



## A LARGER EUROPEAN UNION: CHALLENGES AND POSSIBILITIES

*Sponsored by the European Union Center*

A workshop for Texas educators, Grades 6-12, on the European Union, the continuity of its relationship with the U.S., and the challenges it faces with enlargement.

DATE:	JUNE 5, 2004	RETURN REGISTRATION FORM AND CHECK BY
TIME:	8:30 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.	FRIDAY, MAY 28, 2004 TO:
PLACE:	INTERNATIONAL CENTER WORLD ROOM	EUROPEAN UNION CENTER
	BUSH PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY COMPLEX	PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY COMPLEX
	TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY	TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY, 1245 TAMU
CPE CREDIT:	4.5 HOURS	COLLEGE STATION, TX 77843-1245

Lunch will be provided for those attending workshop.

### Workshop at no cost, but deposit required.

A deposit check of \$15 is required to hold your space in the workshop. Your check will be returned to you if you attend the full workshop. Cancellation of attendance 72 hours in advance will also ensure return of your deposit. Less than 72 hours and your deposit will be retained. Please make your check payable to The European Union Center.

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The European Union and the United States are each other's most important trading partners, as well as political allies. The history of both political entities has always been closely intertwined. The State of Texas, in particular, enjoys a healthy transatlantic trading relationship with Europe that is projected to continue and develop in future decades.

Ten new countries will join the group of existing 15 EU nations on May 1, 2004. This historic event poses unique challenges and opportunities since it is without precedent in terms of scope and diversity: the number of candidates, the geographical area, the population and the wealth of different histories, cultures and ethnicities.

The purpose of this workshop is to provide social studies educators with fresh perspectives on the EU connected to key TEKS and TAKS objectives. A blend of content and classroom applications will be used to provide participants with novel strategies to teach about Europe. In addition, a special session on teaching strategies effective with LEP students will ensure that all young Texans have the opportunity to learn about these significant issues.

**Due to limited seating, only the first 50 registrants will be invited to participate. Registration forms and checks need to be received via mail by the European Union Center by Friday, May 28, 2004. Please submit one form per participant. No on-site registration will be available.**

For more information about the workshop or other educational programs at the European Union Center, call Marion Phoummarath, Coordinator of Educational Programs, at (979) 862-6700 or e-mail [worldroom@tamu.edu](mailto:worldroom@tamu.edu).