



## A TEACHER'S HANDS ON GUIDE TO THE EUROPEAN UNION: TEACHING CONTEMPORARY EUROPE WITH DIGITAL RESOURCES

UNC Center for European Studies Resources

[europe.unc.edu](http://europe.unc.edu)

- Teaching Websites (all the websites below can be accessed via the link): [europe.unc.edu/teaching/ces-produced/](http://europe.unc.edu/teaching/ces-produced/)
  - ReOrienting the Veil- Multimedia and Bilingual (En/Fr) website that explores Islamic veiling practices in transnational contexts and from a multi-disciplinary perspective
  - European Identity- How successful has the European project been in creating a community of Europeans?
  - Euro Economics- An online “textbook” serving as an intro to economics through the lens of the EU
  - Global Music- Podcast “lessons” interspersing music from a world region with expert commentary. All European focused podcasts has accompanying lesson plan
  - Policy Briefs- Series of concise, topical document that examine economic and foreign policy in the EU, updated annually
  - Modern Europe Through Art (META)- Examines Modern European art through historical, political, and sociological perspectives
  - Francophone Identities- Bilingual (En/Fr) website examines the diversity of Francophone identities, in Europe and abroad
- Lesson Plan Database: [europe.unc.edu/teaching/lesson-plans/](http://europe.unc.edu/teaching/lesson-plans/)
- Workshop Materials and Teacher Training: [europe.unc.edu/teaching/workshops/](http://europe.unc.edu/teaching/workshops/)
  - Europe in Crisis? Dispelling Myths about the European Union (2013)
  - The New NC Essential Standards: Incorporating the European Union (2012)
  - More!
- Euro Challenge – A student competition for 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> graders to learn about the EU, the Euro, and the global economy: [euro-challenge.org](http://euro-challenge.org)

European Union Delegation to the United States Resources: [mpower.mosaicprint.com/EU](http://mpower.mosaicprint.com/EU)

- Classroom sets and PDFs of up-to-date EU maps
- Classroom sets and PDFs of The European Union: A Guide for Americans

European Union Resources- High production value educational games and quizzes, booklets, PowerPoints, and more

- Teacher’s Corner- organized by age group, access all student materials and accompanying teaching resources, teacher networking site, lesson plans, games: [europa.eu/teachers-corner/](http://europa.eu/teachers-corner/)
- Kid’s Corner- the student portal for the same content listed above. Great games and interactive quizzes for exploring and bell-ringers!: [europa.eu/kids-corner/](http://europa.eu/kids-corner/)
- Free booklets and materials- many materials free, some in classroom sets, most digital resources are free to download [bookshop.europa.eu](http://bookshop.europa.eu)

Additional Audio/Visual and Multimedia Materials

- European Commission Audiovisual services- Europe by Satellite, news, photos, videos, audio: [ec.europa.eu/avservices/index.cfm?sitelang=en](http://ec.europa.eu/avservices/index.cfm?sitelang=en)
- CES YouTube Video Channel- interviews with diplomats, researchers, lectures: [youtube.com/UNCEurope](http://youtube.com/UNCEurope)

Primary Sources

- European Union website-all EU treaties, press releases, topical resources : [Europa.eu](http://Europa.eu)
- The Europeana Project- An internet portal to millions of books, paintings, film, museum objects, and archival records [Europeana.eu](http://Europeana.eu)