Several outstanding teachers of writing will be selected to participate in the annual Red Cedar Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute (ISI). The ISI runs Monday-Thursday during the last two weeks of June through the first two weeks of July on the MSU campus.

Teachers will demonstrate promising approaches to writing instruction, focus on their own fiction and non-fiction writing skills, participate in writing groups, identify questions that they have related to the teaching and practice of writing, and engage in reading that expands their understanding of literacy pedagogies, policies, and research.

At the conclusion of their work in the ISI, these teachers are identified as RCWP Fellows and NWP Teacher-Consultants (TCs) — a credential that is recognized in all fifty states and nine foreign countries. TCs are frequently invited to design and conduct workshops on the teaching of reading and writing for their own districts and to be presenters for other school districts. Additionally, TCs receive a stipend, along with the various texts used during the ISI.

*We will not meet on July 4th.

Applications can be found at http://rcwp.msu.edu/index.php/summer-institute/

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