

Civil Rights K-12 Professional Learning Conference: Engaging the Long Arc of the Civil Rights Movement

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Use LOC primary sources to expand the teaching and student learning of **Long Arc of the Civil Rights Movement**

Strategies and Methods

- Consortium Partnership (MHS, MTSU, and USC) created 2-year TPS Civil Rights Fellowship
- 2-day professional learning experience developed to showcase *Engaging the Long Arc of the Civil Rights Movement*
- Outreach to Consortium Partners contacts, with NC, SC, TN, and ATL area school districts



Target Audience(s) and Focus Topic(s)

- Middle & High school educators (school librarians, English and social studies teachers),
- Expansive Understanding Civil Rights (within and beyond 1954-1965):
 - Local Civil Rights Histories
 - State Civil Rights Histories
 - Connection with Human Rights



"I want to express my most profound thanks for organizing the conference in Atlanta last week. It was the most meaningful and impactful professional development that I have gone to in many years (since long before COVID)."