



Session Information:

Session Title: LEARNING LESSONS FROM YA WAR LITERATURE
Topic Emphasis: Literature
Session Code: J.37
Session Time: Saturday 11/17/2012 2:45 pm - 4:00 pm
Location: Grand Ballroom Room 116, Level One
Capacity: 390
Session Format: Panel

Levels of Interest: Teacher Education, College, Secondary, Middle

What you can expect:

You don't have to have a loved one in the military to be affected by war.

Now, more than ever, with instant visuals and news updates from around the globe, WAR enters our lives on a daily basis. In this panel session, Chris Crowe (BYU), Dean Hughes (author Simon & Schuster) and Jen Bryant (author, R-House) will present and discuss how educators can use Y/A Literature in the classroom to explore the many relevant issues surrounding the topic of war and conflict. Teachers will be encouraged to share their own experiences and ideas in this session. A bibliography of suggested titles for use in the classroom and beyond will be distributed to all attendees.

A sampler of topics to be included: "Y/A Literature on War: An Overview for Educators," "Telling It Like It Is/Was: Authentic Portrayals of War," "How War Affects Those Left Behind."