The DBQ Project - Workshop

It's Like You're a Detective! Inquiry and Multiple Perspectives with The DBQ Project

Inquiry instruction using multiple perspectives entered the mainstream in social studies education when NCSS established the C3 Framework ten years ago. Still, teachers continue to search for the best materials and the best strategies for centralizing inquiries or questions in their classrooms. The DBQ Project writes document-based questions for students in grades 3-12 in history, economics, geography, and civics. Explore how our materials and our method can help teachers help students investigate mysteries of history. Dive into our new lesson that explores American Chinese Exclusion Acts to see how our rigorous but scaffolded approach challenges and supports students and teachers at the same time. This workshop is open to anyone who teaches or supports social studies or ELA in grades 3-12.