



2019 HISTORY GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE

Program of Events

9:00—Registration Opens

Light refreshments and coffee served in Riddick Lounge

10:00—Opening Remarks

10:30-12:00—Panel Session 1

Politics, Rhetoric, and Public Opinion

Comments by Dr. Jaclyn Stanke, Campbell University

Moderated by Amanda Finn, NC State University

“A Subject of Great Excitement and Controversy”: Discourse Between the Public and Scientists Concerning American Genetic Sciences, 1970-1979, Kate Bunn, NC State University

The Politics of Crack, Crime, and the “Ghettoization” of the Outer Boroughs in New York City During the Dinkins Era, 1989-1993, James Barney, University of Memphis

Roosevelt, Congress, and World War II: How Public Opinion Failed to Shape United States Foreign Policy Prior to the Second World War, Coby DeVito, UNC-Chapel Hill

Native American Histories

Comments by Dr. Clyde Ellis, Elon University

Moderated by Grace Anne Parker, NC State University

Constructing Healthy Communities: Field Matrons and Domestic Medicine in the Bureau of Indian Affairs, 1891-1915, Jessica Hauger, Duke University

“Restraints of Civilized Society”: Stockbridge Citizenship and Anticolonial Nationalism in 1840s Wisconsin Territory, Vivien Rendleman, Duke University

Family and Community Histories

Comments by Dr. Angela Robbins, Meredith College

Moderated by Steven Lechner, NC State University

The Spencers of Back Creek: Three Generations in Rural North Carolina, Anna Spencer, NC State University

Three Generations of Appalachian Women: A Family History, Catherine Stiers, NC State University

A Century of Change: A Family's Migratory Movement through the Midwestern United States, Elizabeth Brom, NC State University

12:00-12:45—Lunch

Undergraduate Poster Session in Riddick Lounge

1:00-2:00—Keynote Address

***Making a Modern U.S. West:
The U.S. West and its Borderlands, 1898-1940***

Dr. Sarah Jane Deutsch, Duke University

2:15-3:30—Panel Session 2

Prospective Student Panel

Traditional MA—Andrew Collins

Public History MA—Catherine Linton

Public History PhD—Matthew Champagne

HGSA—Hanna Howard and Kate Bunn

Brick by Brick Blog—Andrew Sperling

Digital Humanities

Comments by Dr. Joey Ann Fink, High Point University

Moderated by Jordan Scott, NC State University

Producing Historical Knowledge on Wikipedia, Petros Apostolopoulos, NC State University

“Everything of Interest Shown:” Bird’s-Eye Views in a Digital Age, Alexander Goodrich, NC State University

African American Histories

Comments by Dr. Arwin Smallwood, NC A&T University

Moderated by Melody Hunter-Pillion, NC State University

The Cape Fear Ran Red: The Wilmington Race Riot and Coup ‘D’état of 1989 and its Memorialization, Jacob Thomas, Marshall University

The Freedmen’s Bureau as an Information Agency: Barriers to the Dissemination and Application of Information to Benefit Freedpeople in Reconstruction, Robert Manzo, Western Carolina University

3:30-3:45—Refreshment Break in Riddick Lounge

3:45-5:00—Panel Session 3

Religious and Transnational Identities

Comments by Dr. Philip J. Stern, Duke University

Moderated by Holly Smith, NC State University

Creative Power: A Jewish Refugee in the Jim Crow South, Andrew Sperling, NC State University

Religion and Identity in Late Antiquity: A Study of the Goths and Arianism, Tyler Ellis, NC State University

Space, Gender, and Public Politics

Comments by Dr. Katherine Otis, William Peace University

Moderated by Marilyn McHugh Drath, NC State University

Gendered Expressions of Power at the Baltimore Sesquicentennial Celebration, Emma Rothberg, UNC-Chapel Hill

All Politics is Local at the German American Steuben Parade, Steven Lechner, NC State University

Queer Space Outside the Closet: Spatial Conceptions of the Gay Community in the United States since World War II, Matthew Champagne, NC State University