

# PROGRAM

## SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION 65TH ANNUAL MEETING

Headquarters: The Worthington Hotel  
Fort Worth, Texas  
November 3-6, 1999

**Wednesday, November 3: 8:00 P.M.**

**Brazos I & II**

### 1. A CONVERSATION WITH ZELL MILLER

**PRESIDING:** Dan T. Carter, Emory University

**PANELISTS:** Anthony J. Badger, University of Cambridge  
Glenda E. Gilmore, Yale University  
Sheldon Hackney, University of Pennsylvania  
Arvarh E. Strickland, University of Missouri

**RESPONSE:** Honorable Zell Miller, Former Governor of Georgia  
Emory University and University of Georgia

**RECEPTION:** Immediately following this session, the Local Arrangements Committee will host a reception for SHA members and their guests. See facing page for details.

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**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Brazos II**

### 2. A PERSISTENCE OF SPIRIT: SOUTHERN MERCHANTS, INDUSTRIALISTS, AND ENTREPRENEURS, 1836-1914

**PRESIDING:** David L. Carlton, Vanderbilt University

“Cotton and Commerce: The Houston-Galveston Merchant Community and Economic Development in Texas, 1836-1880”

Suzanne L. Summers, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

“Death and Taxes: The Coosaw Mining Company’s War with South Carolina”

Shepherd W. McKinley, University of Delaware

“A Little Higher in Price, But . . .”: The Rock Hill Buggy Company and the Development of a New Industry for the New South, 1886-1914”

Craig S. Pascoe, University of Georgia

**COMMENTS:** Philip B. Scranton, Georgia Institute of Technology

Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.

Elm Fork I

**3. TRADERS AND SOUTHERN INDIANS: INTERSECTIONS OF KINSHIP, SEX, TRADE, AND POLITICS BEFORE 1800**

PRESIDING: Kathryn E. Holland Braund, Dadeville, Alabama

“Invited to Stay: Resident Traders and the Transformation of Choctaw Society in the Eighteenth Century”

Greg O’Brien, University of Southern Mississippi

“‘Trading Girls’ and ‘Winchester Weddings’: Gender and Sex on the Eighteenth-Century Middle Ground”

Andrew Kevin Frank, University of Massachusetts

COMMENTS: James T. Carson, Queens University

Kathryn E. Holland Braund

Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.

Brazos I

**4. FRANK A. OWSLEY’S *PLAIN FOLK OF THE OLD SOUTH* AFTER FIFTY YEARS**

PRESIDING: Stephanie McCurry, Northwestern University

PANELISTS: Ted Ownby, University of Mississippi

John C. Inscoe, University of Georgia

Beth Barton Schweiger, *Journal of Southern Religion*

Anthony Gene Carey, Auburn University

Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.

Elm Fork II

**5. RACE, GENDER, AND FREEDOM: BLACK MIGRATION TO THE NORTH, 1862-1900**

PRESIDING: Raymond Gavins, Duke University

“Encountering Emancipation: Slave Migration to the Midwest during the Civil War”

Leslie A. Schwalm, University of Iowa

“‘Gone Up North’: The Construction of Migration Networks, Community, and Identity Among Southern Blacks in New England”

Janette T. Greenwood, Clark University

“‘To Aid the Freedwomen to Become Self-supporting’: Women Reformers and the Northern Migration of Freedwomen during Reconstruction”

Carol Faulkner, Pomona College

COMMENTS: Joseph P. Reidy, Howard University

**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Bur Oak**

**6. BETWEEN BAROQUE ABSOLUTISM AND  
ENLIGHTENMENT DISCOURSE: THE 'PUBLIC' IN  
EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY GERMANY**

**PRESIDING:** John Mears, Southern Methodist University

**"Maps, Monuments, and the Postal System in Baroque Saxony: The Public Representation of Absolutism"**

Bernard Heise, Cornell University

**"Creating Connoisseurs: Eighteenth-Century German Music Criticism and the Invention of a Musical Public Sphere"**

John Mangum, University of California, Los Angeles

**"'Your well-known Justice': The Perception of Imperial Rule Through Artisanal Petitions in Vienna, 1780-1790"**

Celia Goedde, Georgetown University

**COMMENTS:** John Mears

**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Live Oak II**

**7. REMEMBRANCES OF TEACHING LATIN AMERICAN  
HISTORY IN THE SOUTH: A ROUNDTABLE**

**PRESIDING:** Rosemary Brana-Shute, College of Charleston

**PANELISTS:** John A. Britton, Francis Marion University

J. León Helguera, Vanderbilt University

Ralph Lee Woodward, Texas Christian University

**COMMENTS:** The Audience

**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Post Oak**

**8. SOUTHERN CLUBWOMEN, 1904-1954**

**PRESIDING:** Amy Thompson McCandless, College of Charleston

**"Conservation, Beautification, and Books: Gender, Race, and Citizenship in Beaufort, South Carolina, 1904-1932"**

Monica M. Tetzlaff, Indiana University, South Bend

**"Class, Race, Gender, and Power: African American Women's Struggles for Civil Rights in Richmond, 1940-1954"**

Megan Taylor Shockley, University of Arizona

**"White Atlanta Clubwomen and the Fight for Child Welfare, 1910-1929"**

Sarah Judson, University of North Carolina, Asheville

**COMMENTS:** Kent A. Leslie, Oglethorpe University

**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Pecos I**

**9. THE POLITICS AND CULTURE OF WHITE SUPREMACY IN  
TWENTIETH-CENTURY VIRGINIA**

**PRESIDING:** Linda Reed, University of Houston

**"Redefining Race: The Campaign for Racial Purity in Virginia, 1920-1930"**  
J. Douglas Smith, California Institute of Technology

**"The Politics of Reform: Race, Education, and Citizenship in Virginia,  
1945-1954"**

Andrew B. Lewis, University of Virginia

**COMMENTS:** Davison M. Douglas, William and Mary School of Law  
John T. Kneebone, Library of Virginia

**Thursday, November 4: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Pecos II**

**10. THE CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT IN SOUTH CAROLINA**

**PRESIDING:** George B. Tindall, University of North Carolina,  
Chapel Hill

**"'Bridge Over Troubled Waters': Matthew J. Perry and the Civil Rights  
Movement in South Carolina"**

Robert J. Moore, Columbia College

**"Modjeska Monteith Simkins: Advisor to the Southern Negro Youth  
Congress"**

Barbara A. Woods, South Carolina State University

**"The Impact of the Civil Rights Movement on a White Activist"**  
M. Hayes Mizell, Edna McConnell Clark Foundation

**COMMENTS:** Cleveland Sellers, University of South Carolina

**Thursday, November 4: 11:30 A.M.**

**Reflections**

**11. PHI ALPHA THETA LUNCHEON**

**PRESIDING:** David T. Morgan, University of Montevallo

**"JFK: A Retrospective"**

James N. Giglio, Southwest Missouri State University

**Thursday, November 4: 11:45 A.M.-1:00 P.M.**

**Elm Fork I**

**12. WORKSHOP I—INTERVIEWING AND JOB STRATEGIES**

**PRESIDING:** Drew Gilpin Faust, University of Pennsylvania  
Amy Thompson McCandless, College of Charleston

**PANELISTS:** Other scholars, teachers, administrators

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**Thursday, November 4: 1:00 P.M.**

**Elm Fork II**

**13. SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION BUSINESS MEETING**

**PRESIDING:** James C. Cobb, University of Georgia

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**Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Pecos I**

**14. SOUTHERN AND NEW ENGLAND WOMEN IN CRISIS TIMES**

**PRESIDING:** Karen Anderson, University of Arizona

“‘The Worst Results in Mississippi May Prove the Best for Us’: Blanche Butler Ames and Reconstruction”

Warren Ellem, La Trobe University

“Prelude to Norma Rae: Unruly Women in the 1934 Textile Strike”

John Salmond, La Trobe University

“North and South in World War II: Government Policy, Working Women, and the Wartime Labor Market in Connecticut and Alabama”

William J. Breen, La Trobe University

**COMMENTS:** Laura F. Edwards, University of California, Los Angeles

**Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Pecos II**

**15. NEW DIRECTIONS IN SOUTH CAROLINA HISTORY**

**PRESIDING:** Rachel N. Klein, University of California, San Diego

“South Carolina’s Eighteenth-Century Grand Jury Presentments: Roads, Law and Slavery in the Forging of Popular Legal Culture”

Sally E. Hadden, Florida State University

“Revolution or Counter Revolution? The Political Ideology of Secession in Antebellum South Carolina”

Manisha Sinha, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

“[T]hey who lay the taxes do not pay them . . . .’: The 1870-1874 South Carolina Tax Crisis and the Denigration of African-American Labor”

Heather Richardson, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**COMMENTS:** Michael P. Johnson, Johns Hopkins University

**Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Post Oak**

**16. WOMEN’S EXPERIENCE IN COLONIAL SPANISH AMERICA: THE KIMBERLY S. HANGER MEMORIAL PANEL**

**PRESIDING:** Caroline Castillo-Crimm, Sam Houston State University

“Women of Color in Colonial Spanish New Orleans: The Historiographical Legacy of Kimberly S. Hanger”

Virginia Gould, Our Lady of Holy Cross College

“Maroon Women in Spanish America”

Jane G. Landers, Vanderbilt University

“The Wetnurses of Jocotenango: Forced Female Servitude in Late Colonial Guatemala”

Stephen Webre, Louisiana Tech University

**COMMENTS:** Victoria Hennessey Cummins, Austin College

Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Bur Oak

## 17. ETHNICITY IN THE SOUTH

PRESIDING: Randall M. Miller, St. Joseph's University

"'If the Paddies are knocked overboard, or get their backs broke, nobody loses anything': Irish Immigrants and the Peculiar Institution"

David T. Gleeson, Armstrong Atlantic State University

"Chinese Opium Smoking, Texas Girls, and Victorian Values, 1870-1900"

Diana L. Ahmad, University of Dallas

"The Lynching of Italian Immigrants in the American South, 1886-1910"

Clive Webb, University of Reading

COMMENTS: John Shelton Reed, University of North Carolina

Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Live Oak III

## 18. COMPROMISING NATIONAL IDENTITIES: EAST CENTRAL EUROPE IN THE ERA OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR

PRESIDING: Alice-Catherine Carls, University of Tennessee, Martin

"American Slovaks and the Beginnings of the Slovak Autonomy Movement in Czechoslovakia, 1918-1923"

Brian Hodson, Western Washington University

"Unlikely Partnerships: The Search for Peace and Understanding in East Central Europe, 1910-1914"

T. Mills Kelly, Texas Tech University

"Self-Determined Identity: Humor, the Plebescite, and the Ethnic Divide in Upper Silesia, 1918-1921"

Hunt Tooley, Austin College

COMMENTS: Maura E. Hametz, Old Dominion University

Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Elm Fork I

**19. POOR PEOPLE UNITE!: GRASSROOTS CAMPAIGNS FOR RACIAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE**

PRESIDING: Constance Curry, Atlanta, Georgia

““Poor Whites on the Move!”: Race and Gender in a New South Anti-Poverty Campaign”

Christina Greene, University of South Florida

“Rescuers from Poverty: African-American Women, Rights and Economic Activism”

Rhonda Y. Williams, Case Western Reserve University

“From Intimidation to Mobilization: The Impact of Neighborhood Organizing on Working-Class African Americans”

Lisa Gayle Hazirjian, Duke University

COMMENTS: Michael Honey, University of Washington, Tacoma

Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Brazos I

**20. V.O. KEY'S SOUTHERN POLITICS IN STATE AND NATION AFTER FIFTY YEARS**

PRESIDING: Hugh Davis Graham, Vanderbilt University

PANELISTS: Earl Black, Rice University

Gail W. O'Brien, North Carolina State University

Robert A. Pratt, University of Georgia

Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Elm Fork II

**21. RESTRICTIONS AND RESULTS: BLACK JOURNALISM IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY**

PRESIDING: Henry Lewis Suggs, Clemson University

“Evelyn Cunningham at the *Pittsburgh Courier*: The First Decade”

Frankie Hutton, Howard University

“Roscoe Conkling Simmons and the Mechanics of African-American Journalism, 1899-1951”

Andrew Miles Kaye, University of Cambridge

“John Henry McCray: Journalism, Influence, and Political Leadership in South Carolina's Early Civil Rights Movement, 1939-1954”

Wim Roefs, University of South Carolina

COMMENTS: Julius E. Thompson, University of Missouri

**Thursday, November 4: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Brazos II**

**22. GENDERED DIMENSIONS OF RACIAL VIOLENCE: CASE STUDIES IN SOUTHERN HISTORY**

**PRESIDING:** W. Fitzhugh Brundage, University of Florida

**"Sexual Violence as Political Fantasy: Klan Attacks on African-American Women During Reconstruction"**

Hannah Rosen, University of Chicago

**"Raped and Lynched: Black Female Victims of Mob Violence in the New South, 1880-1930"**

Crystal Feimster, Princeton University

**"Moral Outrage: Police Brutality, Sexual Assault, and Memphis's 'War at Home'"**

Laurie Beth Green, University of Chicago

**COMMENTS:** Darlene Clark Hine, Michigan State University

**Thursday, November 4: 8:30 P.M.**

**Brazos I & II**

**23. ANNUAL PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS OF THE ASSOCIATION**

**PRESIDING:** Carol K. Bleser, Clemson University

**"An Epitaph for the North: Reflections on the Politics of Regional and National Identity at the Millennium"**

James C. Cobb, University of Georgia

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Pecos I**

**24. RELIGIOUS TOLERATION IN VIRGINIA BEFORE AND AFTER JEFFERSON'S STATUTE**

**PRESIDING:** Warren M. Billings, University of New Orleans

**"A Commissary Questions Religious Establishments: James Blair and Religious Toleration in the Early Eighteenth Century"**

Edward L. Bond, Alabama A&M University

**"Virginia's Bible Wars: Separating Church and State in the Early Twentieth Century"**

Thomas E. Buckley, Jesuit School of Theology, Berkeley

**COMMENTS:** Patricia Bonomi, New York University

Joan R. Gundersen, Elon College

Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.

Pecos II

**25. CARPETBAGGERS AND OUTSIDE AGITATORS: NEW PERSPECTIVES ON SOUTHERNERS AND OUTSIDERS**

PRESIDING: Elsa Barkley Brown, University of Maryland

“Northern Capitalists May Feel Safe in His Hands’: Rethinking Southerners and Carpetbaggers”

Anne Sarah Rubin, American University

“Yankee Voyeurs Coming South’: SSOC, SDS, and Outside Agitators in the 1960s South”

Gregg L. Michel, University of Virginia

COMMENTS: Clarence L. Mohr, University of South Alabama

Charles Eagles, University of Mississippi

Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.

Live Oak II

**26. LESTER LANGLEY’S *THE AMERICAS IN THE AGE OF REVOLUTION, 1750-1850*: REGIONAL AND HEMISPHERIC PERSPECTIVES**

PRESIDING: Richmond Brown, University of South Alabama

“A North American Perspective”

April L. Hatfield, Texas A&M University

“A Caribbean Perspective”

Thomas Ott, University of North Alabama

“A Spanish American Perspective”

Lance Grahn, Marquette University

COMMENTS: Lester D. Langley, University of Georgia

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Bur Oak**

**27. EDUCATION AND THE SCIENCE OF SOCIETY IN FRANCE**

**PRESIDING:** Joanne Sánchez, St. Edwards University

“Education and the Care of Souls: The University of Paris, the Order of St. Victor, and the Paris Parishioner, 1237-1317”

Marshall Crossnoe, Lincoln University

“Education, Amusement, and Popular Science: The Dissemination of Knowledge in Eighteenth-Century Paris”

Michael Lynn, Agnes Scott College

“Publicizing the Science of Society: The Fourierist Press in 1840s France”

Dierdre Weaver, West Texas A&M University

**COMMENTS:** Steven G. Reinhardt, University of Texas, Arlington

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Elm Fork I**

**28. CALL AND RESPONSE: ROMAN CATHOLIC SISTERHOODS  
IN THE ANTEBELLUM SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Carol K. Coburn, Avila College

“Missionary Venture Capitalists: The New Orleans Ursulines and the Spread of American Catholicism, 1830-1852”

Emily J. Clark, University of Cambridge

“‘Wild Girls Make the Better Nuns’: Class and Ethnicity in Visitation Convents of the Antebellum Upper South”

Joseph G. Mannard, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

“‘A Religious Society of Coloured Women’: The Oblate Sisters of Providence in Antebellum Baltimore”

Diane Batts Morrow, University of Georgia

**COMMENTS:** Patricia Byrne, C.S.J., Trinity College

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Brazos I**

**29. ROLL, JORDAN, ROLL AT TWENTY-FIVE**

**PRESIDING:** Kenneth M. Stamp, University of California, Berkeley

**PANELISTS:** Julie Saville, University of Chicago  
Charles B. Dew, Williams College  
Barbara J. Fields, Columbia University  
William Dusinberre, University of Warwick

**COMMENTS:** Eugene D. Genovese, Atlanta, Georgia

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Post Oak**

**30. SOUTHERN WOMEN AND THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY:  
POWER, POLICY, AND DISSENT, 1920-1960**

**PRESIDING:** Elisabeth Israels Perry, Saint Louis University

“A Southerner Goes to Washington: Minnie Fisher Cunningham and the Remaking of the Woman’s National Democratic Club”

Judith N. McArthur, University of Houston, Victoria

“Feminism, Liberalism, and Academic Freedom: Women and the Battle for Control of the University of Texas”

Nancy Beck Young, McKendree College

“The ‘Strange Career’ of the White Women’s Anti-Poll Tax Movement in Alabama, 1933-1953”

Sarah Wilkerson-Freeman, Arkansas State University

**COMMENTS:** Roger Biles, East Carolina University

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Elm Fork II**

**31. THE POLITICS OF ECONOMIC CRISIS AND RACE IN  
TWENTIETH-CENTURY GERMANY**

**PRESIDING:** Donald M. McKale, Clemson University

“The Twelve Years’ Crisis in Germany, 1912-1924”

Edmund Clingan, University of North Dakota

“Masked Racism: The Protection of Liberal Democracy in the Federal Republic of Germany, 1970-1993”

Rachel Greenwald, University of California, Irvine

**COMMENTS:** James C. Albisetti, University of Kentucky  
Donald M. McKale

**Friday, November 5: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**Brazos II**

**32. SOUTHERN RESISTANCE TO THE CIVIL RIGHTS  
MOVEMENT**

**PRESIDING:** Douglas Brinkley, University of New Orleans

**"Strom Thurmond and the Civil Rights Movement"**

Jack Bass, College of Charleston

**"To 'Help Salvage the Best Possible Future for Mississippi': Civil Rights,  
States' Rights, and the Transformation of the Mississippi State Sovereignty  
Commission"**

Yasuhiro Katagiri, Tokai University

**COMMENTS:** Charles Payne, Duke University

Douglas Brinkley

**Friday, November 5: 11:45 A.M.-1:45 P.M.**

**Elm Fork II**

**33. WORKSHOP II—SEXUAL HARASSMENT IN THE  
HISTORICAL PROFESSION**

**PRESIDING:** Thomas H. Appleton, Jr., Kentucky Historical Society

**PANELISTS:** Carol K. Bleser, Clemson University

Paul K. Conkin, Vanderbilt University

Janet L. Schmelzer, Tarleton State University

**Friday, November 5: 12 Noon**

**Reflections**

**34. EUROPEAN HISTORY SECTION LUNCHEON**

**PRESIDING:** Robert R. Crout, Charleston Southern University

**"On Privacy: The Core of Victorian Bourgeois Culture"**

Peter Gay, Yale University

Center for Scholars and Writers, New York Public Library

**Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Brazos I**

**35. THE CONTRIBUTION OF RICHARD WENTWORTH**

**PRESIDING:** Daniel C. Littlefield, University of South Carolina

**PANELISTS:** Anne Firor Scott, Duke University  
Bill C. Malone, Madison, Wisconsin  
August Meier, Kent State University  
David Montgomery, Yale University

**COMMENTS:** Richard L. Wentworth, University of Illinois Press

**Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Pecos II**

**36. EARLY BATTLEGROUNDS OF THE SLAVERY CONFLICT:  
THREE CRISES IN CONGRESS, THE SOUTH, AND THE OLD  
NORTHWEST**

**PRESIDING:** William W. Freehling, University of Kentucky

“‘It is needful, expedient, and politic to prohibit the further extension of involuntary servitude’: Senators David Morrill and William Smith Debate the Future of Slavery and Free Labor in Missouri”

James C. Foley, University of Mississippi

“‘The deadly influence of negro capitalists’: Southern Yeomen and Resistance to the Expansion of Slavery in the Old Northwest”

Suzanne Cooper Guasco, College of William and Mary

“‘To ‘Deluge our Land in Blood’: The 1835 Abolitionist Postal Campaign in the U.S. South”

Susan Wyly-Jones, Harvard University

**COMMENTS:** William W. Freehling

Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Elm Fork I

**37. EXPLORING NINETEENTH-CENTURY AFRICAN-AMERICAN ENGLISH: BUILDING BRIDGES BETWEEN LINGUISTS AND HISTORIANS**

PRESIDING: Leslie S. Rowland, University of Maryland

“The Regional Diversity of African-American English in the Nineteenth Century”

Michael B. Montgomery, University of South Carolina

“New Directions and New Sources in the Study of Nineteenth-Century African-American Language and Culture”

Jeutonne P. Brewer, University of North Carolina,  
Greensboro

COMMENTS: David Hackett Fischer, Brandeis University  
Thavolia Glymph, Pennsylvania State University

Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Elm Fork II

**38. SLAVE RESISTANCE IN THE SPANISH-AMERICAN BORDERLANDS AND TERRITORIAL SOUTH**

PRESIDING: Christopher Morris, University of Texas, Arlington

“‘For the purpose of destroying her Master’: Anglo/Spanish Notions of Law and the Power of a Female Slave”

Andrew McMichael, Vanderbilt University

“‘Irresistibly Stimulated to Vengeance’: Anxious Planters and Defiant Slaves in Territorial Mississippi”

David J. Libby, Western Washington University

COMMENTS: Cheryl Martin, University of Texas, El Paso  
Light Townsend Cummins, Austin College

**Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Live Oak III**

**39. GENDER AND GENDERED HISTORY IN EUROPE**

**PRESIDING: Richard Golden, University of North Texas**

**“Legitimate Violence: Social Control and Crimes of Passion in Fin-de-Siècle Paris”**

**Eliza Earle Ferguson, Duke University**

**“The German-Jewish Embrace of Masculinity: The Last Stage of Acculturation”**

**Greg Caplan, Georgetown University**

**COMMENTS: Julie Hardwick, Texas Christian University**

**Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**Pecos I**

**40. LABOR AND CIVIL RIGHTS AMONG MEXICAN-AMERICANS IN THE SOUTH**

**PRESIDING: Vicki Ruiz, Arizona State University**

**“Mexican Migratory Labor in Post-World War II American Agriculture”**

**Roger L. Jungmeyer, Lincoln University**

**“Mexican-Americans, Coalitions, and Civil Rights During the 1960s”**

**Craig A. Kaplowitz, Vanderbilt University**

**“World War II, the Good Neighbor Policy, and Reform in the Education of Mexican-Americans in Texas”**

**Carlos Kevin Blanton, Rice University**

**COMMENTS: Emilio Zamora, University of Houston**

Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Post Oak

**41. BELIEF SYSTEMS AND IDEOLOGIES IN TWENTIETH-CENTURY EUROPE**

PRESIDING: Michael D. Richards, Sweet Briar College

"Beyond 'Total Domination': Rethinking the Idea of Totalitarianism"  
David D. Roberts, University of Georgia

"Sanctity, Socialism, and the Bottom Line: The Politics of Cooperation in Lisieux, 1914-1925"

Matthew J. Dowling, Providence College

"The Hungarian Censor Molds the Nation: Images of Hungarians and Hungary in Film in the 1930s"

David S. Frey, Columbia University

COMMENTS: Marion Deshmukh, George Mason University

Friday, November 5: 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Bur Oak

**42. CATASTROPHE AND CATALYST: GALVESTON AND THE 1900 STORM**

PRESIDING: David R. Goldfield, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

"Gender, Race, and the Reconstruction of Galveston, 1900-1915"  
Elizabeth Hayes Turner, University of Houston, Downtown

"'It Must Be Made Safe': Engineering Responses to the 1900 Storm"  
Patricia Bellis Bixel, *Journal of Southern History*

COMMENTS: Bradley R. Rice, Clayton College and State University  
Nan E. Woodruff, Pennsylvania State University

Friday, November 5 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Brazos II

**43. GENDERED IMAGES IN THE MIND OF THE TWENTIETH-CENTURY SOUTH**

PRESIDING: William H. Chafe, Duke University

“This Daughter of Alabama’: Tallulah Bankhead, Scarlett O’Hara, and Southern Iconography in the 1930s”

Carolyn Terry Bashaw, Le Moyne College

“The Wedding Industry and the Southern Bride”

Vicki Howard, University of Texas

COMMENTS: Mary Odem, Emory University

Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.

Elm Fork I

**44. STRANGE NEW WORLDS: ATTITUDES TOWARD THE NEW AND NOVEL**

PRESIDING: Stephen Maizlish, University of Texas, Arlington

“Containing the Marvelous: Instructions to Sojourners and Shippers”

Phyllis Whitman Hunter, University of North Carolina,  
Greensboro

“‘Strangers in a Strange Land’: The Church and the World in *The Weekly Message*, 1851-1861”

Cheryl F. Junk, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

COMMENTS: Paul K. Conkin, Vanderbilt University

Jewel L. Spangler, University of Calgary

**Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**Pecos I**

**45. SOUTHERN AFRICAN AMERICANS IN THE NORTH**

**PRESIDING:** Kenneth W. Goings, University of Memphis

**"Boats Against the Current: African-American Steamboat Workers and the Underground Railroad in the West, 1811-1860"**

Thomas Buchanan, Cambridge Massachusetts

**"'Colored Comrades': African Americans in the Grand Army of the Republic and the Construction of Interracial Veteranhood"**

Barbara A. Gannon, Pennsylvania State University

**"Federal Labor Recruitment and the 'Underground Railroad' in the Rural South During World War II, 1941-1945"**

Charles D. Chamberlain, Tulane University

**COMMENTS:** Kenneth W. Goings

**Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**Post Oak**

**46. GROWING UP DISABLED IN THE NINETEENTH-CENTURY SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Peter McCandless, College of Charleston

**"'He well deserves all our affection': Accepting and Accommodating Mental Retardation in a North Carolina Planter Family"**

Penny Richards, University of California, Santa Barbara

**"'Stand upon man's platform of equality': Deafness and Communication in an Elite Louisiana Family"**

Hannah Joyner, Gallaudet University

**COMMENTS:** Steven Noll, University of Florida  
Sally G. McMillen, Davidson College

**Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**Brazos I**

**47. THOMAS JEFFERSON, SALLY HEMMINGS, AND THE DNA EVIDENCE**

**PRESIDING:** David Brion Davis, Yale University

**PANELISTS:** Annette Gordon-Read, New York Law School  
James Horton, George Washington University  
Peter Onuf, University of Virginia

**Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**Live Oak II**

**48. REVOLUTION AND INDEPENDENCE IN MODERN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN**

**PRESIDING:** Edward L. Cox, Rice University

“Red, White, Blue, and Black: The U.S., African-Americans, and Independence Movements in the British West Indies during World War II”  
Jason C. Parker, University of Florida

“The Moncada Attack: Origin of the Cuban Revolution”  
Antonio Rafael de la Cova, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

“Devolution of a Revolution: The Bolivian Revolution, 1956-1964”  
James F. Siekmeir, Angelo State University

**COMMENTS:** Andrew Boeger, Linfield College

**Saturday, November 6: 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**Live Oak III**

**49. THE FORMATION OF WEST GERMAN SOCIETY**

**PRESIDING:** David R. Dorondo, Western Carolina University

“Youth and the Working Class: The Politics of Identity in Postwar German Social Democracy”  
Bruce Lidl, Stanford University

“The Expelee Constituency in West German Politics, 1945-1955”  
Daniel Rolde, University of California, Berkeley

“The Social Market Economy and West German Identity”  
James Van Hook, University of Virginia

**COMMENTS:** Rebecca Boehling, University of Maryland,  
Baltimore County