2017 Otway Fellowships
for South Carolina Public School Teachers

**Fellowships:** The Middlebury Bread Loaf School of English will offer a limited number of $8,545 Otway Fellowships for South Carolina public school teachers. The Fellowship will support summer study (two graduate courses) at the School of English in 2017. Fellows will be required to become active members of the Bread Loaf Teacher Network (BLTN), a state-of-the-art professional development network fostering pedagogical innovation and teacher research and advocacy year-round. Find more information about BLTN at [http://www.middlebury.edu/blse/bltn](http://www.middlebury.edu/blse/bltn) and [http://sites.middlebury.edu/bltnmag/](http://sites.middlebury.edu/bltnmag/).

**Eligibility:** All fellowship applicants must be full-time teachers in a South Carolina public school, must have completed a minimum of one year of teaching by June 2017, and must be teaching during the 2017-18 academic year. Applicants must also apply for admission to the Bread Loaf School of English.

**Fellowship Obligations:**

- Fellows must attend one of Bread Loaf's U.S. campuses and take two graduate courses, including one designated Group 1 course in writing, pedagogy, or literacy (contact Dana Olsen for course options).
- All fellows must participate in weekly BLTN campus meetings during the summer; they will also work with BLTN partners to plan projects they will undertake during the 2017-18 academic year.
- During the 2017-18 academic year, fellows must attend all meetings and participate in the activities of their BLTN state or local group.
- Fellows must submit three detailed reports on their BLTN projects and activities:
  - Before the end of classes at their campus: a report on Bread Loaf courses and summer work, and proposal detailing their project plans for 2017-18;
  - February 1, 2018: a progress report on their BLTN projects and activities;
  - June 15, 2018: a final report on their BLTN projects and activities.

- Fellows must acknowledge the Middlebury Bread Loaf School of English, the Bread Loaf Teacher Network, and the Otway Fellowship in all publications and presentations resulting from the fellowship year.

**Award notifications:** Fellowship recipients will be chosen and notified on a rolling basis.