

PROGRAM

SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION 73RD ANNUAL MEETING

Headquarters: Richmond Marriott
Richmond, Virginia
October 31– November 3, 2007

Wednesday, October 31: 8:00 P.M.

Capital Ballroom

1. OPENING NIGHT SESSION

PRESIDING: Julian Bond, University of Virginia

Black Under White: The Haunting and the Disabling
Roger Wilkins, George Mason University

RECEPTION: Immediately following this session, the University of Richmond and the Local Arrangements Committee will host a reception for SHA members and their guests in the room next door. For additional information on Dr. Wilkins, see page 37.

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 1

2. RETHINKING RELIGION IN THE SEVENTEENTH-CENTURY CHESAPEAKE

PRESIDING: Douglas L. Winiarski, University of Richmond

The Eschatological Origins of the English Empire
Douglas Bradburn, SUNY Binghamton

**A Puritan Virginia? The Role of English Religiosity in the Settlement of the
Chesapeake**

Rebecca Anne Goetz, Rice University

**Papists, Indians, and Conspiratorial Politics in the Seventeenth-Century
Chesapeake**

Owen Stanwood, Catholic University of America

COMMENTS: Karen Ordahl Kupperman, New York University

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 4

3. REVISITING BERTRAM WYATT-BROWN'S *SOUTHERN HONOR* AT TWENTY-FIVE

PRESIDING: Orville Vernon Burton, University of Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign

PANELISTS: Edward E. Baptist, Cornell University
Stephen W. Berry II, University of Georgia
David Brion Davis, Yale University, Emeritus
Kenneth S. Greenberg, Suffolk University
Mark M. Smith, University of South Carolina
Mia Bay, Rutgers University

COMMENTS: Bertram Wyatt-Brown, University of Florida, Emeritus

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 8

4. HOMECOMINGS: CIVIL WAR VETERANS' TRANSITIONS TO PEACE

PRESIDING: J. Matthew Gallman, University of Florida

“When I Think of it Now I Shudder”: Civil War Veterans and the Challenge of Peace

James Marten, Marquette University

“Traitors Among Us Still”: Punishment of Confederate Veterans
William Blair, Pennsylvania State University

“And, if Spared, and Growing Older”: Post-war Comradeship in the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR).

Barbara A. Gannon, Washington, DC

COMMENTS: LeeAnn Whites, University of Missouri, Columbia

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 2

5. DESIGNING THE NEW SOUTH, DEFINING THE NEW SOUTHERNER

PRESIDING: Nina Silber, Boston University

The Chicago of the South: Atlanta Architecture and the New South Creed
Reiko Hillyer, Willamette University

Marse Chan, New Southerner: Or, Taking Thomas Nelson Page Seriously
K. Stephen Prince, Yale University

“Their Best Productions”: Black Southerners and the Politics of Fairs
in the New South

Seulky McInneshein, Westminster College

COMMENTS: Grace Elizabeth Hale, University of Virginia

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Monroe and Jefferson

6. SOUTHERN HISTORY AND FILM

PRESIDING: Gary Gallagher, University of Virginia

**Military-Cinematic Complexions: Filming the Spanish-American War,
Broadcasting the American Empire**
Robert Jackson, University of Virginia

**The Southern Rape Complex: From “The Birth of a Nation” to “Gone With the
Wind”**

Deborah Barker, University of Mississippi

**Hollywood and Southern History in Australia: The South as Seen from Further
South**

Bruce Dennett, Macquarie University

COMMENTS: David Davis, Wake Forest University
Melissa Ooten, University of Richmond

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 6

7. NEW PERSPECTIVES ON THE LITTLE ROCK CRISIS

PRESIDING: Adam Green, University of Chicago

Legacies of Little Rock: Culture Wars, “Race Neutral” Law, and Law-Breaking as Political Strategy

Karen Anderson, University of Arizona

Constitutional Force and Symbolism: Little Rock and America’s Civil Rights Struggle

Tony Allan Freyer, University of Alabama

The Power of the Purse: Little Rock Businessmen and Desegregation Revisited

Elizabeth Jacoway, Newport, Arkansas

COMMENTS: John A. Kirk, University of London

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 7

8. DIGITAL RESOURCES FOR EUROPEAN HISTORY

PRESIDING: T. Mills Kelly, George Mason University

Making the History of 1989

John Olsen, George Mason University

Gulag: Many Days, Many Lives

Steven Barnes, George Mason University

European Sources and World History Matters

Kristin Cay Lehner, George Mason University

COMMENTS: T. Mills Kelly

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Madison

9. PERSPECTIVES ON INTERWAR GERMAN LIFE

PRESIDING: Donald McKale, Clemson University

Paul Tillich's *Socialist Decision*

Stefan Vogt, University of Amsterdam

The Multiple Roles of the Press in Documenting the Early Nazi Camps,
1933–1945

Joseph White, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

A National/Socialist Army?

Bruce Campbell, College of William and Mary

COMMENTS: Robert Herzstein, University of South Carolina

Thursday, November 1: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 3

10. IMPERIALISM ON THE GULF COAST

PRESIDING: Andrew McMichael, University of Western Kentucky

Alachua Chiefs King Payne and Bowlegs: Policies Leading Up to the First
Seminole War, 1780–1812

Jim Cusick, P. K. Yonge Library of Florida History,
University of Florida

In the Face of Conquest: Seminole Culture and the Preservation of Political
Sovereignty in Long War

Andrew Frank, Florida State University

Expansion of the Southern Cattle Industry and its Impact on the Push of Anglo
Culture into Florida

Joe Knetsch, Florida Department of Environmental Protection

COMMENTS: Kathryn Braund, Auburn University

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

Salon 5

11. GRADUATE STUDENT LUNCHEON

Sponsored by the John and LaWanda Cox Fund

***LESSONS FROM GRADUATE SCHOOL: FOUR MENTORS SPEAK
OUT***

PANELISTS: Theda Perdue, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Gary Gallagher, University of Virginia
Darlene Clark Hine, Northwestern University
James C. Cobb, University of Georgia

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

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

Salon 6

**12. WORKSHOP I—TEACHING SOUTHERN HISTORY ABROAD
A ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION**

PRESIDING: Don H. Doyle, University of South Carolina

PANELISTS: Manfred Berg, University of Heidelberg
Susanna Delfino, University of Genoa
Vitor Izecksohn, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro
Louis Mazzari, University of Bosphorus, Istanbul
Betty Wood, Cambridge University

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

Salon 6

**13. SOUTHERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION BUSINESS
MEETING**

PRESIDING: Nell Irvin Painter, Princeton University

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 4

**14. NEW DIRECTIONS IN SEVENTEENTH-CENTURY VIRGINIA
HISTORY: A PANEL DISCUSSION**

PRESIDING: Warren M. Billings, University of New Orleans

PANELISTS: John C. Coombs, Florida International University
Alexander Haskell, College of William and Mary
April Lee Hatfield, Texas A&M University
James Horn, The Colonial Research Foundation, Williamsburg

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 2

**15. RELIGION IN THE EARLY NATIONAL SOUTH:
MICROHISTORICAL APPROACHES**

PRESIDING: Randy J. Sparks, Tulane University

“It Fills my Mind with Horror and Desolation”: Daniel Grant, Race, and the
Limits of Methodist Antislavery in Early Republic Georgia
Daryl Black, Chattanooga Regional History Museum

Race, Religion, and Politics in Henry Evan’s Methodist Church, 1785–1835
Monte Hampton, North Carolina State University

**The Poisoning of James Ireland: Atlantic Revolutions and the Configuration
of Baptist Household Mastery in Virginia**
Jewel Spangler, University of Calgary

COMMENTS: John B. Boles, Rice University
Randy J. Sparks

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 3

16. RISKY BUSINESS: MORTGAGING, WARRANTING, AND INSURING SLAVES IN THE UPPER SOUTH

PRESIDING: Steven H. Deyle, University of Houston

Profits and Perils: Mortgaging Slaves in Virginia, South Carolina, and Louisiana

Bonnie M. Martin, Southern Methodist University

“Warranted Sound But Proved Otherwise”: Slave Warranties and the Business of Slave Trading in Kentucky

Pen Bogert, Bardstown, KY

“A Guarantee for the Value of the Slave”: Risk, Slaveholders, and Insurance in the Upper South

Karen Ryder, University of Delaware

COMMENTS: Sharon Ann Murphy, Providence College

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 1

17. NEW PERSPECTIVES ON THE 1875 CIVIL RIGHTS BILL

PRESIDING: Paul Cimbala, Fordham University

The Jim Crowing of Public Transportation: Respectability and the Meaning of Public Space, 1840–1905

Robert Cassanello, University of Central Florida

Equality Lives On: Northern Civil Rights Law in the Wake of the Civil Rights Bill of 1875

Paul Finkelman, Albany Law School

“White and Negro Rioters”: Sumner’s Civil Rights Bill as a Call to Violence in the Unreconstructed South

Bob Hutton, Vanderbilt University

COMMENTS: Kate Masur, Northwestern University

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 6

18. EDUCATIONAL REFORM, SOUTHERN UNIVERSITIES, AND REGIONAL IDENTITY

PRESIDING: Peter Wallenstein, Virginia Tech

Learning to be Southern: Higher Education and Southern Identity, 1880–1980
Clarence L. Mohr, University of South Alabama

Starting from Scratch in an Age of Reform: The Origins of the Rice Institute, 1906–1929
Melissa F. Kean, Rice University

Introducing the South to the History of American Higher Education
Anja Becker, University of Leipzig

COMMENTS: John R. Thelin, University of Kentucky
Peter Wallenstein

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 5

19. LATINOS IN THE U.S. SOUTH, 1850–2006

PRESIDING: Nancy Hewitt, Rutgers University

“A Mexican and Free”: The Controversy over Enslaved and Indentured Mexicans in Louisiana and Mississippi, 1850–1860
Sarah Elizabeth Cornell, New York University

“Different... from that which is Intended for the Colored Race”: Mexico and Mexicans in the Mississippi and Arkansas Deltas, 1908–1964
Julie M. Weise, Yale University

Las Tiendas de Chatham Avenue: Visual Culture and Contested Public Spaces in a Nuevo New South Town, 1990–2006
Chad Seales, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

COMMENTS: Leon Fink, University of Illinois, Chicago
Carlos Blanton, Texas A&M University

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 7

**20. MEDIEVAL AND EARLY PERSPECTIVES ON RELIGION
AND STATE**

PRESIDING: Fred Baumgartner, Virginia Tech University

Shelters for Endangered Women in Counter-Reformation Milan
Stefano D'Amico, Texas Tech University

Legitimacy and Coronation in Fifteenth-Century England
Darcy Kern, Georgetown University

The Meaning of Food Anecdotes in the "Dialogues" of Pope Gregory I
Kathy Pearson, Old Dominion University

COMMENTS: Fred Baumgartner

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 8

**21. NATIONAL IDENTITY, RACE AND THE QUESTION OF SLAVERY
IN EIGHTEENTH CENTURY AND REVOLUTIONARY FRANCE**

PRESIDING: Edward Rugemer, Yale University

Representations of the Chinese in French Enlightenment Thought
Jeffrey Burson, Macon State College

Lafayette's Cayenne Emancipation Experiments
Robert Rhodes Crout, College of Charleston

Pierre Caron de Beaumarchais and the Slavery Question
Nupur Chaudhuri, Texas Southern University

Clash of Cultures: French Views of the English Economy
James Munson, Longwood University

COMMENTS: Edward Rugemer

Thursday, November 1: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Capitol

**22. KIMBERLY HANGER MEMORIAL PANEL
RACE AND POWER IN THE NINETEENTH AND TWENTIETH
CENTURY CARIBBEAN**

PRESIDING: John Day, Quincy University

Emancipation and Citizenship in Cuba's Tobacco Field: 1868–1898
William Morgan, University of Texas, Austin

Commodified Identities: Foreign and Domestic Caribbean Migrant Labor
in the Northeast

Wendi Manuel-Scott, George Mason University

Owning Bay Street: Economic Hegemony of the Nassau's Merchant
Class, 1942–1967

Nona P. Martin, George Mason University

Virgil Henry Storr, George Mason University

COMMENTS: Matt D. Childs, Florida State University

Thursday, November 1: 4:30–5:30 P.M.

Salon 3

**23. SOUTHERN HISTORY IN ITALY: THE FULBRIGHT PROGRAM
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GENOA, 1971–2005**

PRESIDING: Constance B. Schulz, University of South Carolina
Elizabeth Hayes Turner, University of North Texas

PANELISTS: Valeria Gennaro Lerda, University of Genoa
Giovanni Fabbi, University of Genoa
Jack Temple Kirby, Miami University, Ohio
Robert C. McMath, University of Arkansas
Thomas E. Terrill, University of South Carolina
Dan T. Carter, University of South Carolina

Reception to follow in Dominion, across the hall.

Thursday, November 1: 8:30 P.M.

Capital Ballroom

24. PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

PRESIDING: Pete Daniel, Smithsonian Institution

Was Marie White? Divergent Views of America by Alexis de Tocqueville and Gustave de Beaumont

Nell Irvin Painter, Princeton University, Emerita

RECEPTION: Following the Presidential Address, Princeton University, W. W. Norton & Co., Harvard 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 Nell Painter to be held in the foyer outside the ballroom.

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 1

**25. RHYS ISAAC'S *THE TRANSFORMATION OF VIRGINIA*:
A TWENTY-FIVE YEAR RETROSPECTIVE**

PRESIDING: James Sidbury, University of Texas

PANELISTS: Kathleen M. Brown, University of Pennsylvania
Woody Holton, University of Richmond
Camille Wells, College of William and Mary

COMMENTS: Rhys Isaac, La Trobe University

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 2

**26. MONEY, HATS, GIFTS: NEW PERSPECTIVES ON OLD SOUTH
POLITICAL ECONOMIES**

PRESIDING: Thavolia Glymph, Duke University

The Political Economy of Hats in Disunionist Charleston
Lawrence T. McDonnell, University of Illinois, Urbana

“A Fixed and Settled Order”: Merchant Capitalism in Antebellum New Orleans

Scott Marler, University of Memphis

“Daily Gifts”: Commodification and Exchange in Antebellum Southern Communities

Kathleen Hilliard, University of Idaho

COMMENTS: James Oakes, CUNY Graduate Center

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 4

27. THE CONTOURS OF LOYALTY: NEW PERSPECTIVES ON UNIONISM AND DISSENT IN THE CONFEDERACY

PRESIDING: Daniel E. Sutherland, University of Arkansas

Occupied at Home: Confederate Assaults on Pro-Union Women in the Civil War South

Victoria E. Bynum, Texas State University

Negotiating Neutrality: Divided Loyalties and Guerrilla Conflict in Coastal North Carolina

Barton A. Myers, University of Georgia

“They Will Whip Us Sooner Than All Lincolndom”: Cotton Planters and the Rise of Dissent in the Civil War South

David Williams, Valdosta State University

COMMENTS: Brian S. Wills, University of Virginia, Wise

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 5

28. EXPLORING DEATH IN THE NINETEENTH-CENTURY SOUTH

PRESIDING: Stephen C. Messer, Taylor University

Little Eva’s Last Breath: Romanticizing Antebellum Southern Children’s Deaths
Craig Thompson Friend, North Carolina State University

“Not A Mere Eulogist of the Dead”: Southern Baptists, Funeral Sermons, and the Rituals of Death in the Mid-Nineteenth Century

A. James Fuller, University of Indianapolis

“By His Own Hand”: Suicide in Nineteenth-Century North Carolina

David Silkenat, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

COMMENTS: Mark S. Schantz, Hendrix College

Stephen C. Messer

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 3

29. THE ROLE OF VIOLENCE IN SHAPING AFRICAN AMERICAN LIVES AND COMMUNITIES

PRESIDING: Mark R. Schultz, Lewis University

To Punish and Humiliate the Entire Community: The Impact of Rape and Sexualized Violence on Black Women in Texas, 1865–1868

Rebecca A. Kosary, Texas Lutheran University

“If This Be the Spirit of Jesus”: Postbellum Southern Violence against African American Ministers and Churches

Patrick Q. Mason, University of Notre Dame

“True” Victims: Black Women and Violence during the World War II Era

Theresa Napson-Williams, Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

COMMENTS: Ralph E. Luker, The Vernon Johns Papers, Atlanta

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Salon 6

30. WHITE WOMEN AND THE POLITICS OF MASSIVE RESISTANCE

PRESIDING: Sandra Treadway, Library of Virginia

Sara McCorkle and the Women of the White Citizens’ Councils

John White, College of Charleston Library

Beauty Queens and Massive Resistance in the Civil Rights South

Blain Roberts, The Citadel

Massive Resistance in the 1970s: White Women and the Antibusing Campaigns

Elizabeth Gillespie McRae, Western Carolina University

COMMENTS: Andrew Lewis, Hamilton College

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Monroe

31. HEROS AND HEROIC MYTHS

PRESIDING: Annette Finley-Croswhite, Old Dominion University

Ireland's French Viceroy: The Controversial Career of Henri, Earl of Galway, 1692–1701

Raymond Pierre Hylton, Virginia Union University

Hellish Bandit or Noble Hero? Jean Lafitte and the Myth of Piracy
Virginia Lunsford, U.S. Naval Academy

Cowboy Contests: Italy and the Construction of the Tuscan "Old West"
Aliza Wong, Texas Tech University

COMMENTS: Annette Finley-Croswhite

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Jefferson

32. WORLD WAR: IMPACT AND REMEMBRANCE

PRESIDING: Graydon (Jack) Tunstall, University of South Florida

German Role in the American Occupation, 1945–1946

Curtis Morgan, Lord Fairfax Community College

Towards a Common Foreign Policy

Davide Zampoli, Florence University

Pressure of Space—Holocaust Museums

Wendy Koenig, Middle Tennessee State University

Would Probably Mean War: Wilson and Austria-Hungary

Roman Puff, Vienna University Economic and BA

COMMENTS: Graydon (Jack) Tunstall

Friday, November 2: 9:30–11:30 A.M.

Madison

**33. REVOLUTIONARY AND POST-REVOLUTIONARY CHANGE
IN MEXICO**

PRESIDING: James Garza, University of Nebraska, Lincoln

The Mormons and Mennonites as Cultural Role Models in Post-Revolutionary Mexico

Andreae Marak, California University of Pennsylvania

Family Disorganization When the Mother Works: Mexican Attitudes
Towards Working Mothers, 1940–1970

Nichole Sanders, Lynchburg College

Eduardo Urzaíza's Concept of *Tocofobia*: Race, Sexuality, and Reproductive
Politics in Socialist Yucatán, México

Sarah Buck, Florida State University Libraries

COMMENTS: Jürgen Buchenau, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

Friday, November 2: 11:45 A.M.–1:30 P.M.

Salon 3

34. WORKSHOP II—GENDER, RACE, AND THE GLOBAL SOUTH

Sponsored by the Southern Association for Women Historians

PRESIDING: Laura Edwards, Duke University

PANELISTS: Stephanie Cole, University of Texas, Arlington

Natalie Ring, University of Texas, Dallas

Claire Strom, North Dakota State University

Megan Shockley, Clemson University

Friday, November 2: 11:45 A.M.—1:30 P.M.

Madison

**35. WORKSHOP III—INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT STYLES IN THE
SUNBELT SOUTH**

Sponsored by the Southern Industrial Project

PRESIDING: Peter A. Coclanis, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

“Too Much Icing and Not Enough Cake”: The Campaign to Diversify
Huntsville’s Economy, 1945–1965

Matthew Downs, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa

Developer-in-Chief: The Evolving Role of South Carolina Governors in
Economic Development, 1950–1965

Phillip Stone, Wofford College

Learning to Drawl: Southernization of Industrial Immigrants

Marko Maunula, Clayton State University

COMMENTS: Kenneth Lipartito, Florida International University

The Business Meeting of the Southern Industrial Project will follow immediately
in the same room.

Friday, November 2: Noon

Salon 8

36. PHI ALPHA THETA LUNCHEON

PRESIDING: Thomas Alexander, Brigham Young University, Emeritus

From Tuskegee to Moscow: The Intellectual Journey of a Black Communist,
1919–1939

Glenda C. Gilmore, Yale University

Friday, November 2: Noon

Capitol

37. EUROPEAN HISTORY SECTION LUNCHEON

PRESIDING: Nancy Rupprecht, Middle Tennessee State University

From Destiny to Dilemma: Feminism and Motherhood in Europe, 1900–1970

Ann Taylor Allen, University of Louisville

Friday, November 2: Noon

Dominion

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

PRESIDING: Sherry Johnson, Florida International University

Anecdotes from the Archives: The Times They are A-Changing
N. David Cook, Florida International University

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 1

39. GENDER AFTER JAMESTOWN

PRESIDING: Mary Beth Norton, Cornell University

Intermarriage as Political Strategy: Native American Women and the
Virginia Colonists

Camilla Townsend, Rutgers University

Gender, Race, and Indentured Servitude in Early Virginia

Terri L. Snyder, California State University, Fullerton

Women, Gender and Slavery in Jamaica and Virginia

Stephanie M. H. Camp, University of Washington, Seattle

COMMENTS: Anthony S. Parent, Wake Forest University

Mary Beth Norton

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 2

**40. INDIANS AS SOUTHERNERS: RACE AND SLAVERY IN THE
NATIVE SOUTH, PART I**

PRESIDING: Adam Rothman, Georgetown University

From Chicaza to Chickasaw: The Early Colonial Indian Slave Trade and the
Transformation of a Mississippian Chiefdom

Robbie Ethridge, University of Mississippi

Native Southerners and their “Owned People”: Captivity and Slavery

Christina Snyder, University of North Carolina,
Chapel Hill

The Power of Possession

Barbara Krauthamer, New York University

COMMENTS: Brett Rushforth, Brigham Young University

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 3

41. INTIMATE RECONSTRUCTIONS: FAMILY LIFE AND FEMALE IDENTITY AFTER THE CIVIL WAR

PRESIDING: Robert Tracy McKenzie, University of Washington

Children in the Reconfiguration of Virginia's Postemancipation Households
Catherine A. Jones, University of California, Santa Cruz

Private Battles: Black and White Women in Reconstructed South Carolina
Sara Marie Eye, University of South Carolina

Mary Bayard Clarke's Reconstruction: Race, Class and Humor
Jane Turner Censer, George Mason University

COMMENTS: Michele K. Gillespie, Wake Forest University
Robert Tracy McKenzie

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 4

42. VIOLENCE, AMUSEMENT, AND SOCIAL CHANGE IN THE SOUTH

PRESIDING: David F. Godshalk, Shippensburg University

The Ku Klux Klan in the Memphis Mardi Gras Parade, 1872
Elaine Parsons, Duquesne University

The Evolution of Circus Day Violence, 1865–1930
Gregory Renoff, Drury University

"Killing the Elephant": Executions and the Circus in the South
Amy Louise Wood, University of North Carolina,
Chapel Hill

COMMENTS: Janet Davis, University of Texas, Austin

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 6

**43. “JUSTICE WAS FAR FROM THAT COURT HOUSE”: AFRICAN
AMERICAN LEGAL ACTIVISM IN SOUTH CAROLINA,
1907–1929**

PRESIDING: Kevin Boyle, Ohio State University

“The Word Failure has Yet to be Written in My Pathway”: The Pink Franklin
Case and Black Leadership in Jim Crow South Carolina
Eric Barger, University of South Carolina

“South Carolina’s Shame”: N. J. Frederick, the Lowman Lynchings, and
the Pretense of White Supremacy
Elizabeth Robeson, Columbia University

An Unpardonable Crime?: Ben Bess and the Tyranny of White Supremacy
Janet G. Hudson, University of South Carolina

COMMENTS: W. Lewis Burke, University of South Carolina Law School
Kevin Boyle

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 5

**44. REPORTING THE CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT:
A PANEL DISCUSSION**

PRESIDING: Susan Youngblood Ashmore, Oxford College of Emory
University

PANELISTS: Julian Bond, University of Virginia
Robert Ellis Smith, *The Southern Courier*, Montgomery
Lee A. Daniels, Columbia University Journalism School
Hank Klibanoff, *The Atlanta Journal Constitution*

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Salon 7

45. SUNBELT EVANGELICALISM: THE REGIONAL IDENTITY OF AMERICAN RELIGION

PRESIDING: Donald T. Critchlow, St. Louis University

The South's "Found It!": Evangelicalism and the Making of the Sunbelt
Steven P. Miller, Webster University

God and Black Gold: The Politics of Evangelicalism, Oil, and the Right in the Sunbelt

Darren Dochuk, Purdue University

Jerry Falwell's Sunbelt Religion: The Christianity of a Suburban Majority
Daniel K. Williams, University of West Georgia

COMMENTS: Nancy MacLean, Northwestern University
Donald T. Critchlow

Friday, November 2: 2:30–4:30 P.M.

Monroe

46. LATIN AND MEDITERRANEAN IDENTITY IN THE ERA OF THE WORLD WARS

PRESIDING: Mirjana Morosini-Dominick, Georgetown University

Pan-Latinism during World War I

Aaron Gillette, University of Houston, Downtown

The Universal Mission: Latin Imperialism in Fascist Italy, 1935–1943
Joshua Arthurs, University of Chicago

Both Other and Brother: The Place of the Jew in British Imperial Thought
Eric Reisenauer, University of South Carolina, Sumter

COMMENTS: Mirjana Morosini-Dominick