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PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES

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### **UIC CENTER FOR ECONOMIC EDUCATION**

Free Workshops - Professional Development Credits

# ECONOMICS & FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAMS

Full Day Workshop: 6 CPDUs

Active Learning!

Financial Foundations: A Financial Literacy Program for Illinois Educators

June 25, 2019 at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago; email hroberts@uic.edu for registration link

4:30 pm—6:30 pm: 2 CPDUs

## **Teaching Investing:**

## **Stock Market Game and NGPF Interactives**

Grades 4-12 Aug. 28 OR Sept. 12, 2019 ; Jan. 15 OR 16, 2020

### **Economic Tools to Analyze Elections**

Grades 1-12 Oct. 17, 2019

### **Money Fair: Tips from Veteran Teachers**

Grades 5-8 Nov. 7 OR Dec. 5, 2019 OR Jan. 9, 2020

Inquiry-based lessons align with IL Learning Standards for Math, Econ, Financial Literacy, Science, CTE, and ELA

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Professional Learning Communities Resources from the UIC Center for Economic Education, Econ Illinois, Council for Economic Education AND MORE!







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# UIC - CENTER FOR ECONOMIC EDUCATION FEATURED CURRICIULUM



#### STUDENT-CENTERED:

Experience the power of its interactive games!

Search personal finance topics to find continuously updated resources organized by: blog posts, lesson plans, interactives, units, semester courses; Bell Ringers, Data Crunches (Analyses), Questions of the Day, and more!

Harness the power of NGPF's library and community!! <a href="https://www.ngpf.org/">https://www.ngpf.org/</a>

# Teaching Econ and Personal Finance Grades 1-8 and After School



Program funded by Econ Illinois.

Stimulate interest in the fundamentals of our economic system, and give your students an opportunity to creatively demonstrate their understanding of the economy! Students create a poster that illustrates one of several economic or personal finance concepts aligned with Common Core & Illinois Learning Standards for Social Science.

Up to twenty-four Chicago Regional Award Winners will each receive recognition, and are entered into the state-level competition.

Workshop Dates-Choose 1 (all 4:30-6:30 pm at UIC) Nov. 7 OR Dec. 5

#### STUDENT ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**Grades 1-8** — Economics and Financial Concepts Poster Contest (aligned to IL Learning Standards for Social Science), InvestWrite (begins grade 4)

**Middle School** — Stock Market Game, InvestWrite, Middle School Money Fair, Illinois Personal Finance Challenge, Money Smart Kid

**High School** — IL Personal Finance Challenge, IL Econ Challenge, Stock Market Game, InvestWrite, Rapunzl, Next Gen Personal Finance, High School Fed Challenge

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#### TEACHING INVESTING: STOCK MARKET GAME AND NGPF

Prepare your students for the world of investing! Teams start with a virtual \$100,000 and invest in real stocks. In building a portfolio, students research and evaluate bonds, mutual funds and stocks, and make decisions based on what they've learned. Teams develop speaking and listening skills while practicing leadership, organization, negotiation, and cooperation as they compete for the top spot. The Stock Market Game and Rapunzl teach and reinforce these essential skills and concepts, and prepare students to meet life goals and master learning standards.

# **Grades 4-12**, **1 Workshop Includes:** 2 Professional Development Credits, and 1 free copy of curriculum being used.

Workshop Dates: (choose 1 only) Fall Session

Wednesday, Aug. 28, 2019: 4:30—6:30pm Thursday, Sept. 12, 2019: 4:30—6:30pm Spring Session

Wednesday, Jan. 15, 2020: 4:30—6:30pm Thursday, Jan. 16, 2020: 4:30—6:30pm



Information on funding and game rules can be found at www.stockmarketgame.org

# LEARN ECONOMICS TOOLS TO ANALYZE ELECTIONS: All Grade Levels and Across the Curriculum



Learn to apply economic reasoning across content areas K-12 (ELA, STEM, STEAM) to fulfill the state standards for Social Science (AND Math AND Science) with inquiry skills that incorporate economic and financial decision-making, models and tools. Prepare to make the coming election season come to life for your students and develop their interests and skills: Inequality, Poll Results, Election Projections and more!

Workshop Date: Thursday Oct. 17 4:30-6:30pm To register, email hroberts@uic.edu or call 312-413-3599

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL MONEY FAIR: INQUIRY GRADES 5-8

Money Fair involves teams of students selecting a personal finance topic, undertaking research, preparing a presentation similar to science and history fairs, and recommending informed action. To be eligible for the Citywide Showcase, schools identify their finalist projects by March 16, 2020 either by holding a local Money Fair or by teacher selection. The Showcase is usually in the last week of April at the Chicago Fed.

Learn from an experienced Money Fair teacher on Nov. 7 OR Dec. 5 OR Jan. 9 4:30-6:30 p.m. at UIC; email hroberts@uic.edu to register.

