Position Announcement: ESOL Teacher, FIUTS Seattle Language and Culture Institute
(temporary contract, July 22-August 3)

The Foundation for International Understanding Through Students (FIUTS) is seeking ESOL teachers for a 2-week summer program for international high school students participating in the Seattle Language and Culture Institute (SLCI). Program dates are July 21-August 4. The SLCI will welcome between 20-60 students, and will include separate English classes for students of different language levels. Students come from around the world. This position reports to the FIUTS Manager of Education Programs.

The ESOL teachers will be responsible for developing curriculum elements in connection with the program’s daily activities and delivering 3 hours of English instruction from 9:00am – 12:00pm on the following dates: Monday, July 23; Tuesday, July 24; Wednesday, July 25; Monday, July 30; Tuesday, July 31; Wednesday, August 1; Thursday, August 2; and Friday, August 3. Teachers will also participate in a pre-program orientation for students (Sunday, July 22, 10:00am-12:00pm) as well as the graduation ceremony (Friday, August 3, 6:00-8:00 PM).

All teachers are expected to:

- Develop lesson plans for English instruction based on daily themes and activities, focusing on speaking skills, listening comprehension, and developing confidence in speaking
- Deliver three-hour classes to a group of 12-15 students, aged 13-17, on each class day; classes will include English instruction for international participants as well as occasional cross-cultural sessions in collaboration with students from the U.S. who are participating in the SLCI Global Leadership class
- Check in with the Manager of Education Programs and other teachers daily before and/or after class to discuss lesson planning and student progress
- Attend a teacher team meeting before the start of the program and a debrief meeting after the end of the program (to be scheduled at mutually convenient times)
- Communicate clearly with the other teachers and FIUTS staff throughout the program to ensure that learning goals are being met and that experiences are similar between classroom groups
- Oversee classroom norms and ground rules
- Ensure class participation by all students
- Write final evaluations for each student

Qualifications:

- TESOL or secondary ESL certification, or equivalent training/experience
- Prior experience working with high school students required
- Ability to develop and teach interactive lessons with a focus on speaking and listening
- Ability to work with students from a range of backgrounds and language levels

Compensation is $1,200 for the 2-week session. To apply, send a resume and cover letter to Ellen Frierson, Manager of Education Programs, at ellen@fiuts.org. More information about the Seattle Language and Culture Institute can be found at www.fiuts.org/slci.