

"History is a relentless master. It has no present, just the past rushing into the future. To try to hold fast is to be swept aside."
-Abraham Lincoln

Background

- The Long Island Council for the Social Studies is the professional organization of teachers and supervisors at the elementary, secondary, college and university levels who work in Nassau and Suffolk Counties.
- Membership is open to all persons who teach, supervise, develop curricula, engage in research, or are otherwise concerned with social studies.
- The council is a marketplace of ideas, a showcase for new materials, teaching methods, strategies, programs and personalities.
- Founded in the early 1950's, the Long Island Council has been for years one of the largest, if not the largest, and most active councils affiliated with the National Council for the Social Studies and the New York State Council for the Social Studies.

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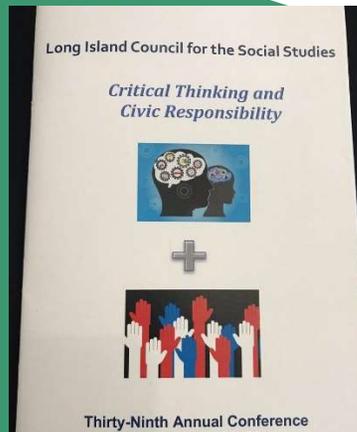
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WHY JOIN THE LONG ISLAND COUNCIL FOR THE SOCIAL STUDIES?

- **Our website and monthly announcements** keep you abreast of important happenings in our field - programs, state education news, special summer programs, workshops and the latest developments and trends in social studies.
- **Our Annual Conference** gives you the opportunity to share successful materials and teaching strategies, get info on assessments, textbooks, supplementary materials and tech developments.



- **Our Virtual seminars to update and expand your knowledge**
- **Our numerous committees and programs offer** you the opportunity to provide leadership in the field of social studies education.
- **Our Active Involvement** with the Social Studies Bureau of the State Education Department gives you a powerful voice in shaping the social studies curricula requirements and assessments of the State of New York.
- **Our Overall Program**, in short offers you the opportunity for interaction with other dedicated educators and the means for enhancing professional growth.

Goals

- To promote an understanding of social studies best practices.
- To maintain high professional standards and provide opportunities for professional growth.
- To promote the academic rights of the profession.
- To articulate enlightened views on issues of interest and concern to all social studies educators.

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