

# PROGRAM

## SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION 72ND ANNUAL MEETING

Headquarters: Sheraton Birmingham Hotel  
Birmingham, Alabama  
November 15-18, 2006

**Wednesday, November 15: 8:00 P.M.**

**Sheraton Ballrooms 3 & 4**

### **1. AN EVENING WITH ERNEST J. GAINES**

**PRESIDING:** Barbara J. Fields, Columbia University

**How James Meredith Saved My Writing Career**

Ernest J. Gaines, University of Louisiana, Lafayette, Emeritus

**RECEPTION:** Immediately following this session, the Local Arrangements Committee will host a reception for SHA members and their guests in the Birmingham Museum of Art located across the street from the Sheraton Birmingham Hotel. The reception is funded by the Alabama Power Company. For additional information on Mr. Gaines, see page 37.

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**Thursday, November 16: 9:30-11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room D**

### **2. VICTIMS, VILLAINS, AND VIOLENCE IN REPRESENTATIONS OF SLAVERY**

**PRESIDING:** Sally E. Hadden, Florida State University

**The Cruelty of Slavery, the Cruelty of Freedom: Pain, Violence, and the  
American Slavery Debate**

Margaret Abruzzo, University of Alabama

**On their Best Behavior: Children in the Visual Culture of Slavery**

Elizabeth Kuebler-Wolf, Indiana University

**Empowered White Femininity and the Sacrifice of the Black Rebel in Antebellum  
Slavery Texts**

Sarah N. Roth, Widener University

**COMMENTS:** Alfred L. Brophy, University of Alabama School of Law

Sally E. Hadden

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room F**

**3. A GERMAN IN ANTEBELLUM AND CIVIL WAR AMERICA:  
PERSPECTIVES ON FRANCIS LIEBER**

**PRESIDING:** Randall Miller, Saint Joseph's University

Francis Lieber's Attitude on Race, Slavery, and Abolition  
Hartmut Keil, University of Leipzig

The Agony of Francis Lieber: The Tragedy behind General Orders No. 100  
Matthew Mancini, Saint Louis University

**COMMENTS:** John David Smith, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room J**

**4. UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES: THE POLITICS OF  
PUNISHMENT AND IMPRISONMENT IN THE SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Karin Shapiro, Duke University

Disfranchisement and Disqualification: Infamous Criminals and Petitions for  
Restoration of Citizenship in Tennessee, 1880–1950  
Pippa Holloway, Middle Tennessee State University

Blinded by a "Barbaric" South: Prison Horrors, Inmate Abuse and the Ironic  
History of Penal Reform in Post-World War II America  
Heather Ann Thompson, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

Politics, Religion, and Death: The Strange History of Tennessee's Death Penalty  
in the Twentieth Century  
Amy Staples, Middle Tennessee State University

**COMMENTS:** Christopher Waldrep, San Francisco State University

Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

East Meeting Room M

**5. A LIBERAL TRADITION: ALABAMIANS IN THE U.S. SENATE  
FROM THE GREAT DEPRESSION TO THE GREAT SOCIETY**

PRESIDING: Harvey H. Jackson, Jacksonville State University

Hugo Black's New Deal Vision for America: From TVA to National  
Health Insurance

Steve Suitts, Southern Education Foundation, Atlanta, Ga.

Southern Liberalism at the Crossroads: Leadership of Lister Hill and Claude  
Pepper in National Health Reform

Karen K. Thomas, Florida State University

What Kind of Liberals?: Lister Hill and John Sparkman, 1938–1964

Samuel L. Webb, University of Alabama, Birmingham

COMMENTS: Clarence Mohr, University of South Alabama

Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

East Meeting Room K

**6. CLASS TENSIONS IN THE AFRICAN AMERICAN FREEDOM  
STRUGGLE**

PRESIDING: Glenn Feldman, University of Alabama, Birmingham

The Path of Least Resistance: Black Elites and the Postponement of Working-  
Class African American Political Power in Rocky Mount, North Carolina

Lisa Gayle Hazirjian, Case Western Reserve University

Before *Brown*: The Struggles within the African-American Community over the  
Desegregation of Public Education

Vernon C. Mitchell, Jr., Cornell University

"We Would Be Stronger If We Came Together": Building a Working Class  
Freedom Movement in the Rural South, 1968–1970

Charles Wesley McKinney, Jr., Rhodes College

This Is Black Power: Grassroot Black Activists and Alliances with Whites in  
Late-1960s Atlanta

Winston A. Grady-Willis, Syracuse University

COMMENTS: Glenn Feldman

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room L**

**7. TELLING THE DIFFICULT STORIES: EXHIBITING CIVIL RIGHTS HISTORY AND RACIAL VIOLENCE IN THE AMERICAN SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Andrew M. Ambrose, Tubman African American Museum, Macon, Ga.

**PANELISTS:** Saudia Muwwakkil, Martin Luther King, Jr., National Historic Site, Atlanta  
Beverly Robertson, National Civil Right Museum, Memphis  
Odessa Woolfolk, Birmingham Civil Rights Institute

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room E**

**8. CROSSCURRENTS AND MICROCOSMS IN THE “SEA OF DESTINY”**

**PRESIDING:** Gerald Horne, University of Houston

**Making Modern Subjects: A Method for Theorizing “Creolization” in Atlantic History in Order to “Flee the Plantation”**

Michaeline Crichlow, Duke University

**The Deportable Immigrant: Caribbean Guestworkers in the United States after World War II**

Cindy Hahamovitch, College of William and Mary

**International Anti-Occupation Movements in the Caribbean Basin, 1919–1934: Successes or Failures?**

Alan McPherson, Howard University

**COMMENTS:** Jason Parker, West Virginia University

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room A**

**9. CRIME AND PUNISHMENT IN TUDOR AND EDWARDIAN ENGLAND**

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

**Picturing Punishment: Visual Representations of Capital and Corporal Punishment in Early Modern London**

Wendell Allen Hunnicutt, University of Texas, Arlington

**“When Civil War is Waged by Women”: The Militant British Women’s Suffrage Movement**

Nancy Rupprecht, Middle Tennessee State University

**COMMENTS:** Elizabeth Cawthon, University of Texas, Arlington

**Thursday, November 16: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room B**

**10. THE THIRD REICH: OPPORTUNISM AND PUNISHMENT**

**PRESIDING:** Sonja Hedgepeth, Middle Tennessee State University

**Ties that Bind: The Equestrian SS and the SS Cavalry Brigade**

Paul Wilson, Nicholls State University

**The Life and Times of Engineer Karl August Riemschneider (1906–1985): Reflections on Radicalism and Social Reform in Twentieth-Century Germany**

Kees Gispén, University of Mississippi

**Stress and the Prosecutors and Judges in West German Trials of National Socialist Perpetrators**

Frank Michael Buscher, Christian Brothers University

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

**Thursday, November 16: 11:30 A.M.**

**Medical Forum B**

**11. PHI ALPHA THETA LUNCHEON**

**PRESIDING:** Thomas Alexander, Brigham Young University

**Captain Andrew H. Foote’s Operation against Fort Pillow in 1862**

John Cimprich, Thomas More College

**Thursday, November 16: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room F**

**12. WORKSHOP I—HAVE WE COME A LONG WAY, BABY?  
THE STATUS OF WOMEN IN THE HISTORICAL PROFESSION**

**Sponsored by the Committee on Women in the SHA**

**PRESIDING:** Diane Batts Morrow, University of Georgia

**PANELISTS:** Anne Firor Scott, Duke University, Emerita  
Valinda W. Littlefield, University of South Carolina  
Sally C. McMillen, Davidson College

**Thursday, November 16: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room E**

**13. WORKSHOP II—NEH FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

**PRESIDING:** Julia Huston Nguyen, National Endowment for the Humanities

**Thursday, November 16: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room J**

**14. WORKSHOP III—SOUTHERN INDUSTRIALIZATION AND  
SOUTHERN MEMORY**

**Sponsored by the Southern Industrial Project**

**PRESIDING:** Peter A. Coclanis, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill  
**A Case of Historical Amnesia: What Happened with the Industrial Past of  
the American South?**

Susanna Delfino, University of Genoa, Italy

**Legacies of Industrial Antebellum Alabama**

Angela Lakwete, Auburn University

**Sloss Furnaces National Historic Landmark, 1882–1970**

Karen R. Utz, Sloss Furnaces National Historic Landmark

**COMMENTS:** Randall L. Patton, Kennesaw State University

Thursday, November 16: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room N

**15. GRADUATE STUDENT LUNCHEON**

***WRITING FOR THE WEB—OPPORTUNITIES AND OPTIONS FOR HISTORIANS***

**Sponsored by the John and LaWanda Cox Fund**

CHAIR: Michael Merrill, Merrill-Hall, Inc.

PANELISTS: Steve Murray, *Encyclopedia of Alabama*  
Natasha Smith, Documenting the American South Project  
Randall Stephens, *Journal of Southern Religion*  
Toby Graham, The Digital Library of Georgia  
Orville Vernon Burton, University of Illinois

Free to all registered graduate students, but attendees must have tickets.  
Complete form on page 9 and return with preregistration materials.

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Thursday, November 16: 1:45 P.M.

East Meeting Room E

**16. SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION BUSINESS MEETING**

PRESIDING: Pete Daniel, Smithsonian Institution

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Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room F

**17. SOUTHERN SOCIETY AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT:  
CHURCHES, COLLEGES, AND THE PIGGLY WIGGLY**

PRESIDING: Steven M. Stowe, Indiana University

Anglican Church Architecture and Social Order  
Louis P. Nelson, University of Virginia

Landscapes of Refinement and Honor: College Campuses in the Antebellum South

Evelyn D. Causey, History Matters, LLC

“The Purchase-Inducing Force of the Store”: Southern Paternalism and Self-Service Store Design in the Early Twentieth Century

Lisa C. Tolbert, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

COMMENTS: Robin F. Bachin, University of Miami

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room D

**18. CROSSING BORDERS: THE GARVEY MOVEMENT IN THE  
AMERICAN SOUTH AND SOUTH AFRICA**

PRESIDING: Tony Martin, Wellesley College

PANELISTS: Michael O. West, Binghamton University  
Mary G. Rolinson, Georgia State University  
Robert Trent Vinson, Washington University in St. Louis  
Claudrena Harold, University of Virginia  
Jahi Issa, Elizabeth City State University

COMMENTS: Tony Martin

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room J

**19. SOUTHERN WHITES AND THE FIGHT AGAINST RACISM FROM  
THE CIO TO SCCC**

PRESIDING: Clayborne Carson, Stanford University

Anti-Racism and the CIO Generation of Organizers  
Robert Korstad, Duke University

Anne Braden, White Women, and Anti-Racist Progressives  
Catherine Fosl, University of Louisville

They'll Take Their Stand: The Southern Student Coordinating Committee and  
the Struggle for a Better South

Gregg Michel, University of Texas, San Antonio

COMMENTS: Clayborne Carson

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Birmingham Museum of Art

**20. PHOTOGRAPHING THE SOUTH: A CONVERSATION WITH  
DEBBIE FLEMING CAFFERY AND BIRNEY IMES**

PRESIDING: Ted Ownby, University of Mississippi

Caffrey and Imes are two of the South's most accomplished and widely published photographers. Caffery has published *Carry Me Home*, focusing on the sugar culture in south Louisiana, and *Polly*, a sensitive study of an African American woman, and is presently working in post-Katrina New Orleans. Imes has published *Juke Joint*, *The Whispering Pines*, and *Partial to Home* and is currently the editor of the Columbus [Miss.] *Commercial Dispatch*. Both photographers have exhibited widely, and major museums have collected their work. They will discuss both their recent work and their vision of the South, past and present, through their photographs.



Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room M

**21. BLACK SOUTHERN SOUND IN THE WHITE IMAGINATION**

PRESIDING: Alexander Russo, Catholic University of America

“Knowing Something of the Genuine Darkie”: White Radio Listeners, Aural Expertise, and Black Southern Sound

Elena Razlogova, Concordia University

Sounds Sacred/Sounds Profane: Race, Religion, and Paternalism on KWKH

Derek Vaillant, University of Michigan

“The Great Red Heart of the American Revolution”: Black Southern Music and White Revolutionary Racialism in the Left Wing Folksong Revival

Steven Garabedian, Kingston, NY

COMMENTS: Ronald Radano, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room E

**22. RE-IMAGINING GEOGRAPHIES: PLACE, POLITICS AND CULTURE IN THE BORDERLANDS**

PRESIDING: Patrick J. Kelly, University of Texas, San Antonio

Finding Our Place: Mexican Family- and Woman-Owned Businesses from Corpus Christi to San Antonio, 1940–1955

Mary Ann Villarreal, University of Utah

“Todo Por la Patria y el Hogar (All for Country and Home)”: The Transnational Lives and Work of Rómulo Munguía and Carolina Malpica de Munguía

Gabriela González, University of Texas, San Antonio

Where Aztlan Meets the Dirty South: Chicanas/os and Hip Hop in Houston

Jimmy Patino, University of California, San Diego

COMMENTS: Raul Ramos, University of Houston

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room L

**23. THE KIMBERLY S. HANGER MEMORIAL PANEL  
CARIBBEAN SLAVERY AND ITS LEGACY IN THE  
NINETEENTH CENTURY**

PRESIDING: Rosanne Adderly, Tulane University

“Contemplate, I Beseech You, Fellow-Citizens, the Example of St. Domingo”:  
Haitian Dreams, Confederate Nightmares, and the Making of the American  
Civil War

Matthew Clavin, University of West Florida

Inventing Ethnicity: Savage Negroes, Alien Coolies and Civilized Anglo Travel  
Writers in Post-Emancipation Trinidad

Amar Wahab, University of Warwick (UK)

“Black, but White Black”: The Flexibility of U.S. Racial Discourses about the  
Dominican Republic, 1844–1871

Michael McCoyer, Northwestern University

COMMENTS: Andrew McMichael, Western Kentucky University

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room A

**24. EUROPEAN DIPLOMACY AND THE CONFEDERATE STATES  
OF AMERICA**

PRESIDING: Charles Grear, Texas A&M University

Anglo-American Relations at the Outbreak of the Civil War: The Views from  
Consuls in the United States

David Waller, University of Northampton (UK)

David Brown, University of Sheffield (UK)

Natural Allies: Spain and the Confederacy

Wayne Bowen, Ouachita Baptist University

Edmund Kirby Smith and Confederate Diplomacy, 1863–1865

Jeffrey S. Prushankin, Penn State, Abington

COMMENTS: Susannah U. Bruce, Sam Houston State University

Thursday, November 16: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room B

**25. JEWISH-CHRISTIAN GERMANS (“MISCHLINGE”) FROM 1933  
TO THE PRESENT**

PRESIDING: Marion F. Deshmukh, George Mason University

The Fate of Civilian “Mischlinge” under National Socialism  
James F. Tent, University of Alabama, Birmingham

From Mischling Outcast to Liberator of Germany: The Journey of  
K. Frank Korf

Patricia Kollander, Florida Atlantic University

“Mischling” Women in Nazi Germany: Impact of Persecution  
Cynthia Crane, University of Cincinnati

COMMENTS: Nancy Rupprecht, Middle Tennessee State University

Thursday, November 16: 5:00–6:30 P.M.

Birmingham Public Library  
Arrington Auditorium

**26. “WHO SPEAKS FOR BIRMINGHAM?” THE 1961  
DOCUMENTARY IN HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE**

INTRODUCTION: James L. Baggett, Birmingham Public Library

FILM: “Who Speaks for Birmingham?” (approximately 50 minutes)

COMMENTS: Jonathan Bass, Samford University  
Local Participants in the Film

Sandwiches and refreshments will be provided by the Birmingham Public Library and the Samford University Department of History.

**Thursday, November 16: 8:00 P.M.**

**East Meeting Ballroom B**

**27. PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

**PRESIDING:** Charles Joyner, Coastal Carolina University

African American Farmers and Civil Rights  
Pete Daniel, Smithsonian Institution

**RECEPTION:** Following the Presidential Address, Harvard University Press, Louisiana State University Press, and the University of North Carolina Press invite the members and guests of the Southern Historical Association to a reception in recognition of the presidency of Pete Daniel and to be held in the East Meeting Ballroom A. President Daniel welcomes present and former fellows at the National Museum of American History as honored guests.

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room L**

**28. RETHINKING CLASS FROM A SOUTHERN PERSPECTIVE**

**PRESIDING:** Maurie McInnis, University of Virginia

Acting the Lower Sort: Charity Education in the Eighteenth-Century South in Comparative Perspective

Sharon Sundue, Drew University

“Take Care of No. 1”: The Middle Class and the Problem of Individual Enterprise in Post-Revolutionary Charleston

Jennifer Goloboy, Minneapolis, Minn.

Beyond Capitalism and Feudalism: Planter-Class Southerners in Atlantic Perspective

Daniel Kilbride, John Carroll University

**COMMENTS:** Christopher Clark, University of Connecticut

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room J**

**29. RIGHTS, FREEDOMS, AND RESPONSIBILITIES: AFRICAN-AMERICANS' RELATIONSHIPS TO THE LAW IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY**

**PRESIDING:** Ariela J. Gross, University of Southern California

**The Struggle for Freedom in the Antebellum St. Louis Courts, 1820–1860**  
Kelly Kennington, Duke University

**“I Was Freed”:** Former Slaves' Visions of Emancipation and Reconstruction  
Susanna Michele Lee, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

**Engaging the Law: African-American Child Custody Disputes in the Late-Nineteenth-Century South**  
Kevin D. McCarthy, University of Georgia

**COMMENTS:** Joshua D. Rothman, University of Alabama  
Ariela J. Gross

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room K**

**30. WHEN WHITE SUPREMACY COMES HOME TO AFRICAN-AMERICAN HOUSEHOLDS**

**PRESIDING:** Nan Elizabeth Woodruff, Pennsylvania State University

**When Immunity Goes Abroad, Disease Comes Home: White and Black Southerners in the Occupation of Cuba Libre, 1898**  
Sherri Ann Harper, University of Michigan

**“I am a Witness”:** Testimony In/As Anti-Lynching Drama  
Koritha A. Mitchell, Ohio State University

**When Violence Comes Home: Men's and Women's Responses to Racialized Violence**  
Kidada E. Williams, Wayne State University

**COMMENTS:** Nan Elizabeth Woodruff

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room E**

**31. ACES WILD: THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND SOUTHERN LIFE**

**PRESIDING:** Edwin A. Lyon, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers

**Race, Reconstruction, and the Origins of Federal Flood Control in the Lower Mississippi Valley**

Christopher Morris, University of Texas, Arlington

**Are All Politics Really Local?: The Army Corps of Engineers, the Florida Ship Canal, and New Deal Politics**

Michael David Tegeder, Sante Fe Community College

**Death of a Dream: The Cross-Florida Barge Canal, the Army Corps of Engineers and the New Politics of Environmentalism**

Steven G. Noll, University of Florida

**COMMENTS:** Kari Frederickson, University of Alabama

Edwin A. Lyon

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room F**

**32. OF RACE, RAILROADS, AND DISFRANCHISEMENT: NEW PERSPECTIVES ON ALABAMA FROM RECONSTRUCTION TO SEGREGATION**

**PRESIDING:** William Warren Rogers, Jr., Gainesville State College

**Race and Railroads in Alabama Reconstruction**

Michael W. Fitzgerald, St. Olaf College

**Of Economic Ambition and Enterprise: The Making and Unmaking of Carpetbagger George E. Spencer of Alabama**

Terry L. Seip, University of Southern California

**Black Voting Rights Activism in Disfranchisement-Era Alabama**

R. Volney Riser, University of West Alabama

**COMMENTS:** Margaret M. Storey, DePaul University

Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

East Meeting Room M

**33. HURRICANE KATRINA: THE EVENT AND THE RECOVERY  
A ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION**

PRESIDING: Lawrence N. Powell, Tulane University

PANELISTS: Kent Germany, University of Virginia  
Adolph Reed, University of Pennsylvania  
Raphael Cassimere, University of New Orleans  
Emily Clark, Tulane University

Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

East Meeting Room D

**34. LETTERS AND PETITIONS: LITERATE SLAVES AND FREE  
BLACKS**

PRESIDING: Julie Saville, University of Chicago

Black Self/White Other: Self-Construction in Slave Letters from the  
American South

Ben Schiller, University of Edinburgh (UK)

Memory, Slavery, and Citizenship in Guadeloupe

Elizabeth Heath, University of Chicago

“That Property that Was Got under the Good Old Flag of Spain by our Fathers”:

A Free Family of Color’s Fifty-Year Quest to Regain Lost Lands in Florida

Frank Marotti, Jr., Cheyney University of Pennsylvania

COMMENTS: Jane Landers, Vanderbilt University

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room A**

**35. NAZI RACISM: THE VIEW FROM THE DEEP SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Robert Jenkins, Mississippi State University

Mississippi African Americans' Perspectives on Nazi Germany  
Curtis J. Austin, University of Southern Mississippi

The Jim Crow of All the Ages: The Impact of Adolf Hitler and Nazi Racial  
Ideology on Civil Rights in Alabama, 1933–1945  
Dan J. Puckett, Troy University, Montgomery

Friend or Foe? The Social Dynamics between German POWs and Americans  
in Alabama during World War II  
Daniel Hutchinson, University of Alabama, Birmingham

**COMMENTS:** Robert Jenkins

**Friday, November 17: 9:30–11:30 A.M.**

**East Meeting Room B**

**36. MILITARY OCCUPATIONS, PAST AND PRESENT: A  
COMPARATIVE VIEW**

**PRESIDING:** Wendy Koenig, Middle Tennessee State University

“Gausamer Witz”: The United States Army in Europe in the Early 1970s  
Alexander Vazansky, University of Heidelberg

Comparison of American Occupations in Germany and Iraq  
Thomas W. Maulucci, SUNY, Fredonia

Diplomat and Warriors: Conducting Successful Combat and Stability Operations  
in the Northern Provinces of Iraq, April 2003–February 2004  
John O'Brien, Ft. Campbell, Ky.

**COMMENTS:** Dewey Browder, Austin Peay State University

**Friday, November 17: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room J**

**37. WORKSHOP IV—THE DIGITAL STORY REVOLUTION: NEW  
STRATEGIES FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING HISTORY**

**PRESIDING:** Kathi Kern, University of Kentucky

**PANELISTS:** Chad Berry, Berea College  
Kate Black, University of Kentucky  
Sandra Stults, Documenting American Democracy Project  
Tracey M. Weis, Millersville University



Friday, November 17: 11:45 A.M.—1:30 P.M.

East Meeting Room L

**38. WORKSHOP V—WRITING SOUTHERN WOMEN'S BIOGRAPHY**

**Sponsored by the Southern Association For Women Historians**

PRESIDING: Catherine Clinton, Queens University Belfast

Biography, Gender, and Southern Women's History: The View from Monticello  
Cynthia A. Kierner, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

Writing the Biography of an "Obscure" Woman  
Elizabeth R. Varon, Temple University

Writing the Biography of Fannie Lou Townsend Hamer  
Linda Reed, University of Houston

Friday, November 17: Noon

Medical Forum B

**39. EUROPEAN HISTORY SECTION LUNCHEON**

PRESIDING: Georgia M. Mann, North Georgia College & State University

The Wonders of Perspective: A More Global Approach to the History of the  
World Wars

John H. Morrow, Jr., University of Georgia

Friday, November 17: Noon

East Meeting Room C

**40. LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN SECTION  
LUNCHEON/BUSINESS MEETING**

PRESIDING: Andrew F. McMichael, Western Kentucky University

Confessions of a Reluctant Borderlander  
Cheryl Martin, University of Texas, El Paso

**Friday, November 17: 2:30–4:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room D**

**41. ON THE BORDERS OF SLAVERY: RACE, PLACE AND STATUS**

**PRESIDING:** Wilma King, University of Missouri, Columbia

**“Capable of Work and Able to Provide A Sufficient Livelihood”:** Gender, Slavery and Manumission in Revolutionary Era Maryland

Jessica Millward, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

**A Fragile Freedom:** Charleston’s Free Women of Color, 1790–1860

Amrita Chakrabarti Myers, Indiana University, Bloomington

**“We Lived as Near Neighbors”:** Missouri’s Inter-Farm Slave Communities, 1821–1865

Diane Mutti Burke, University of Missouri, Kansas City

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

**Friday, November 17: 2:30–4:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room M**

**42. NEW APPROACHES TO CIVIL WAR MILITARY HISTORY**

**PRESIDING:** Stephanie McCurry, University of Pennsylvania

**Examining the Historiographical Terrain: What is Civil War Military History?**

Wayne Wei-siang Hsieh, U.S. Naval Academy

**Training, Professionalization, and Modernization in the Confederate Army of Tennessee**

Keith S. Bohannon, University of West Georgia

**The Grasp of War: The Union Army’s Role in Emancipation and Wartime Reconstruction**

Mark Grimsley, Ohio State University

**COMMENTS:** Brooks D. Simpson, Arizona State University

Stephanie McCurry

**Friday, November 17: 2:30–4:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room K**

**43. REPRODUCTIVE POLITICS AMONG AFRICAN AMERICANS  
IN THE RURAL SOUTH, 1845–1945**

**PRESIDING:** Stephanie Shaw, Ohio State University

**Duty and Desire: Contraception among African American Youth in the New Deal Era**

Sarah R. Lawrence, Pennsylvania State University

**The Trouble of Saving the Already Damned: Health Reform and Southern Blacks**  
Andrea Patterson, California State University, Fullerton

**“Now She is Choked”: Family Violence and Infanticide in the Nineteenth Century**

Wendy Gonaver, College of William and Mary

**COMMENTS:** Sharla Fett, Occidental College

**Friday, November 17: 2:30–4:30 P.M.**

**East Meeting Room L**

**44. INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND THE SOUTH**

**PRESIDING:** Deborah Cohn, Indiana University

**Traveling South: Will Percy in the World**

Benjamin E. Wise, Harvard University

**A Southerner with Taiping and Boxers: Martha Foster Crawford’s Fifty-Seven Years of Identities in China**

Carol Ann Vaughn, Samford University

**“Deck Sports”: Caribbean Cruises and Modern Heterosexuality**

Catherine Cocks, School of American Research Press

**COMMENTS:** Deborah Cohn