Spotlight on Turkey Conference/Workshop
February 28, 2015
CSU San Bernardino
Lower Commons – Pine Room

Agenda

8:15-8:30 am  Registration and coffee

8:30 am  Welcome and introductions – Margaret Hill, WAC Chair

8:45 am  **Strategic Geography of Modern Anatolia** – Dr. Kevin Grisham, Assistant Professor of Geography and Vice Chair, Center for Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies, CSUSB

10:00 am  Break

10:15 am  **Beginnings to Byzantium – Anatolia’s Place in the Evolution of Civilization** - Dr. Cheryl Riggs, Professor of World History (emeritus), CSUSB

11:30 am  Lunchtime cultural experience

12:30 pm  **Turkish Women Between Secularism and Islam: Women’s Issues and Multiple Feminist Movements in Turkey** – Dr. Ece Algan, Associate Professor of Communication Studies and Chair, Center for Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies, CSUSB

1:45 pm  **Teaching about Turkey** by Fellows of the Spotlight on Turkey Travel Study  
  Shawna Dachnahl, Patriot High School  
  Elizabeth Ramos, Alta Loma High School

**Overview of Educational Portal** – Turkish Cultural Foundation  
  Sample lesson plan

3:00  Overview of the Video Study Tour to Turkey - *Broad Horizons*  
  Video – Margaret Hill, WAC Chair  
  Q & A, timeline, and distribution of travel study paperwork