



History with CISS

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Director:
St. Michael's

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This coming summer will be my second year as a CISS camp director and I'm as excited as ever! I bring to the position many years of experience in camp coordination and ESL education, but most importantly, I bring a passion for the opportunities available in an international urban camp setting like CISS's residential programme at St. Michael's College.

So many of my most cherished lessons in life came from meeting and getting to know new people while traveling, working, and studying abroad. I have lived in Canada, Japan, Korea, Vietnam, Costa Rica, and the US, and traveled to more than 45 countries, including most of the home countries of our campers. These experiences have left me with the firm belief that exposing yourself to different ways of seeing the world is the best education you will ever receive. I am currently a PhD student at the University of Toronto where I study citizenship education for immigrants to Canada.

When I'm not in school, my hobbies include reading, cycling, traveling, and spending time with great friends. I am also a bit of a film buff, having worked for a number of small and large film festivals. Finally, I love the way education has the potential to empower; I have been involved in education on various levels for my whole life, as a student, a teacher, an administrator, and a curriculum developer.

Director's Message:

I'm very much looking forward to the summer at St. Michael's. Our upcoming programme is full of exciting events and consists of an amazing team of teachers and counsellors. Whether studying, visiting local attractions, or bonding over movies and summer festivals in the evening, I promise that this will be one of the most memorable summers of your life! All I ask of you is that you bring your passion, enthusiasm, and an open-mind.

Welcome to St. Michael's!