

**Teaching Music Globally: China and South Africa**

EDEL 495 XXX 999 or EDEL 597 XXX 999 (2 units of course weight)

or

EDES 401 SEM 901 or EDES 501 SEM 901 (3 units of course weight)

This course explores strategies for bringing diverse music and perspectives to K-12 students through active engagement in traditional and contemporary South African and Chinese music. This course combines a short study of South African music here at the University of Alberta and study of Chinese music, instruments, folk song and dance at Liaocheng University in Shandong Province, China. Issues of cultural context, representativeness, interfacing of oral and written transmission, teacher comfort and fostering intercultural understanding through music will be addressed through music making and will play a significant role in this course. This course is intended for elementary and secondary music teachers, classroom teachers or any professional involved in music activities with children. Pre-session reading/listening is involved for each segment.

*Note:* Students enrolled in EDES 401 SEM 901 or EDES 501 SEM 901 will complete a substantial final curriculum project incorporating Chinese music and culture

**Dates/Location**

June 8 - 9, 2012

University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta

July 16 - 28, 2012

Music Institute at Liaocheng University, Shandong Province, China

**Instructor**

Dr. Kathy Robinson

**Anticipated Costs**

Standard University of Alberta tuition and fees apply. Additional costs including accommodation, meals, airfare and the Music Institute at Liaocheng University are estimated to be \$2200 and may be subsidized in part with small grants from the Confucius Institute of Edmonton.

**For more information**

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