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# JUSTEC Conference 2015

27th Annual Japan-U.S. Teacher Education Consortium

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*September 14 – 17, 2015*

## BEYOND BORDERS: Teacher Education in Globalized Society

**Monday, Sept. 14th** School Visit: Local School Tour plus the National Flight Academy

Welcome Reception

**Tuesday, Sept. 15th** Presentations followed by Keynote Address

**Wednesday, Sept. 16th** Presentations

**Thursday, Sept. 17th** Presentations and Optional Tour

### **Dr. Pam Northrup, Associate Provost and Executive Director of the University of West Florida's Innovation Institute**

Dr. Pam Northrup has spent her career engaged in transformative educational projects with the goal of solving some of education's toughest challenges. She leads the Florida Virtual Campus as well as Florida's degree completion initiative, Complete Florida, where policy and best practice will emerge regarding competency-based education, prior learning assessment, and reducing the cost of education. Dr. Northrup recently served on the Florida Board of Governors Task Force for Postsecondary Online Education representing the academic and student needs for Florida. She publishes and speaks extensively with her most recent efforts focused on the development of systems that support transformational change. Dr. Northrup served as the Dean of the College of Professional Studies and developed the University of West Florida's distance learning model that serves over 30% of the university's student population.

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**Open to educators, teaching college faculty and graduate students interested in learning about comparative research on education in Japan and the United States. Those interested in submitting papers or posters should submit by March 15, 2015. For further information, please visit us online.**

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*The Japan-U.S. Teacher Education Consortium (JUSTEC) was established under the aegis of AACTE in the late 1980s. JUSTEC is a unique educational organization that supports its participants in pursuing not only academic endeavors but also professional networks, for growth in both research and teaching practices for Teacher Education. In addition to the continuous support from AACTE, the annual JUSTEC conference has gained the official support of the U.S. Embassy, Tokyo and the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology (MEXT), Japan, providing particular educational benefits for Japan-US educators and Teacher Education.*

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