



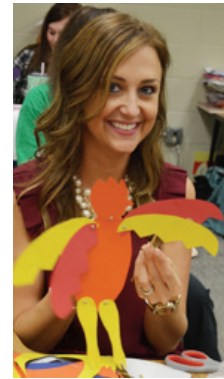
## Art Bridges 2017

Sponsored by  
Troy Pike Cultural Arts Center, Inc.

Professional Development for Teachers Grades K-12  
**Thursday & Friday, July 20 and 21, 2017**  
9:00 AM to 3:30 PM

### Tell it Like it Is!

Connecting Content through Dramatic Dialogue



#### Presenters

Hope Brannon, Pat Yates, and Michael Sims

Connecting  
Visual Art, Theatre, and Media Arts  
with

English Language Arts, Social Studies, Math, and Science

The Cultural Arts Studio  
301 East Walnut Street, Downtown Troy, AL

**Cost: \$150**

**FREE OF CHARGE** for public or private school teachers in Pike County

Lunch is provided both days

Earn up to 12 STIPD credits

Special conference rates with Best Western 334.566.1585

## Tell it Like it Is! Connecting Content through Dramatic Dialogue

In which areas of curriculum content do you need to boost in your students' knowledge and understanding? Consider helping them make interactive connections to deepen and emphasize the concepts they need to know.

We will have a strong emphasis on English Language Arts reading and writing, while mixing visual arts and drama with another subject area of your choice: social studies, math or science.



Draw: Print 3 by Hope Brannon

ArtBridges 2017 will feature exhibiting artists **Hope Brannon & Michael Vaughn Sims** along with drama and writing professor, **Pat Yates**.

Hope Brannon will get us started with backdrop painting and articulated shadow puppet creation.

We will then focus, with Pat Yates, on writing and editing simple scripts in a "Reader's Theater" style dialogue.

Michael Sims will lead lessons in the creation and architectural structure of portable cardboard stages. He will focus on flexible interior working systems that can be easily moved and manipulated in the classroom. We will explore options for the surface decoration of your very own "stage" to bring back to your classroom.

Our final product will be a Media Arts production your choice: either a stop-motion video of puppets in action or a live video of your original content-based play (in person or in puppets) in action.



Briar Patch by Michael Vaughn Sims

Questions? Call 334.670.2287

## REGISTRATION FORM

Return completed form by mail or email as soon as possible. Registration will close when the enrollment is full.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE(S): \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT(S) YOU TEACH: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE (ONLY USED IF NECESSARY): \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS WHERE YOU CAN BE REACHED IN SUMMER  
(OTHER THAN SCHOOL EMAIL ADDRESS):  
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Cost \$150  
**Limited to 50 Teachers**

(checks payable to The Johnson Center for the Arts)  
Register and pay online: [www.tpcac.org](http://www.tpcac.org)

Email completed forms to:  
[wiley@tpcac.org](mailto:wiley@tpcac.org)

Mail completed forms to:  
Johnson Center for the Arts P.O. Box 863 Troy, AL 36081

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Pike County Teachers: To receive a stipend, you must attend both full days!