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Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the 2021-2022 school year. We at Project AERO send you best wishes for a year of deep learning for both you and your students. Like you, we hope for a normal year without too many bumps in the road (We urge you to look at the AERO website www.projectaero.org and check out the section “Guidance for 2021-2022” for valuable resources as you look ahead to this year.)

More than 20 years ago, a small group of educators representing schools from every part of the world met to plan ways to bring the best of standards- based education to American/international schools. From those modest beginnings, Project AERO has grown in both richness and reach, now including the participation of thousands of teachers and administrators working in hundreds of schools.

A highlight of Project AERO has been its annual week-long AERO Summer Institute which, over the years, has provided high-quality, in- depth and content-rich professional enrichment to more than 1500 teachers. It is one of the very few professional learning opportunities that dives deeply into specific content areas.

We are now planning for next year’s AERO Summer Institute, which will be in person at Marymount University in Arlington, Virginia, from Sunday evening, June 19th through noon on Friday, June 24th, 2022. We will be offering workshops in Math, English/Language Arts, Social Studies, World Languages, Science and Academic Leadership/Curriculum Development. More information will be posted on this website at a later date and applications will be available in January. We invite you to consider being part of this outstanding professional learning experience.

With best wishes for a successful year ahead,

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