

ALBANY INSTITUTE OF HISTORY & ART

For New York State Teachers

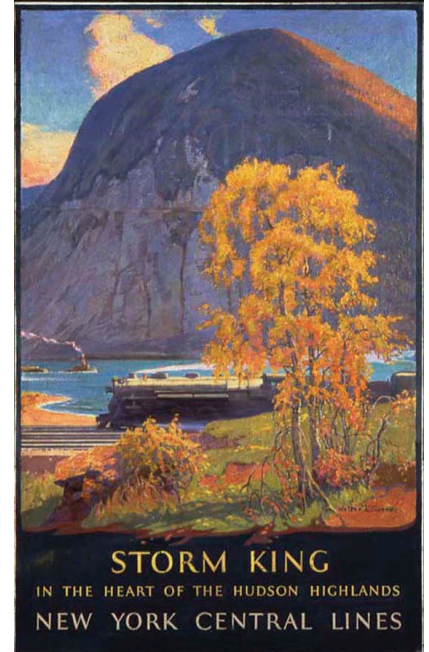
- **Quadricentennial Professional Development**
- **Free Admission for Students**
- **Subsidized Transportation and Substitute Funds**

The Albany Institute of History & Art will offer professional development opportunities and digital curriculum resources with the exhibition, *HUDSON RIVER PANORAMA: 400 Years of History, Art and Culture* from February 7, 2009 through January 3, 2010, produced in conjunction with the statewide Hudson-Fulton-Champlain Quadricentennial.

The *Hudson River Panorama* curriculum resource (a set of lessons with digital reproductions and supporting materials) will provide teachers with tools to introduce students to people of the past through authentic materials. Objects make teaching more understandable and illustrate the impact of state and national events on real people.

This exciting exhibition will engage students and will address NYS Education Department standards in multiple disciplines through five themes: Natural History and Environment; Community and Settlement; Trade, Commerce and Industry; Transportation; and Culture and Symbol.

The lessons will be shared in three, one-day long workshops offered in March and repeated in the fall. Up to six hours of professional development credits can be earned. An optional one-hour technology training session will be offered to help familiarize participants with digital teaching tools.



Storm King in the Heart of the Hudson Highlands, Walter L. Greene (1870-1956) c. 1925, AIHA, Gift of the NY Central Railroad



Rainbow Trout, Don Nice, anodized aluminum, 2004

Admission by application; limited to 15 teachers each day:

- **Elementary School Teachers** **March 4 or September 30, 2009**
- **Middle School Teachers** **March 5 or October 1, 2009**
- **High School Teachers** **March 6 or October 2, 2009**

All workshops are 9 am to 4 pm; optional technology training 8 am

Teachers will be provided with:

- **Reimbursement for the substitute teacher for their classroom for the day of training (up to \$100)**
- **Free admission for one class to visit the Albany Institute**
- **A \$100 subsidy for bus transportation for the class trip**
- **A digital and printed copy of the curriculum**



Striped Bass, Don Nice, anodized aluminum, 2004

For a copy of the application visit www.albanyinstitute.org and click on education, or contact

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