

Connecticut-Shandong Principal and Teacher Shadowing Project 2008-2009

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Since 2004 Connecticut has established more than 100 school partnerships with Shandong Province, P.R. China, Connecticut's sister province since 1986. This application for a twelve-day field study in Beijing and Shandong Province, hosted by your sister school, is designed to strengthen existing school partnerships. We can guarantee that your participation in the Principal and Teacher Shadowing Project will provide the experience of a lifetime. The anticipated cost per participant for the program is \$1,850.00 for double occupancy. To signal your interest in participating in the Connecticut-Shandong Principal and Teacher Shadowing Project during the 2008-2009 school year, please complete the following form and send it to the Connecticut Principals' Center, 30 Realty Drive, Cheshire, CT 06410 no later than November 21, 2008.

Statement of Interest

Name _____

Title _____ Years in this Position _____

Name of School or School System _____

Address _____

Does your school or district have an established partnership with a Shandong school or district? If yes, please complete the following:

Name of Chinese School or School System _____

Address _____

Questions (Please answer on a separate sheet):

1. How do you hope to benefit professionally from participation in this project?
2. How will your participation enrich your school and/or district?
3. Who has participated from you school/school district before?
4. What activities have occurred with your partner school?

Signature _____ Date _____

Email _____ School Phone _____ Fax _____

Program participants will be selected and notified by December 1, 2008. Orientation sessions for program participants will be held on February 1, March 1, and March 28, 2009 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at CAS. Program participants must have a valid U.S. passport and will visit China April 8-20, 2009.

