



# Food as a Political Weapon

The University of Denver's *Center for Teaching International Relations* in conjunction with the *Colorado Committee to Commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Ukrainian Famine* present a full-day workshop:

## “Politics of Food: Past and Present”

Explore the manipulation and denial of food by governments today and in the past and the resulting **FAMINES**. This interesting one-day seminar addresses content, teaching strategies and provides free resources to integrate the subject of man-made famines into your classroom curriculum.

The workshop provides interactive lectures and multi-media presentations on:

- ◆ Creating a framework to teach about man-made disasters such as famines.
- ◆ Exploring thematic issues such as the use of food as a weapon to coerce.
- ◆ Introducing case studies of the man-made famine in Soviet Ukraine in which 7 to 10 million peasants perished in 1932-33, and the famine in Ethiopia in 1985.
- ◆ Examining the current situation in Darfur and other past famines in Africa.

### Distinguished Scholars Speaking:

**Daniel Abebe**, Dean, First College, Metropolitan State University, St. Paul, and Board Member of African Relief and Development Initiative.

**Carol Helstoksy**, Associate Professor of History at the University of Denver

**David Marples**, Director of the Stasiuk Program on Contemporary Ukraine, University of Alberta.

**Roman Serbyn**, Professor Emeritus, Universite du Quebec a Montreal.

**Mark von Hagen**, Chair of the Department of History, Arizona State University and former Director of the Harriman Institute of Columbia University.

### When:

**Oct. 11, 2008**  
**9 a.m.— 4 p.m.**

### Where:

**University of Denver**  
**Olin Hall Room 105**  
**2190 E. Iliff Ave.**  
(Adjacent Parking Lot O)

Workshop materials and lunch graciously provided by the Denver chapter of the Ukrainian Women's League of America.

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### **Cost:**

Workshop w/ lunch = \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

Workshop, lunch & CDE credit = \$50 \_\_\_\_\_

(this is for one (1) CDE Continuing Education Credit)

Students w/ ID = Free \_\_\_\_\_

Student Lunch (optional, if avail.) = \$5 \_\_\_\_\_

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