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Dean Tsutsui has a longstanding commitment to professional development for K-12 educators, world language education in the schools, and curriculum development in international education and social studies. He chaired the Kansas Committee for International Education in the Schools, directed the Kansas Consortium for Teaching about Asia, and was co-project director on a \$661,000 Teaching American History grant from the US Department of Education. He currently serves on the Blue Ribbon Commission on Education of the Dallas Independent School District.