, Visual Art, W.A. Hough HS

Amanda Soesbee, English, North Mecklenburg HS

Emily Steib, Second Grade Literacy, Hidden Valley ES

Emily Woods, Fourth Grade, Barringer Academic Center

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# The Rise (and Fall) of Democracies around the World

Seminar Leader: Shelley Rigger, Political Science, Davidson College

Seminar Coordinator: Amy Pasko, International Programs, North Learning

Brad Baker, U.S. History, W.A. Hough HS

Raymond Beamon, American & U.S. History, West Mecklenburg HS

Arianna Bonner, Social Studies, Martin Luther King, Jr. MS

Mawuena Dabla-Egui, French, Harding University HS

Mayra Garcia, Spanish, W.A. Hough HS

M. Bassam Halaweh, Arabic, Hawthorne Academy

Lisa Modrow, Social Studies, Bailey MS

Christa Rawald, Social Studies, Ranson MS

Michael Richards, Social Studies, Bailey MS

Lynn Roach, World History, Harding University

Roshan Varghese, History, Butler HS



# From Self to Students: Canvassing Art to Explore Identity

Seminar Leaders: Adriana Medina, Reading & Elementary Education, UNC Charlotte  
and Christopher Lawing, Vice President, Bechtler Museum of Modern Art

Seminar Coordinator: Amethyst Klein, Science, University Park Creative Arts School

Carla Aaron-Lopez, Visual Art, Whitewater MS

Liz Allard, Science, Cochrane Collegiate Academy

Emily Burrell, Math, Piedmont Open IB MS

Nicholas Gattis, Band, Carmel MS

Mary Draper Hager, Second Grade, Selwyn ES

Natalie Jones, Visual Art, West Charlotte HS

Jainanna McCants, Visual Art, North Mecklenburg HS

Majorie O'Shea, Visual Art, W.A. Hough HS

Mindy Passe, Fifth Grade, Barringer Academic Center

Laura Steffy, Visual Art, North Mecklenburg HS

Andy Wertz, English/Film, Phillip O. Berry Academy



# Closing Remarks



# Action Steps

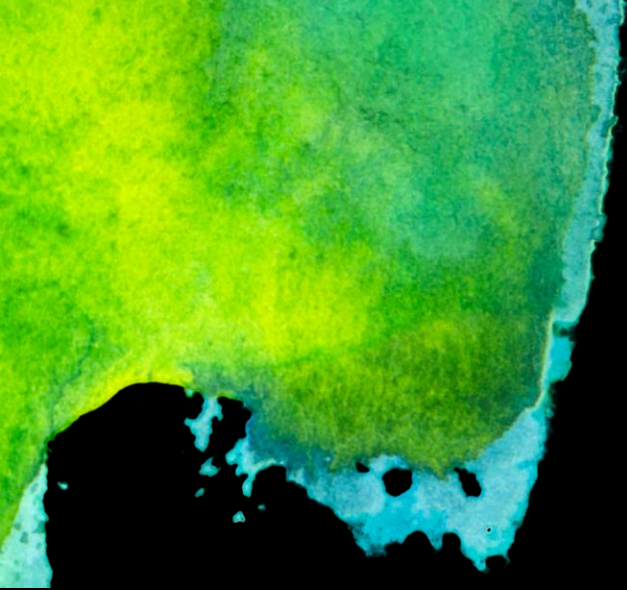
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Register (Attend!): 2018 Teacher Leadership Meeting (1/10/18)

Promote 2018 CTI Teacher Open House (2/22/18)

Complete 5-minute survey





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