

Fulbright Exchange Teachers



● **Teacher Exchange**



Isabelle E. Camille

- ▶ Specialization:
Chemistry
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**Coral Reef Senior High School
Miami, Florida**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**The DALY College
Indore, Madhya Pradesh**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Ms. Isabelle E. Camille is a Chemistry and Biology Teacher at Coral Reef Senior High School, Miami, Florida. After her graduation from the University of Florida with a Bachelor in Chemistry, she worked as a chemist both at the University of Florida and later at the University of Miami. Then a few years later, she decided to enter the teaching profession. Ms. Camille went back to school and obtained her National Board Certification in AYA-Science. Her experience has afforded her exposure to numerous facets of science education. Through various summer programs she has had the great opportunity to stay in close contact with the science research world. This has not only kept alive her interest in science but has also been her greatest motivator in encouraging students to enter the scientific field. She served many summers as a Summer Research Teacher Instructor for the American Physiological Society.

Ms. Camille will be teaching Chemistry at the DALY College in Indore, Madhya Pradesh.



● Teacher Exchange



Michael J. Cullen

- ▶ Specialization:
Mathematics
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**Cedarburg High School
Cedarburg, Wisconsin**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**Vidya Mandir Senior Secondary School
Chennai, Tamil Nadu**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Mr. Michael J. Cullen is a Mathematics Teacher at Cedarburg High School in Cedarburg, Wisconsin. Mr. Cullen teaches a variety of courses ranging from Algebra to Advanced Placement Calculus. He also serves as the department chair in his school. In addition to state certification, Mr. Cullen has obtained his National Board certification in Adolescent and Young Adult Mathematics. Mr. Cullen also works as an adjunct instructor with Concordia University of Milwaukee. In this position, he teaches a Mathematics methods course for prospective teachers. Additionally, he works for the College Board as a reader of Advanced Placement calculus exams. Mr. Cullen has taught Mathematics for twenty-one years. His experience includes ten years of work in middle schools. He taught for two years in New York City and eight years in Los Angeles. In both of these situations, he worked with inner-city children in highly challenging environments. Mr. Cullen received his Bachelor's degree with majors in Mathematics and Physics from Marquette University. As a recipient of a National Science Foundation fellowship, he attended graduate school at the University of California at Los Angeles where he completed his Master's degree in Mathematics. His interests include running, reading, and coaching his children in sports.

Mr. Cullen will be teaching Mathematics at Vidya Mandir Senior Secondary School in Chennai, Tamil Nadu.



● Teacher Exchange



Gregory T. Hellman

- ▶ Specialization:
English
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**Oregon City High School
Oregon City, Oregon**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**Kendriya Vidyalaya, Ghatkesar
Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Mr. Gregory T. Hellman is a 20-year secondary Language Arts teaching veteran who teaches at Oregon City High School. While he has taught mostly in public high schools in the Portland, Oregon, metropolitan area, he also taught for four years in international schools in Izmir, Turkey and Caracas, Venezuela. His academic scope includes writing process and the analytical writing and speaking traits, literary analysis and reading strategies, cooperative learning, and individualized and group instruction. Mr. Hellman attended Tufts University in Boston for his undergraduate studies, receiving his B.A. in English and Political Science, and attended Columbia University Teachers College for his M.A. in English Education. His interests are broad and include the vast fields of the humanities: the social sciences, the natural and physical sciences, the fine arts and music, as well as popular culture and media studies. He has taught content as divergent as the epic of Gilgamesh and digital video production. He is a lover of language, literature and culture.

Mr. Hellman will be teaching English at Kendriya Vidyalaya in Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh.



● Teacher Exchange



James M. Newton

- ▶ Specialization:
Physics
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**East Haven High School
East Haven, Connecticut**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**The Galaxy International School
Rajkot, Gujarat**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Mr. James M. Newton is a Physics and Engineering Teacher at East Haven High School in East Haven, Connecticut. He attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in New York from 1998-2002 to study Mechanical Engineering and received a Bachelor of Science. Mr. Newton has more than thirty years of experience as an educator and teaches AP Physics, Honors Physics, Conceptual Physics and Selected Topics in Science which is a course designed for students who struggle academically in science. Outside of the classroom, Mr. Newton advises two student groups; a robotics club and an alternative energy club. Prior to joining academics, Mr. Newton has worked for a commercial construction company and owned and operated his own construction company.

Mr. Newton will be teaching Physics at The Galaxy International School in Rajkot, Gujarat.



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Kim M. Wilson

- ▶ Specialization:
Biology
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**Rainier Jr / Sr High School
Rainier, Oregon**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**Centre Point School
Nagpur, Maharashtra**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Ms. Kim M. Wilson is teaching science and health to middle school students. Ms. Wilson graduated from Lewis & Clark College in Portland, Oregon with a B.A. in Biology. She also has a Master's degree in Education.

Ms. Wilson will be teaching Biology at the Centre Point School in Nagpur, Maharashtra.



● Teacher Exchange



Evelina Zarkh

- ▶ Specialization:
English
- ▶ Home Institution in US:
**Paul D. Schreiber High School
Port Washington, New York**
- ▶ Host Institution in India:
**Kendriya Vidyalaya, Sector 2
R.K. Puram, New Delhi**
- ▶ Start Date/Month in India:
August 16, 2009
- ▶ Duration of grant:
6 months

Brief Bio:

Ms. Evelina Zarkh is an English Teacher at Paul D. Schreiber High School in Port Washington, New York. She teaches American Literature, Creative Writing, and AP Language and Composition and is also the Writing Center Coordinator and the faculty adviser to the student newspaper, *The Schreiber Times*. Her academic interests include nineteenth century European realism, American environmental literature, and post-colonial literature. Ms. Zarkh received a B.A. in English and American Literature from New York University, an Ed.M. from the Harvard Graduate School of Education, and an M.A. from the Bread Loaf School of English at Middlebury College.

Ms. Zarkh will be teaching English at Kendriya Vidyalaya at Sector 2, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.