



The Jane Austen Summer Program wants teachers!

The 2017 Jane Austen Summer Program, "200 Years of *Persuasion*," will be held June 15-18, 2017, at the Hampton Inn in Carrboro, NC.

Earn 3 CEU credits and gain valuable insights into teaching Jane Austen in your classroom!

The Jane Austen Summer Program is an annual four-day symposium organized by UNC's Department of English and Comparative Literature and is designed to appeal to established scholars, high school and middle school teachers, graduate students, undergraduate students, and anyone else with a passion for all things Austen. Each year, the symposium focuses on a different Austen work.

This year's program, "200 Years of *Persuasion*," will celebrate the 200th anniversary of the publication of Austen's final complete novel. The symposium features lectures, "context corners," and small discussion groups focused on *Persuasion*, considered by many to be the most beautiful Austen novel. There will also be a special plenary session for teachers featuring interactive lesson plans and curriculum planning guides for teaching Jane Austen to middle school and high school students. Additional activities include Regency dance lessons, Regency theatricals, a Regency Ball, and the chance to partake in an English afternoon tea.

The program offers 30 contact hours for 3 CEU credits. K-12 teachers receive a discounted tuition of \$250 per person (regular tuition is \$450 per person). The tuition covers all lectures and discussions, a tote bag, dance lessons, admission to the Regency theatricals for one person, and admission to the Regency Ball for one person, as well as a daily warm buffet breakfast, elevenses, and a welcome reception and dinner.

For more information, visit <http://janeaustensummer.org/>.

**Join us at the 2017 Jane Austen Summer Program
and fall in love with Jane Austen all over again!**

"My idea of good company ... is the company of clever, well-informed people, who have a great deal of conversation"—*Persuasion*