

Lincoln Center Institute
National Educator Workshop
Kalamazoo RESA Education for the Arts
Kalamazoo, Southwestern Michigan/Chicago
June 16–20, 2008
Introductory and Advanced Level Workshops*

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*For information about the Advanced Level Workshop offered at this site on June 18 and 19, visit www.lcinstitute.org or e-mail lcireg@lincolncenter.org. Open to those who have completed the Introductory Level Workshop at any site.

The Organization

The mission of Education for the Arts is to enhance arts education for all students in Kalamazoo County by making dance, literary arts, media arts, music, theater, and visual arts an essential part of comprehensive education.

Education for the Arts (EFA), which is modeled on the educational approach of Lincoln Center Institute, is a program arm of Kalamazoo Regional Education Service Agency (KRESA). EFA's roots are based on a unanimous desire of the nine public school districts in Kalamazoo County to make arts education a learning and teaching priority. EFA's mandate is to enhance arts education opportunities and programs for every Kalamazoo County school through developing, maintaining, and strengthening partnerships between school districts, buildings, and teachers and the rich array of professional arts institutions in Southwest Michigan. Education for the Arts has two major program areas: Excellence in the Arts (arts classes offered for high-school credit to students in Kalamazoo County) and Arts for All (artist residency and exposure programs for students in grades K-8).

For more information about Education for the Arts, please visit www.kresa.org/efa



2008 Works of Art

Below are the works of art that will be studied at this site this year.

Dance

Kite Tails

written by Erick Hawkins

performed by Wellspring Cori Terry & Dancers

Visual Arts

Select works from the exhibition *The Figure Revealed: Contemporary American Figurative Paintings and Drawings*, being displayed at the Kalamazoo Institute of the Arts.

Special Guests and Workshop Leaders

Special guests to be announced

Workshop leaders (teaching artists and staff) are specially trained by Lincoln Center Institute and Education for the Arts in the methodology and philosophy of aesthetic education.

Workshop Location and Time

The workshops will be held in two locations in downtown Kalamazoo: Epic Center

Address: 359 S. Kalamazoo Mall
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

and Kalamazoo Institute of Arts

Address: 314 South Park Street
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Additional location information will be provided after registration.

The workshops will take place from 8:30 A.M. through 3:30 P.M. each day.

Special Attractions, Culture Events, and Community Activities

For more information on activities in the area, visit the Kalamazoo Arts Council at www.kazooart.org/ and the Kalamazoo Chamber of Commerce at www.kazoochamber.com.

Graduate Credit

Three graduate credits will be available through Western Michigan University (www.wmich.edu). Nine SB-CEUs are available through the Kalamazoo Regional Education Service Agency. For more information or to sign up for credit, contact Nick Mahmat at 269.488.6267 or at nmahmat@kresanet.org.



Travel and Accommodation Information

Special room rates are available for workshop participants at the following hotels. When booking, mention that you are attending a workshop sponsored by KRESA (Kalamazoo Regional Education Service Agency).

Hawthorn Inn and Suites
2575 S. 11th Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49009
Phone: 269.353.2547
Rooms are \$61/night

Lee's Inn
2615 Fairfield Road, Kalamazoo, MI 49002
Phone: 269.382.6100
Fax: 269.382.2136
Rooms are \$61/night

Clarion Hotel
3600 E Cork St, Kalamazoo, MI 49001
Phone: 269.385.3922
Rooms are \$74.95/night

Days Inn
3522 S Sprinkle Rd, Kalamazoo, MI 49001
Phone: 269.381.7070
Rooms are \$50/night for a queen bed, \$55/night for 2 double beds

Henderson Castle
100 Monroe Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49006
Phone: 269.344.1827
www.hendersoncastle.com
15% discount off to EFA for one week's stay

Comfort Inn
739 West Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI, US, 49007
Phone: 269.384.2800
Fax: 269.384.2802
Rooms Start at \$129.00 a night

Radison Hotel
100 West Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI, 49007
Phone: 269.343.3333
Rooms start at \$161.00 a night
Within walking distance to Workshops

For more information on travel, tourism, and restaurants, visit Kalamazoo Downtown at www.central-city.net and Kalamazoo Chamber of Commerce at www.kazoochamber.com.

