

## Program

George C. Marshall Foundation Teachers Institute  
June 22–26, 2025

George C. Marshall and World War II

### Sunday, June 22, 2025

3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Check-in for Teachers at Hampton Inn Lexington-Historic District.

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Opening Reception at Hampton Inn. (Front Porch)

### Monday, June 23, 2025

7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast at Hampton Inn Lexington-Historic District.

9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Session 1: Welcome and Introduction. (George C. Marshall Museum & Library, 340 VMI Parade, Lexington, VA 24450)

10:10 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Session 2: “George C. Marshall and World War II,” Dr. Bradley Coleman, Faculty in Residence, George C. Marshall Foundation. (Marshall Library)

11:20 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. George C. Marshall and VMI History. (VMI Barracks, Jackson Memorial Hall)

12:00 p.m. to 12:45 p.m. Lunch at Crozet Hall, Virginia Military Institute.

1:00 p.m. to 2:20 p.m. Session 3: “The Home Front during World War II,” Dr. Molly Michelmore, Washington & Lee University. (Marshall Library)

2:30 p.m. to 3:50 p.m. Session 4: “The *Foreign Relations of the United States* Series and World War II Diplomacy,” Dr. Seth Rotramel, Department of State. (Marshall Library)

4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Session 5: “Lesson Planning Workshop 1,” Ms. Amanda Conway, Program Manager & Curriculum Coordinator, George C. Marshall Foundation. (Marshall Library)

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Tuesday, June 24, 2024

7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast at Hampton Inn Lexington-Historic District.

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Session 6: “Patton’s War: George S. Patton and the Campaign for Western Europe,” Mr. Kevin Hymel, Historian, Arlington National Cemetery. (Marshall Library)

12:00 p.m. to 12:45 p.m. Lunch at Marshall Foundation.

12:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. Tour and Educational Discussion, National D-Day Memorial, Bedford, VA.

7:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Open Library, Study Session. (Marshall Library)

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast at Hampton Inn Lexington-Historic District.

9:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. Session 7: “Road to Tokyo,” Ms. Jennifer Cottle, Douglas MacArthur Memorial, and Mr. Zac Cunningham, Hampton Roads Naval Museum. (Marshall Library)

10:40 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Session 8: “George C. Marshall and the Atomic Bomb,” Dr. Frank Settle (ret.), Virginia Military Institute. (Marshall Library)

12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Lunch at Marshall Foundation.

1:00 p.m. to 2:20 p.m. Session 9: “The American Soldier in World War II,” Dr. Ed Gitre, Department of History, Virginia Tech. (Marshall Library)

2:40 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Session 10: “Lesson Planning Workshop 2,” Ms. Amanda Conway. (Marshall Library)

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Seminar Dinner. (Lexington Room, Hampton Inn)

Thursday, June 26, 2025

7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast at Hampton Inn Lexington-Historic District.

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Session 11: “Lesson Planning Workshop 3,” Teacher Presentations, Seminar Assessment, Ms. Amanda Conway. (Marshall Library)

11:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Closing.

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B. Coleman, Feb. 28, 2025