



BUILDING A CIVIL SOCIETY  
*through art*

2018 USSEA/InSEA Regional Conference

July 27 - 29, 2018  
Wichita State University  
Wichita, Kansas



# Conference Welcome

## Message from the President

On behalf of the USSEA organizing committee, I am delighted to welcome you to the 2018 USSEA/InSEA Regional Conference. In particular, we would like to thank the Wichita State University for helping us organize the conference. Recognition should also go to the Office of University Conferences who worked very hard for the details of important aspects of the conference program and registration. We will continue to meet and bring inspiring people together in conferences like this, to ensure USSEA remains at the cutting edge. Throughout this conference, I ask you to stay engaged, keep us proactive and help us shape the future of USSEA.

This year's conference theme is "Building a Civil Society Through Art" which focuses on having productive discussions and creative solutions to the following questions: What is the personal, social, and political responsibility of art educators to build a civil society within the art classroom? What might the future of art education hold if it embraced political action for social justice? What concepts/ideas in contemporary art are most effective in establishing social justice? What presumptions need to be challenged in order to create social justice in art education? What has been successful in establishing social justice in art education so far, where do we need to go?

*With regard,*

**Fatih Benzer**, Ed.D, USSEA President, Assistant Professor, Missouri State University

## Conference Welcome

*"It is impossible to teach without the courage to try a thousand times before giving up. In short, it is impossible to teach without a forged, invented, and well thought-out capacity to love."*

*-Paulo Freire*

Teaching is fueled by the dedication made possible by love, for without it, the day to day challenges and uncertainties of our position would become absolutely crushing. Love enables our ability to protect and defend, to advocate for, and put effort into creating and sharing on a human level. As educators, we must love our subject matter, our students, ourselves, and our communities within and beyond the walls of our school.

Art is an inclusive and humanizing force that is rich with activism and social critique inspiring change in individuals and the world. Love is not always butterflies and rainbows, the love we need is enduring, bold, empowering, and inclusive. Through what Paulo Freire calls an "armed love – the fighting love of those convinced of the right and the duty to fight, to denounce, and to announce," as educators we must use our creative tools to express our needs and rights to our individual narratives, empowering thoughtful critique across differences, thus transforming our mural of humanity as we build a civil society.

I warmly welcome you to Wichita and the USSEA/InSEA Regional Conference, "Building a Civil Society through Art."

*Sincerely,*

**Lori Santos**, Ph.D., USSEA Outreach Committee Chair, Associate Professor of Art Education, Wichita State University

## USSEA Mission Statement

The United States Society for Education Through the Arts (USSEA) commits to actively lead and support multicultural and cross-cultural initiatives that foster teamwork, collaboration, and communication among diverse constituencies in order to achieve greater understanding of the social and cultural aspects of the arts and visual culture in education.

# Conference Location



## Wichita State University

1845 Fairmount Street

Wichita, Kansas 67260

The 2018 USSEA/InSEA Regional Conference will be held at Wichita State University in the heart of the nation in Wichita, Kansas. Home of the Ulrich Museum of Art and more than 70 sculptures across the 330-acre campus, WSU is a leader in the local art community.

Learn more about WSU and its collections:

[www.wichita.edu](http://www.wichita.edu)

[www.wichita.edu/ulrichmuseum](http://www.wichita.edu/ulrichmuseum)



# Lodging & Accommodations

A limited number of rooms have been reserved for USSEA Conference attendees at three locations. The deadline to reserve lodging is July 6, 2018.



## Shocker Hall

Wichita State University Campus

Shocker Single plus linens - \$44.51/person/night

Private bedroom with shared living space with one person. Suite-style bathroom shared with up to four persons.

Shocker Double plus linens - \$39.33/person/night

Covers one bed in a shared bedroom with a roommate. Suite-style bathroom shared with up to four persons.

Individuals will receive a pillow, pillowcase, two sheets, blanket, hand towel, washcloth, and bar of soap. Book your accommodations at Shocker Hall by registering at [www.USSEA.net](http://www.USSEA.net).



## Aloft Wichita Northeast

3642 N. Oliver Avenue

Wichita, Kansas 67220

King Single and Queen Double - \$109/night

To book your stay at Aloft, please call 316-744-1100 and mention the USSEA Regional Conference rate.



## La Quinta Inn & Suites Wichita Northeast

2660 N. Greenwich Court

Wichita, Kansas 67226

King Single and Queen Double - \$95/night

To book your stay at the La Quinta Inn & Suites, please call 316-500-6220 and mention the USSEA Regional Conference rate.

# Conference Schedule

*Subject to change.*

## Friday, July 27

- 2 - 4 p.m. Registration and Check In
- 3 - 4 p.m. WSU Campus Sculpture Tours, docent or self-guided
- 4 - 6 p.m. Welcome Reception and gallery tour  
*Ulrich Museum of Art, WSU Campus*
- 5 - 5:30 p.m. Art Talk at Ulrich Museum of Art
- 6 p.m. Dinner on your own



*Tres Mujeres Caminando  
(Three Women Walking), 1981  
Francisco Zuñiga*

## Saturday, July 28

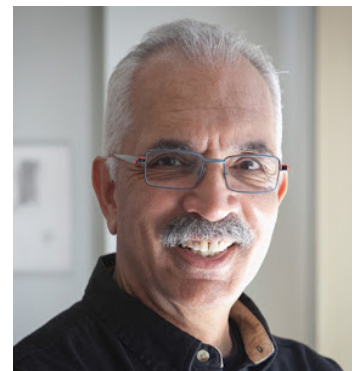
- 8:30 - 9 a.m. Registration and Check In
- 9 - 9:30 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
- 9:30 - 11 a.m. First Keynote: **Presentation to be announced**  
*Marie Watt, MFA, Marie Watt Studio*
- 11:10 - 12 p.m. First Concurrent Breakout Session
- 12 - 1 p.m. Lunch with the Artist  
*Lunch is provided. Enjoy this time to relax and eat with Marie Watt.*
- 1:10 - 4:10 p.m. Artist Keynote Workshop  
*Hands-on community art project. Participants are welcome to come and go throughout this session.*
- 1:10 - 2 p.m. Second Concurrent Breakout Session
- 2:10 - 3 p.m. Third Concurrent Breakout Session
- 3:10 - 4 p.m. Fourth Concurrent Breakout Session
- 4:10 - 5 p.m. Community and Local Artist Panel, *“Art Education and Community as Social Practice.”*
- 5 p.m. Dinner on your own



*Marie Watt, MFA*

## Sunday, July 29

- 8:30 - 9 a.m. Registration and Check In
- 9 - 9:15 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
- 9:15 - 11 a.m. Second Keynote: **Engaging Community: A Case Study in Departmental Re-Calibration**  
*Paul Sproll, Ph.D., Professor, Graduate Program Director, Head,  
Department of Teaching + Learning in Art + Design,  
Rhode Island School of Design*
- 11:10 - 12 p.m. Fifth Concurrent Breakout Session
- 12 - 1 p.m. Lunch with the Artist  
*Lunch is provided. Enjoy this time to relax and eat with Paul Sproll.*
- 1:10 - 2 p.m. Sixth Concurrent Breakout Session
- 1:10 - 3 p.m. Optional Excursion: Wichita Art Museum  
*Admission is free. Please note: transportation will be on your own.*
- 2:10 - 3 p.m. Seventh Concurrent Breakout Session
- 3:10 - 4 p.m. USSEA and InSEA Panel; Conference Adjourns



*Paul Sproll, Ph.D.*

# Getting Around Wichita

Travelers can fly into Wichita through Dwight D. Eisenhower National Airport. To view airlines and rates, please visit [www.flywichita.com](http://www.flywichita.com).

Transportation throughout Wichita is easy and fast. Click on the tab "Ground Transportation" at [www.flywichita.com](http://www.flywichita.com) to view options for car rentals, ride sharing, shuttles, and more.

To see restaurants and other events happening around town, go to [www.VisitWichita.com](http://www.VisitWichita.com).

## Registration Information

### Registration Fees

Professional Registration	Early Bird Rate - \$135.00	After July 10 - \$150.00
K-12 Teacher Registration	Early Bird Rate - \$80.00	After July 10 - \$95.00
College Student Registration*	Early Bird Rate - \$40.00	After July 10 - \$55.00
Keynote Community Pass**	Early Bird Rate - \$40.00	After July 10 - \$55.00
High School Student Registration	\$18.00 (covers the cost of lunch for Saturday and Sunday)	

\*Student rates are only available to current students. Students must provide their Wichita State University ID with registration to verify their student status. Non-WSU students must provide their student ID from their institution at the time of registration.

\*\*Includes participation in the Saturday, July 28 keynote presentation, lunch, and afternoon workshop only.

### Registration Methods

Online: [www.USSEA.net](http://www.USSEA.net) and click on the Registration link. Online registration requires payment by credit card at the time of registration.

Mail or Fax (please send registration form with payment to):

Office of University Conferences

1845 Fairmount Street

Wichita, KS 67260-0136

Fax: 316-978-3064

*Registrations received by mail or fax will not be processed without payment.*

You will receive an email confirmation within 1-2 business days of the receipt of your registration form. If you do not, please contact: Teruko Mitchell at 316-978-6493.

*Make checks and purchase orders payable to: Office of University Conferences*

### Cancellations/Refunds:

Failure to attend does not constitute notice of cancellation. Cancellation must be in writing. Telephone cancellations will not be accepted. A 15% administrative fee will be assessed on all cancellations (this includes unpaid purchase orders.) There will be no refunds after Monday, July 16, 2018.

### Questions Regarding Registration:

Teruko Mitchell, WSU Conference Office

1845 Fairmount, Campus Box 136

Wichita, KS 67260-0136

Email: [conference.office@wichita.edu](mailto:conference.office@wichita.edu)

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Fax: 316-978-3064

# Additional Information

## Conference Sponsors



### *Conference Attire*

Every effort will be made to keep the meeting rooms at a comfortable temperature. You are encouraged to dress in layers or bring a sweater/light jacket, as the temperature in the meeting rooms varies widely.

### *Internet Access*

There is complimentary WIFI available at the conference location.

### *Parking*

There is complimentary parking available at the conference location. Complimentary lots are marked in blue on the WSU Summer Parking Map. The map can be downloaded by visiting the WSU Parking Regulations website at [www.wichita.edu/parking](http://www.wichita.edu/parking).

### *Right of Termination Clause*

This agreement and the University's obligations hereunder regarding this conference and the presentation of any or all associated sessions and optional entertainment events are subject to acts of God, war, terrorism, government regulations, disaster, fire, strikes, civil disorder, curtailment of transportation facilities, or other similar cause beyond the control of the parties making it inadvisable, illegal, or impossible to hold the event or provide the facility. If the conference or any associated event is cancelled due to one of the aforementioned occurrences, the liability of the University shall be limited to refunding the conference registration fee or a portion thereof. The University shall not be responsible for consequential damages, including, but not limited to, any losses incurred by registrants including, but not limited to, airline cancellation charges, hotel deposits and other associated travel costs.

### *Special Accommodations*

Wichita State University is committed to making programs accessible to people with disabilities. If you wish to volunteer information regarding any special assistance you may need, please contact the Office of University Conferences at (316) 978-6493.

### *Notice of Nondiscrimination*

Wichita State University does not discriminate in its employment practices, educational programs or activities on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, marital status, national origin, political affiliation, pregnancy, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or status as a veteran. Retaliation against an individual filing or cooperating in a complaint process is also prohibited. Sexual misconduct, relationship violence and stalking are forms of sex discrimination and are prohibited under Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972. Complaints or concerns related to alleged discrimination may be directed to the Director of Equal Opportunity or the Title IX Coordinator, Wichita State University, 1845 Fairmount, Wichita KS 67260-0138; telephone (316)978-3187.

# Registration Form

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Forego this form and register online at: [www.USSEA.net](http://www.USSEA.net)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

MyWSU ID (if registering as a WSU student) \_\_\_\_\_

I require vegetarian meals:  yes  no

Please list any medical/religious dietary restrictions, or other special accommodations needed:

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## Registration Fees:

<input type="checkbox"/> Conference - Professionals	<input type="checkbox"/> \$135.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150.00 (after July 10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Conference - K-12 Teachers	<input type="checkbox"/> \$80.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$95.00 (after July 10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Conference - Students	<input type="checkbox"/> \$40.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00 (after July 10)
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## Credit Card Payment Information:

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ VS:  MC:  AMEX:  DSC:  Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as Printed on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_