

Professional Development Workshop

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Full of Shift: English and History Programs Respond to Our Changing Times

You may have seen Karl Fisch and Scott McLeod's video "Shift Happens" (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pMcfLYDm2U>), which chronicles the rapid and ongoing changes that make the world our students will enter following graduation very different from anything we can now imagine. These changes are forcing us to rethink the classroom--at all levels and in all disciplines.

The objective of this day-long professional development workshop is to explore together--via multiple concurrent sessions--the shape and function of the 21st century classroom that is "full of shift." We invite English teachers and History teachers to join us, as we explore writing, research, history, and technology choices that will help prepare our students for this changing world: in college and beyond.

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