



# Decisions

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The Fed, the Economy and the Role of the Consumer  
A One-Day Workshop for Secondary Educators

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- 8:30 a.m.**      **Continental Breakfast**  
**Welcome**  
**Laura Smith**  
*President*  
*Louisiana Council for Economic Education*
- 9:00 a.m.**      **Economic Thought in Individual Decisionmaking**  
**Jennifer Staley**  
*Senior Economic and Financial Education Specialist*  
*Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, New Orleans Branch*
- 9:45 a.m.**      **Getting to Know the Fed**  
**Atlanta and Dallas Fed Economic Education Staff**
- 10:15 a.m.**      **Break**
- 10:30 a.m.**      **Decisionmaking at the Institutional Level**  
**Overview of the Federal Reserve**  
**Claire Loup**  
*Economic and Financial Education Specialist*  
*Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, New Orleans Branch*
- 11:15 a.m.**      **Break**
- 11:30 a.m.**      **Understanding Inflation and the Fed's Role in Price Stability**  
**Blair Roberts**  
*Economic Education Specialist*  
*Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas*
- 12:30 p.m.**      **Lunch**
- 1:30 p.m.**      **Tying It All Together for the Consumer: Making Sound Personal Finance Decisions**  
**Billie Jo Peart**  
*Louisiana Regional Director of Education*  
*Money Management International*
- 2:15 p.m.**      **Break**
- 2:30 p.m.**      **Teaching the Ethical Foundations of Economic Decisionmaking**  
**David Faerber**  
*Louisiana Council for Economic Education*  
  
**Marcy Misik**  
*Director, Ann Rosteet Hurley Center for Economic Education*  
*McNeese State University*
- 3:15 p.m.**      **Closing Remarks and Evaluation**
- 3:30 p.m.**      **Adjourn**