

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

Thursday, November 7: 3:30–5:30 PM

Breathitt

Teaching Kentucky’s African American History

Professional Development Session for JCPS Middle and High School Teachers, sponsored in part by the University of Louisville, McConnell Center

Presiding

Tracy E. K’Meyer, Department of History, University of Louisville

Panelists

Monica Lakhwani, Diversity, Equity, and Poverty Programs, Jefferson County Public Schools

Shashray McCormack, Diversity, Equity, and Poverty Programs, Jefferson County Public Schools

Ryan New, Social Studies Curriculum, Jefferson County Public Schools

Shelley Thomas, Assistant Department Chair and Associate Professor, Social Studies Education, University of Louisville

Darryl Young, Programming Manager, Muhammad Ali Center

The purpose of this session is to give teachers the tools to incorporate Kentucky’s African American history into their social studies courses at the middle and high school levels. Preparing our students to be aware and active citizens requires introducing them to diverse histories, so that they can understand the sources of past and present social stratification and difference. But multicultural education must go beyond simply adding content during specified months of the year to rethinking the narrative of American history and to incorporating appropriate pedagogies for engendering not only empathy and awareness, but also critical analysis. Please email manager@thesha.org if you are a K–12 teacher and wish to attend.

PROGRAM

*Southern Historical Association
85th Annual Meeting
Galt House Hotel, Louisville, Kentucky
November 7–10, 2019*

Changes in red reflect updates from the printed program.

Thursday, November 7: 8:00–9:30 PM

Stopher

1. Felon Disenfranchisement: Past and Present

Opening Plenary

Presiding

Cherie Dawson-Edwards, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Louisville

Panelists

Pippa Holloway, Department of History, Middle Tennessee State University

Alec Ewald, Department of Political Science, University of Vermont

Marc Mauer, Director, The Sentencing Project

Stephen Reily, Attorney and Advocate, Louisville, Kentucky

Amanda Hall, Smart on Crime Organizer, American Civil Liberties Union of
Kentucky

Following the session, the Local Arrangements Committee will host a reception welcoming us to Louisville in room Segell on the Third Floor of the Suite Tower. Please see page 36 for a listing of all of our very generous sponsors!

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Stopher

2. Geographies of Power: Space, Empire, and the Transformation of the Native Southeast

Presiding

Angela Pulley Hudson, Texas A&M University

Quapaw and European Cartography at the Colonial Arkansas Post

Tess Evans, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Runaways: Creeks, Cattle, and the Transformation of Native Florida, 1750–1814

Jason Herbert, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

“We Will Mark a Line for the White People”: Creating and Enforcing Borders in the Tennessee and Cumberland River Valleys

Lucas P. Kelley, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Comments

Angela Pulley Hudson

James Rice, Tufts University

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Jones

3. Catherine Flood McCall, Eliza Hammond, and Prince Henry: Tales of a Developing Capitalist Economy in the Urban South

Presiding

Michael Schoepner, University of Maine at Farmington

Bed, Board, and Building an Urban Economy

Alexandra Finley, University of Pittsburgh

Prisoners, Slaves, and Nails: The Virginia State Penitentiary’s Entrance into Richmond’s Nail-making Industry

Alexi Garrett, University of Virginia

The Estate of Prince Henry: Credit Arrangements Across the Color Line in Antebellum Virginia

Amanda Gibson, College of William & Mary

Comments

Mariana Dantas, Ohio University

Calvin Schermerhorn, Arizona State University

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Nunn

4. Slaveholders and the Enslaved in the Antebellum South: Stealing and Sex, Marriage and Motherhood

Presiding

Shannon Eaves, College of Charleston

Re-evaluating Southern Motherhood: Enslaved and Enslaving Mothers in the Antebellum South

R. J. Knight, University of Sheffield

“Negro Thieves,” Stolen Slaves, and Small-Scale Slaveholding in the Antebellum South

Laura Sandy, University of Liverpool

“The Fruits of an Adulterous Intercourse”: Interracial Sex and Divorce in the Slaveholding South

Marie Molloy, Manchester Metropolitan University

Comments

Shannon Eaves

Emily West, University of Reading

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

French

5. Arrivals and Departures: Unionists, Confederates, and Occupiers in the Deep South During the Civil War

Presiding

Lorien Foote, Texas A&M University

“We Are True Blue”: White Unionist Regiments in the Deep South during the Civil War

Clayton J. Butler, University of Virginia

**“Intrusted Herself to the Protection and Care of Her Slaves”:
Confederate Women and Securing Slavery in Exile**

Christina Regelski, Rice University

“Yankee Skedadlers”: Unionism, Displacement, and Native Northerners who Fled from the Confederacy

Stefanie Greenhill, University of Kentucky

“To Rid the Community of All Suspicious Persons”: The Confederate Community in Civil War Louisiana

J. Matthew Ward, Louisiana State University

Comments

Andrew Lang, Mississippi State University

Lorien Foote

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Carroll Ford

6. Teaching Reconstruction

Presiding

Aaron Sheehan-Dean, Louisiana State University

Panelists

Dana Byrd, Bowdoin College

David Prior, University of New Mexico

Amy Murrell Taylor, University of Kentucky

Learotha Williams, Tennessee State University

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Combs Chandler

7. No Straight Path: Becoming Women Historians

Presiding

Elizabeth Jacoway, Independent Scholar

Panelists

Elizabeth A. Payne, emerita, University of Mississippi

Beverly Bond, University of Memphis

Emily Clark, Tulane University

Martha Swain, emerita, Texas Women's University

Pamela Tyler, emerita, University of Southern Mississippi

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Coe

8. The Gender Politics of American Country Music in the Twentieth Century

Presiding

Kristine McCusker, Middle Tennessee State University

“I Wanna Play House”: Women’s Role as Country Music’s Most Coveted Listeners

Amanda Martinez, University of California, Los Angeles

“Don’t Come Home A-Drinking...”: Loretta Lynn and the Health Environment in Mid-Twentieth-Century Rural Kentucky

Brian Ward, Northumbria University

The Parton Paradox: A History of Race and Gender in the Career of Dolly Parton

Lindsey Hammers, Georgia Southern University and Jefferson County Public Schools

Comment

Charles Hughes, Rhodes College

Kristine McCusker

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

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9. The Material and the Spiritual in the Early Modern Caribbean

Presiding

Jane G. Landers, Vanderbilt University

Caribbean Reformations: Religious Renovation and Transformation in the Archdiocese of Santo Domingo, 1560–1580

Lauren E. MacDonald, Johns Hopkins University

Consuming against God: Religiosity and Smuggling in Hispaniola in the Late Sixteenth Century

Juan José Ponce-Vázquez, University of Alabama

Religious Identity and Port City Networks in the Early Modern Caribbean

J. M. H. Clark, University of Kentucky

Comments

Jane G. Landers

Friday, November 8: 9:30–11:30 AM

Brown

10. European Immigration to the U.S. South, 1865–1920

Presiding

Tyler Anbinder, George Washington University

Germans, Scots, and One Congolese: Immigration and the Hidden Face of Convict Labor in New South Alabama

Jennifer Brooks, Auburn University

Mob Violence, Anti-lynching Activism, and Regional Competition for British Immigration and Investment

Sarah L. Silkey, Lycoming College

Ghost Towns, Coal Fields, and Italian Anarchists in the Southern United States

Andrew Hoyt, Independent Scholar

German, Yet Also American: Membership in the Missouri Home Guard During World War I as Evidence of Loyalty

Petra DeWitt, Missouri University of Science and Technology

Comments

Tyler Anbinder

Friday, November 8: 11:45–1:00 PM

Wilkinson

11. Graduate Student Luncheon

Sponsored in part by the John and LaWanda Cox Fund and by the Organization of American Historians

This year's Graduate Student Luncheon will explore several themes, including teaching in the digital age; grant writing dos and don'ts; doing archival research; becoming a public historian; and doing digital history. (Suggestions for other topics are welcome.) Graduate students will choose their preferred topic and be seated with relevant experts from a variety of backgrounds for intense, small group discussions. To ensure that groups cohere, and because space is limited, the SHA's Graduate Student Council asks that interested graduate students preregister for the luncheon by sending a short (150–200 word) abstract on their topic of choice and their CV to shagradatecouncil@gmail.com by October 15. Registrants are encouraged to rank their table choices. Participants must be members of the Southern Historical Association. Professors, editors, and other professionals in history who are interested in providing advice to graduate students on any of these topics are also invited to sign up for the luncheon. Please follow the SHA Graduate Council on Twitter for updates: twitter.com/SHAGradCouncil.

Friday, November 8: 12:00–1:30 PM

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12. Handling Allegations of Sexism, Racism, and Unethical Behavior: Rethinking the SHA's Policies and Procedures

Workshop Sponsored by the Committee on Women, Gender, and Sexuality

Presiding

Michele Gillespie, Wake Forest University

Panelists

Members of the Committee on Women, Gender, and Sexuality and the Executive Council's subcommittee

In November 2018, the SHA's Executive Council resolved to appoint a subcommittee charged with exploring "appropriate ways for professional associations to handle credible allegations of sexual harassment, racist behavior, or other violations of our ethical policies." The panelists will update the audience on the work of the subcommittee, and audience members will have the opportunity to ask questions, make suggestions, and comment upon any proposed revisions to existing SHA policies.

Friday, November 8: 12:00–2:00 PM

Brown

13. Reinterpreting Southern Histories: A Roundtable

Presiding

Craig Thompson Friend, North Carolina State University

Lorri Glover, Saint Louis University

Panelists

Lesley J. Gordon, University of Alabama

Vanessa Holden, University of Kentucky

Kathryn Newfont, University of Kentucky

Christina Snyder, Pennsylvania State University

Jason Ward, Emory University

Friday, November 8: 1:30–2:15 PM

Breathitt

14. Southern Historical Association Business Meeting

Presiding

William A. Link, University of Florida

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Stopher

15. The Southern Indians, Gender, and Adjustment to American Expansion

Presiding

Greg O'Brien, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

The Invisible Women of the Chickamauga Towns: A Study of Cherokee Gender, Relocation, and Resistance

Jamie Myers Mize, University of North Carolina at Pembroke

The Cherokee King: William McIntosh, Escotchaby of Coweta, and Intra-Indigenous Connections, ca. 1800–1830

Bryan Rindfleisch, Marquette University

“We Would All Go to Church After the Men Had Gone to Bed”: Southern Indian Women and Conversion in Indian Territory, 1830–1861

Steven J. Peach, Tarleton State University

Comments

Greg O'Brien

Rose Stremlau, Davidson College

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Jones

16. “We are Women!”: African American Women’s Reformation of American Society

Presiding

Douglas Egerton, Le Moyne College

Lisa Tendrich Frank, Independent Scholar

Out of the Shadow: Enslaved Women in American Slave Revolts

Richard Follett, University of Sussex

Epistolary Politics: African American Women and the Strategic Networks of Correspondence

Susan Stanfield, University of Texas at El Paso

Reframing the Importance of Northern African American Women in the Antebellum Era

Holly Pinheiro, Augusta University

Comments

Lisa Tendrich Frank

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

French

17. Sanitation, Statistics, and State-Building in Reconstruction America

Presiding

Kate Masur, Northwestern University

“A Muster Roll of the American People”: The Making of the 1870 Census and Postwar National Sovereignty

Judith Giesberg, Villanova University

“Seeing like a State,” Smelling like a Sanitarian: The Landscape of Health in Civil War Prisons

Evan A. Kutzler, Georgia Southwestern State University

“The Seed of Robbery...Reaps Its Harvest of Blood”: Placing Grant’s Peace Policy within Reconstruction America

James Kopaczewski, Temple University

Comments

Kate Masur

Fay Yarbrough, Rice University

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Carroll Ford

18. New Perspectives and Sources on the Elaine Massacre of 1919

Presiding

Kelly Houston Jones, Arkansas Tech University

Labor Activism, Third-Party Politics, and African Americans in Arkansas, 1865–1892

Matthew Hild, Georgia Institute of Technology

Women and the 1919 Elaine Massacre

Cherisse Jones-Branch, Arkansas State University

When the Depths Don't Give up Their Dead: A Discussion on New Primary Sources and How They Are Reshaping Debate on the Elaine Massacre

Brian K. Mitchell, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Comments

Richard Buckelew, Bethune-Cookman University

Kelly Houston Jones

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Combs Chandler

19. Radical South: Leftist Dissent from the New South to the New Deal

Presiding

James Beeby, University of Southern Indiana

Panelists

Ali Katherine Nabours, [McNeese State University](#)

[Kenneth Fones-Wolf, West Virginia University](#)

Kyle Wilkison, Collin College

[Dwana Waugh, Sweet Briar College](#)

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Coe

20. The Social Nature of Public Action: Southern Women and Politics in the Mid-to-Late Nineteenth Century

Presiding

Laura F. Edwards, Duke University

“May the Lord Shield and Protect Us from the Terrible Storm Ahead of Us”: Elite South Carolina Women’s Anticipation of Secession

Melissa DeVelvis, University of South Carolina

The “Snow Bird”: Cynthia Everett and the American Missionary Association in Norfolk, Virginia

Stephanie Richmond, Norfolk State University

The Intricacies of Being Flexible: The Gendered Politics, Expectations, and Consequences of Reforming Women

Sarah Paxton, Ohio State University

Comments

Laura F. Edwards

Elizabeth R. Varon, University of Virginia

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Breathitt

21. Family and Kinship in the Colonial Caribbean

Presiding

Marc Eagle, Western Kentucky University

Colonial Repopulation and Canarian Families in the Eighteenth-Century Spanish Caribbean

Jesse Cromwell, University of Mississippi

Making Kin, Making Labor: Indigenous Networks among the Maroons of Jamaica

Amy Johnson, Elon University

Togetherness and Family Life in Slavery in Western Haiti, 1681–1789

Robert Taber, Fayetteville State University

Comments

Jennifer Palmer, University of Georgia

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Brown

22. Reconsidering the Imperial Hangover in Morocco, the Arabian Gulf, and French Guiana

Presiding

Tamara Spike, University of North Georgia

Remembering and Forgetting in Morocco: A Postcolonial Perspective

April Najjaj, Texas A&M University at San Antonio

Before Papillon: French Guiana and Deported Catholic Clergy

Erica Johnson, Francis Marion University

Reclaiming the Narrative: Piracy and Agency in the Lower Persian/Arabian Gulf Emirates

Victoria Hightower, University of North Georgia

Comments

Tamara Spike

Friday, November 8: 2:30–4:30 PM

Nunn

23. Atlantic Crossing of Reform: Transnational Political Changes, Nationalism, and Democratic-Republicanism

Presiding

Andre M. Fleche, Castleton University

The Yankee Republic?: The U.S. Civil War and the First Spanish Republic

Gregory P. Downs, University of California, Davis

The Transatlantic World of Louis Kossuth

Duncan A. Campbell, National University

The American Civil War and Democratic Reforms in France and Germany

Niels Eichhorn, Middle Georgia State University

Comments

Andre M. Fleche



the SOUTHERN
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Friday, November 8: 5:30–8:00 PM

Segell

24. Society of Civil War Historians Banquet

Presiding

Nina Silber, Boston University

Following the Paths of the Civil War's Refugees from Slavery

Amy Murrell Taylor, University of Kentucky

Dr. Taylor is the recipient of the 2019 Tom Watson Brown Book Award for her book, *Embattled Freedom: Journeys through the Civil War's Slave Refugee Camps* (University of North Carolina Press, 2018). The dinner and talk is open to SCWH members only; advanced registration is required. Electronic invitations will be sent September 2.

Friday, November 8: 8:00 PM

Grand Ballroom C

25. Presidential Address

Presiding

Jane Turner Censer, George Mason University

Frank Porter Graham, Racial Gradualism, and the Dilemmas of Southern Liberalism

William A. Link, University of Florida

The Presidential Address will be preceded by the presentation of the 2019 Southern Historical Association awards. A reception honoring President William A. Link will follow in Exhibit/Grand Hall. The reception is generously supported by University of Florida, Office of the Provost; University of Florida, College of Arts and Sciences; University of Florida, Department of History; University of North Carolina Press; University Press of Florida; and University of Florida Samuel Proctor Oral History Program.

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Stopher

26. Rewriting the Revolution: Women's Experiences and Allegiances

Presiding

Ben Marsh, University of Kent

Eliza Lucas Pinckney: An Independent Woman Withstands a Ruthless Revolutionary War

Lorri Glover, St. Louis University

The Traitor's Wife: Peggy Shippen Arnold and the Revolution

Charlene Boyer Lewis, Kalamazoo College

"A Good Citizen and Well Attached to the Government": Jane Spurgin Renounces Her Tory Husband and Challenges Her Whig Governors

Cynthia A. Kierner, George Mason University

Comments

Ben Marsh

Ami Pflugrad-Jackisch, University of Toledo

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Jones

27. African Americans in the Post-Civil War South: New Narratives

Presiding

Nina Silber, Boston University

Freedpeople and the Non-gendered Deeding of Land in Rural Reconstruction-era Georgia

Felicia Jamison, University of Maryland

"Passed from the Hands of His Friends to the Soldiers' Home": Black Civil War Veterans and the Southern Branches of the NHDVS

Kelly D. Mezurek, Walsh University

"*Pli Belle Que Métresse*": Lyle Saxon, the Louisiana Writers' Project and the Memory of "the Quadroon" in 1930s Louisiana

Andrea Livesey, Liverpool John Moores University

Comments

Nina Silber

Nicole Myers Turner, Virginia Commonwealth University

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

French

28. The Latino South

Presiding

Paul Ortiz, University of Florida

Panelists

Angela Diaz, Utah State University

~~Mary Odem, Emory University~~

Simone Delorme, University of Mississippi

Michael Innis-Jimenez, University of Alabama

Yuridia Ramirez, Miami University

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Carroll Ford

29. Revisiting Tourist Landscapes in Kentucky History

Presiding

Daniel Vivian, University of Kentucky

~~“Over the Borderland”: Considering Race in Mammoth Cave~~

~~Emma Newcombe, Skidmore College~~

“Old Kentucky Home—Let’s Buy It!” Nostalgia and Tourism as Economic Development in Jim Crow Kentucky

Emily Bingham, Independent Scholar

The “Backside” of the Track: Race, Recognition, and Labor Shifts in Thoroughbred Horse Racing

Rebecca Richart, University of California, Irvine

Comments

Daniel Vivian

Gerald Smith, University of Kentucky

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Combs Chandler

30. Formative Experiences: Region, Gender, and Race in the Early Lives of Future Activists

Presiding

Joan Marie Johnson, Northwestern University

Becoming a Breckinridge: The Kentucky Childhood of a Future Reformer

Anya Jabour, University of Montana

From Savannah to Monrovia: Alice McKane, the Migration to Liberia, and Civil Rights at the Turn of the Twentieth Century

Julie de Chantal, Georgia Southern University

A Respectable Childhood: Becoming Judge Elreta Alexander

Virginia L. Summey, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Comments

Robyn Muncy, University of Maryland, College Park

Joan Marie Johnson

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Coe

31. Championing Justice and Rejecting White Supremacy: The Public Role of Southern Historians?

Presiding

Redell Hearn, Mississippi Museum of Art and Tougaloo College

Panelists

John Hayes, Augusta University

Robert Lockett, Jackson State University

Anthony Dixon, Bethune-Cookman University

Rachel Stephens, University of Alabama

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Beckham

32. Borders and Edges: Finding Southern Environmental History

Presiding

Mark Hersey, Mississippi State University and *Environmental History*

Panelists

Kathryn Olivarius, Stanford University

Kathryn J. Shively, Virginia Commonwealth University

Andrea Smalley, Northern Illinois University

Drew Swanson, Wright State University

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Breathitt

33. Race, Space, and Resistance in Caribbean Slave Societies

Kimberly Hanger Memorial Panel

Presiding

Tamara Spike, University of North Georgia

Slavery, Environment, and the “Contagion of Rebellion” in the Leeward Islands

James Dator, Goucher College

Layered Sources of Resistance in Caribbean Slave Societies

Angela Sutton, Vanderbilt University

Effects of the Illegal Slave Trade in Cuba: Cultural Expressions by Africans from the Bights of Benin and Biafra, 1830–40s

William Van Norman, James Madison University

Legacies of Slavery and the Science of Skin Color: Charles B. Davenport’s Eugenic Race Crossing Studies

Rana Hogarth, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Comments

Audience

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Brown

34. German History in the Age of Trump

Presiding

Jonathan Wiesen, University of Alabama at Birmingham

A Usable Past?: The Weimar Republic and Nazi Germany in Contemporary American Media Culture

Sace Elder, Eastern Illinois University

Weimar- and Nazi-era Germany in Contemporary Discussions of Gender and Sexuality

Molly Wilkinson Johnson, University of Alabama in Huntsville

Migration History in Contemporary Debates of Belonging: Teaching Postwar Immigration History in Context

Jennifer Miller, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Comments

Jonathan Wiesen

Saturday, November 9: 9:30–11:30 AM

Nunn

35. Biography Across Borders: Public and Private Life in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries

Presiding

Peter N. Moore, Texas A&M University–Corpus Christi

Raising a Radical: Emilie Ashurst and Nineteenth-Century Social Networks

Allison Scardino Belzer, Georgia Southern University, Armstrong Campus

Financier of the Revolution: Adriano Lemmi and the Material Demands of the Italian Risorgimento

Jessica Strom, University of Connecticut

Personal Loss and Political Journalism in the Era of World War I: The Case of J. L. Garvin

Nathan N. Orgill, Georgia Gwinnett College

Comments

Peter N. Moore

Saturday, November 9: 11:45 AM–1:30 PM

Sampson

36. European History Section Luncheon

Mathews-Weinberg Luncheon Address

Presiding

Lois Huneycutt, University of Missouri

What is a King? What is a Kingdom? Rus' in Medieval Europe

Christian Raffensperger, Wittenberg University

Saturday, November 9: 11:45 AM–1:30 PM

Wilkinson

37. Latin American and Caribbean Section Luncheon

Presiding

Tiffany Sippial, Auburn University

An Eminent Place Among the Nations of the World: Comparing Mexico and the United States before 1846

Peter Guardino, Indiana University

Saturday, November 9: 12:00–1:00 PM

Nunn

38. Collaborating within the Historical Profession: On and Off Campus

Roundtable Sponsored by the SAWH Professional Development Committee

Presiding

Christine E. Sears, University of Alabama in Huntsville

Panelists

Janet Allured, McNeese State University

Nancy E. Baker, Sam Houston State University

Sandra G. Treadway, Library of Virginia

Ashley Bouknight, Historical Research Associates, Inc., Nashville, TN

Saturday, November 9: 12:00–2:00 PM

Carroll Ford

39. Southern History in the Headlines

Southern History in the Headlines is an annual forum that encourages content experts to ruminate on events in the current news cycle that have the potential to deeply shape the future history of the South. Check the program at thesha.org and your Twitter feed (@TheSouthernSHA or @JourSouHist) for updates and further details.

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Stopher

40. Religion and the Black Atlantic

Presiding

Charles Irons, Elon University

Panelists

Ras Michael Brown, Southern Illinois University

Jon Sensbach, University of Florida

Dianne Stewart, Emory University

Alexis Wells-Oghoghomeh, Vanderbilt University

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Jones

41. Revisiting the “Slave Power”

Presiding

Sarah L. H. Gronningsater, University of Pennsylvania

Panelists

Nicole Etcheson, Ball State University

Matthew Karp, Princeton University

Angela Murphy, Texas State University

Michael E. Woods, Marshall University

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

French

42. (Re)Constructing an Empire: The South and the Nation after the Civil War

Presiding

Elliott West, University of Arkansas

Lessons from Kansas: The New England Emigrant Aid Company and Imperial Projects in the Reconstruction Era

Courtney Buchkoski, University of Oklahoma

The Complete Triumph of National Arms in the Cause of Republican Constitutional Government: Anti-Imperialism and U.S./Mexico Relations

Evan Rothera, Sam Houston State University

The Great Task Remaining: The Reconstruction-Era Army in Texas

Cecily N. Zander, Pennsylvania State University

Comments

Greg Downs, University of California, Davis

Elliott West

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Combs Chandler

43. Teaching Southern History at Historically Black Colleges and Universities

Presiding

Edna Medford, Howard University

Panelists

Barry Lee, Morehouse College

Nikki Taylor, Howard University

Erin Gilliam, Kentucky State University

Dwana Waugh, Sweet Briar College

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Carroll Ford

44. Queer Spaces of the Twentieth-Century South

Presiding

Julio Capó, Florida International University

Same Space/Different Experiences: Memories of Post-WWII Downtown Mobile, Alabama

Isabel Machado, University of Memphis

Straight Down Line-of-Dance? Gay Teachers in Atlanta Ballroom Dance Studios, 1970–1990

Roger Wiblin, Brigham Young University–Idaho

Queer Spaces, Oral History, and Gentrification in Roanoke, Virginia

Gregory Samantha Rosenthal, Roanoke College

Comments

Julio Capó

Jerry Watkins III, College of William & Mary

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Coe

45. Greening Up the Rural South: Environmental Histories of Economic Development and Its Limits Since 1945

Presiding

Kathryn Newfont, University of Kentucky

“Apostles of Beauty”: The Garden Club of Georgia’s Crusade for Roadside Development

Matthew Burkhalter, University of Georgia

“A River Is a Holy Thing”: Farmers, Environmentalists, and the Fight to Save the New River, 1962–1976

Madison Cates, University of Florida

The Rivers of Eden: Environmental and Economic Decline in the Rural South

Robert Hunt Ferguson, Western Carolina University

Comments

Kathryn Newfont

Adrienne Petty, College of William & Mary

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Breathitt

46. Rights and Radicalism in the Caribbean Basin

Presiding

Christine Ehrick, University of Louisville

Puerto Rican Freedom and Possibility: Forged through the Crucible of Late Nineteenth-Century Caribbean Independence

Don S. Polite Jr., University of South Carolina

Black Jacobins and Black Bolsheviks: C. L. R. James' Contributions to Historical Materialism and Echoes of Toussaint Louverture in Kwame Nkrumah's Ghana

Nicholas C. McLeod, University of Louisville

From Reincorporation to Semi-Autonomy: Nicaraguan Costeño Society from the Liberal Revolution of President José Santos Zelaya through the Somoza Dictatorship (1893–1979)

John-Paul Wilson, St. John's University

Indigenous Autonomy on the Isthmus: Indigenous Rights and International Development in Central America after the 1960s

David Lee, Temple University

Comments

Christine Ehrick

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Beckham

47. Revolution and Nationhood in North America and the Caribbean: Five Case Studies

Presiding

David Sheinin, Trent University

Panelists

Robert Bothwell, University of Toronto

Matt D. Childs, University of South Carolina

Julia Gaffield, Georgia State University

Lester D. Langley, University of Georgia

Amelia Kiddle, University of Calgary

Peter Guardino, Indiana University

Comments

David Sheinin

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Brown

48. Constructing Globalized Identities in Europe and North America

Presiding

Stephen Stillwell, Independent Scholar

A Showcase for Wine: Producing Spanish Wine Identity across Markets

Karl Trybus, Limestone College

International Student Construction Brigade Movement in the 1960s–1980s’ USSR

Liana Kirillova, Southern Illinois University

Webs of Identity and Memory: Iconoclasm on the Sites of Monuments Commemorating the British Empire’s Military Heroes in Canada and Ireland, 1759–2003

Derek N. Boetcher, University of Florida

Comments

Stephen Stillwell

Saturday, November 9: 2:30–4:30 PM

Nunn

49. European Encounters Between the Spiritual and the Secular, 1500s–1800s

Presiding

Jeffrey Zalar, University of Cincinnati

The Path of the Quartered: Witchcraft, Women, and the Piria in Seventeenth-Century Venice

John M. Hunt, Utah Valley University

Caught in a Cosmic Conflict: Demonological Shifts in Post-Reformation England

Cory Higdon, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary

The Corpse House in Nineteenth-Century Bavaria: A Barrier against “Superstition”

Alyssa Culp, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Comments

Jeffrey Zalar

Saturday, November 9: 4:45–8:00 PM

Wilkinson

50. Southern Association for Women Historians Annual Address and Reception

Presiding

Janet Allured, McNeese State University

“I Can’t Buy One Mouth Full of Nothing to Eat”: Women and the Struggle for Sustenance in the Civil War South

Anne Sarah Rubin, Professor of History and Associate Director of the Imaging Research Center, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

The presentation of awards and a brief business meeting will precede Rubin’s talk. A reception honoring Janet Allured, SAWH President, will immediately follow the talk in the Grand/Exhibit Hall.

Saturday, November 9: 8:00–11:00 PM

The Frazier History Museum

51. Making History Work: Teaching, Research, and Public History in Kentucky

Final plenary

Chair

Patrick A. Lewis, Filson Historical Society

Panelists

Amy Murrell Taylor, University of Kentucky

Lara L. Kelland, University of Louisville

Amanda L. Higgins, Kentucky Historical Society

The Frazier History Museum is located at 829 W. Main St., Louisville, KY 40202. The plenary will be held in the Brown-Forman Theater on the first floor of the Museum and a reception will immediately follow in the Great Hall.

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

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52. Degrees of Unfreedom in Early Virginia

Presiding

Brent Tarter, Library of Virginia

The Other Unfree, White Laborers: Apprenticeship in Early Virginia

Steven Harris-Scott, George Mason University

Servitude, Slavery, and Statutory Law in Early Virginia

Allison Madar, University of Oregon

“Free Liberty to Visit His Friends”: Creating Spaces of Quasi Freedom for Enslaved Virginians

Sheri Huerta, George Mason University

Comments

Warren Billings, University of New Orleans

Brent Tarter

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

MOVED TO FRIDAY 9:30

53. Slaveholders and the Enslaved in the Antebellum South: Stealing and Sex, Marriage and Motherhood

Presiding

Shannon Eaves, College of Charleston

Re-evaluating Southern Motherhood: Enslaved and Enslaving Mothers in the Antebellum South

R. J. Knight, University of Sheffield

“Negro Thieves,” Stolen Slaves, and Small-Scale Slaveholding in the Antebellum South

Laura Sandy, University of Liverpool

“The Fruits of an Adulterous Intercourse”: Interracial Sex and Divorce in the Slaveholding South

Marie Molloy, Manchester Metropolitan University

Comments

Shannon Eaves

Emily West, University of Reading

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

French

54. Reconstruction, Race, and Policing

Presiding

Geoff Ward, Washington University in St. Louis

“I Saw Their Stars”: Race, Rape, and Policing in the Reconstruction South

Elizabeth Barnes, University of Reading

Southern Policing and the Ku Klux Klan during Reconstruction

Bradley D. Proctor, Evergreen State College

Reconstruction Justice: Black Law Enforcement and the Politics of Space in Charleston and New Orleans

Samuel Watts, University of Melbourne

Comments

~~David Silkenat, University of Edinburgh~~

Geoff Ward

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

Carroll Ford

55. Evaluating the Poor People’s Campaign from a Grassroots Perspective

Presiding

Hilliard Lawrence Lackey, Jackson State University

“Standing at the Crossroads”: The Intellectual and Socioeconomic Origins of the Poor People’s Campaign in the Mississippi Delta

Jonathan Soucek, Purdue University

Pilgrimage of the Poor: The Mule Train Journey of the 1968 Poor People’s Campaign

Chet Bush, University of Mississippi

The Road from Resurrection City: Race, Class, Region, and the Poor People’s Campaign of 1968 and the Meaning of Justice

Thomas Kiffmeyer, Morehead State University

Comments

Gordon Mantler, George Washington University

~~Angela Jill Cooley, Minnesota State University, Mankato~~

~~Karen Hawkins, Voyager Academy High School~~

~~Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM~~

~~CANCELLED~~

~~**56. Racism, Repression, and Resistance in 1968 Louisville: Martin Luther King, the “Black Six,” and Community Organizing**~~

~~***Presiding***~~

~~Gatherine Fosl, University of Louisville~~

~~***Panelists***~~

~~Michael Honey, University of Washington, Tacoma~~

~~Martha Allen, Women’s Institute for Freedom of the Press~~

~~Manfred Reid, Retired Insurance Salesman and Community Organizer~~

~~William Allison, Retired Civil Rights Movement Attorney~~

~~Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM~~

~~CANCELLED~~

~~**57. Drugs, Alcohol, and Addiction in Southern Medicine and Public Health**~~

~~***Presiding***~~

~~Claire Clark, University of Kentucky~~

~~**The Narcotic Farm and Frontier Nursing Service Legacies: Gendered Substance Use Treatment in the Time of Medicaid Expansion**~~

~~Lesly-Marie Bauer, Tennessee Department of Health~~

~~**“Will not the Prevention be Worse than the Disease?”: The Contested Use of Medicinal Liquor in Civil War Medicine**~~

~~Megan L. Bever, Missouri Southern State University~~

~~***Comments***~~

~~Claire Clark~~

~~Katherine Massoth, University of Louisville~~

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

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58. From the Revolution to the Periodo Especial to the Quincentenary of Havana: Five Decades Researching Cuba

Presiding

Luis Martínez-Fernández, University of Central Florida

Panelists

Sherry S. Johnson, Florida International University

Matt D. Childs, University of South Carolina

Luis Martínez-Fernández, University of Central Florida

Comments

Audience

Sunday, November 10: 9:00–11:00 AM

Brown

59. Immigration and Displacement in Twentieth-Century Europe

Presiding

Alice-Catherine Carls, University of Tennessee at Martin

To Go to Palestine: The American Zone in Austria and Jewish Displaced Persons, 1945–1947

David W. Hendon, Baylor University

German and Austrian Emigres in the U.S. Army and the Prosecution of Nazi War Criminals

Patricia A. Kollander, Florida Atlantic University

Who Speaks for British Immigrants?: The National Committee for Commonwealth Immigrants and Problems of Postcolonial Representation

Brett Bebbler, Old Dominion University

Comments

Alice-Catherine Carls