



Introductory Workshop and Launch: Teaching the Transatlantic Slave Trade
*Part of the UNESCO Transatlantic Slave Trade Project (TST)
in conjunction with the
World History Center of the University of Pittsburgh*



**November 18, 2008
5:00-7:30 pm**

**Kurtzman Room (William Pitt Union), 1st floor
University of Pittsburgh, Oakland Campus**

Tentative Program:

5:00 - 5:15 pm. **Introduction: Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade program:**

Explanation of the UNESCO-supported program and plans for two day-long Pittsburgh workshops.

5:15 - 6:00 pm. **Presentation and discussion:**

"The Slave Ship" - Marcus Rediker, Professor of History, University of Pittsburgh.

6:00 - 6:30 pm. **Musical interlude:**

Guinea West African Drum and Dance Ensemble.

6:30 - 7:15 pm. **Presentation and discussion:**

"Slave Emancipation in the Americas" - Patrick Manning, Professor of History, University of Pittsburgh.

7:15 - 7:30 pm. **Wrap-up:**

Review of plans for the spring and summer day-long workshops.

All teachers and school administrators interested in teaching about the slave trade are welcome!

RSVP required-please email John Myers at myersjp@pitt.edu