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82nd Annual Meeting
October 17-19, 2013
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
THE 82ND ANNUAL MEETING IN GETTYSBURG highlights the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg and the Gettysburg Address. Several sessions and events will focus on Pennsylvania’s involvement in the Civil War and the critical role played by the Battle of Gettysburg in the military and political dimensions of that conflict. Other sessions will address Pennsylvania’s rich cultural and social history, from the colonial era through the present day.

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All persons attending the conference must register. All registrants may pick up a copy of the program book at the registration table open on October 17, 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (EF Foyer, Wyndham), on October 18, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (EF Foyer Wyndham), and October 19, 8:30 to 11:00 a.m. (EF Foyer Wyndham). Badges must be presented for admission to all sessions, receptions, and the book exhibit. Badges are obtained through the payment of registration fees and should be picked up on-site at the conference registration table.

Tickets
Luncheon and banquet on October 17, and luncheon on October 18 require tickets, which are included with your registration packets. Pre-payment for meals is required. If you would like to add a meal to your conference registration, contact local arrangements chair Tim Shannon.

Book Exhibits
Book publishers and organizations have exhibits in the EF Foyer of the Wyndham. The dates and hours for the exhibit are:

Friday, October 18 — 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 19 — 8:30 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Tour Information
Professor Peter Carmichael, Director of the Civil War Institute at Gettysburg College, will lead a bus tour of “The Forgotten Nooks of the Gettysburg Battlefield” on Saturday, October 19, from 2:15 to 4:45 p.m., with pick-up and drop-off at the Wyndham. The registration fee for the tour is $25 and seating is limited, so please register as soon as possible. For further information, contact Tim Shannon at tshannon@gettysburg.edu.

Plenary Speakers
Thursday evening plenary speaker: Mark Neely, Penn State University, “Did Pennsylvania Want Peace in 1863?”

Friday luncheon speaker: Charles McCollester, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, “The Point of Pittsburgh”

Friday banquet speaker: Timothy J. Shannon, Gettysburg College, “On the Trail of Peter Williamson: The Mystery of a Peripatetic Colonial Pennsylvanian Pondered (and Perhaps Even Solved)”

Saturday luncheon speaker: Heather Ann Thompson, Temple University, “Rethinking Pennsylvania’s Past and Present: Why Mass Incarceration Matters in the Keystone State”
The editor of Pennsylvania History invites the submission of articles dealing with the history of Pennsylvania and the Middle Atlantic region. Articles may investigate new areas of research or they may reflect on past scholarship. Material that is primarily of an antiquarian or genealogical nature will not be considered. The Journal also reviews books, exhibits, and other media dealing primarily with Pennsylvania History or that shed significant light on the state’s past.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18—8:30 A.M. TO 5 P.M.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19—8:30 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

Seminary Ridge, Gettysburg
THURSDAY, October 17

Council Meeting: 5:15-6:45 p.m. Breidenbaugh Hall, Room 312, Gettysburg College (Breidenbaugh Hall is located at the intersection of Washington Street and Lincoln Avenue).

Registration: 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m., EF Foyer, Wyndham

Session 1.1: 7:30-8:30 p.m.
Location: Joseph Theater, Breidenbaugh Hall, Gettysburg College (Breidenbaugh Hall is located at the intersection of Washington Street and Lincoln Avenue).
Welcoming Remarks from Chris Zappe, Provost, Gettysburg College
Plenary Session: Mark Neely, Penn State University

Did Pennsylvania Want Peace in 1863?
Chair: Peter Carmichael, Civil War Institute, Gettysburg College

Reception: 8:30-9:30 p.m., Breidenbaugh Hall Lobby, Gettysburg College.

The PHA gratefully acknowledges funding received for the Plenary Session and Reception from the Events Planning and Coordination Committee and the 150th Gettysburg Commemoration Committee at Gettysburg College.

FRIDAY, October 18

All Friday sessions except for Session 6.4 will be held at the Wyndham.

FRIDAY, October 18, 2013, 9:00-10:30 AM
Session 2.1: Roundtable: The Civil War in Pennsylvania, 1863
Location: Salon EF
Chair: Matthew Pinsker, Dickinson College
Panelists: J. Matthew Gallman, University of Florida
Judith Giesberg, Villanova University
William A. Blair, Penn State University

FRIDAY, October 18, 2013, 10:30-10:45 AM
Coffee Break: EF Foyer

FRIDAY, October 18, 2013, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM
Session 3.1: Independence, Obedience, Religion: Moravian Tradesmen in the 18th-Century Pennsylvania Backcountry
Location: Stars and Stripes Room
Chair: Karen Guenther, Mansfield University
"Married to the Job (and Jesus): Moravian Artisans, Moravian Marriage, and the Colonial Pennsylvania Backcountry"
Katherine Faull, Bucknell University
"Preventing Prosperity: Ambitious Tradesmen and Economic Controls in Eighteenth-Century Moravian Communities"
Scott Paul Gordon, Lehigh University
"His Desire is Not to Work Under a Master: Christopher Demuth’s Journey from Single Brother to Celebrated Snuffmaker"
Diane Wenger, Wilkes University
Session 3.2: The Contested Meanings of Loyalty in Pennsylvania during the Civil War
Location: Eisenhower Room
Chair: Diane Barnes, Youngstown State University
"The Meaning of Loyalty: The Context of the 1862 Loyal War Governor's Conference"
Robert M. Sandow, Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania
"A New Word in Politics: The Meaning of 'Loyalty' in the Pennsylvania Indemnity Debate of 1863"
Jonathan W. White, Christopher Newport University
"A Source of Mortification to All Truly Loyal Men: The Allegheny Arsenal's Disloyal Worker Purge of 1863"
Timothy J. Orr, Old Dominion University
Comment: Mark E. Neely, Jr., Penn State University

Session 3.3: Abolition and the Civil War
Location: Lincoln Room
Chair: Jonathan Daniel Wells, Temple University
"Freedom Where?: African Americans, Liberia, and the Civil War"
Matthew J. Hetrick, University of Delaware
"The Civil War in the Pennsylvania Anti-Slavery Society"
AJ Aiséríthe, Frederick Douglass Papers
"Who Caused the Gettysburg Campaign?"
David Smith, Booz Allen Hamilton
Comment: Randall M. Miller, Saint Joseph's University
Friday, October 18, 2013, 1:45-3:15 PM

Session 5.2: Organizing Locally to Exercise Nation-Wide Influence: Association, State, and Union in Pennsylvania, 1820-1860
Location: Eisenhower Room
Chair: Douglas R. Egerton, LeMoyne College
"The Mississippi Chapter of the Pennsylvania Abolition Society"
Richard Bell, University of Maryland, College Park
Robert Gamble, Johns Hopkins University
"The Promotion of Moral and Religious Instruction Throughout Our Country: The American Sunday School Union and Missionary Efforts in the Mississippi Valley"
Albrecht Koschnik, McNeil Center for Early American Studies
Comment: Corey Brooks, York College of Pennsylvania

Session 5.3: "To Flag and Freedom Ever Dear": Pennsylvanians, the Gettysburg Address, and Civil War Memory
Location: Lincoln Room
Chair: Scott Hartwig, National Park Service
"Pennsylvania at Andersonville: Death, Commemoration, and the Legacy of the Commonwealth's Prisoners of War"
Glenn Robins, Georgia Southwestern State University
"Gettysburg Celebrates the Address, 1913"
Jared Peatman, Lincoln Leadership Institute
"Nor Long Remember: The Gettysburg Address, the Second World War, and the Emerging Cold War"
Jennifer Murray, University of Virginia’s College at Wise
Comment: Louise Arnold-Friend, U.S. Army Education and Heritage Center

Friday, October 18, 2013, 3:30-5:00 PM

Session 6.1: Healing on the Home Front: Stories from Philadelphia’s Civil War Medical Archives
Location: Stars and Stripes Room
Chair: Michael Barton, Penn State Harrisburg
"University of Pennsylvania and Medical Education in the Civil War Era"
Joseph-James Ahern, University Archives and Records Center, University of Pennsylvania
"Pennsylvania Hospital and the Civil War"
Stacey C Pooles, Curator-Lead Archivist, Pennsylvania Hospital
"Wounded for Life: Health Surveys of Civil War Veterans"
Robert D. Hicks, Mütter Museum and Historical Medical Library of The College of Physicians of Philadelphia
Comment: Barbra Mann Wall, University of Pennsylvania

Session 6.2: Pennsylvania and the Re-election of President Barack Obama
Location: Eisenhower Room
Chair: Ken Wolensky, PIA President
"The Obama Re-Election in Pennsylvania: Long-Term Trends and the 2012 Voting Patterns"
Tim Blessing, Alvernia University
"The Obama Re-election: A Reporter’s Reflections"
Colby Itkowitz, Allentown Morning Call’s Washington Correspondent
Comment: David Shribman, Pittsburgh Post-Gazette
Friday, October 18, 2013, 3:30-5:00 PM
Session 6.3: Approaching Pennsylvania's Borderlands and Frontiers
Location: Lincoln Room
Chair: Holly Mayer, Duquesne University
"What's Colonial About the Colonial Pennsylvanian Frontier? A Comparative Perspective"
John Smolenski, History at University of California, Davis
"Pennsylvania's Frontier Land Distribution Policies: A Global Perspective"
Marcus Gallo, Shippensburg University
"Court and Community in the Pennsylvania Backcountry, 1732-1797"
Matthew Ward, University of Dundee, Scotland
Comment: William Campbell, California State University, Chico

Friday, October 18, 2013, 5:30-6:45 PM
Reception, Seminary Ridge Museum, 111 Seminary Ridge, Gettysburg
This reception will feature a book signing for Judith Giesberg’s *Keystone State in Crisis: Pennsylvania in the Civil War*, recently published by the Pennsylvania Historical Association.

Friday, October 18, 2013, 7:00 PM
Session 7.1: Friday Banquet
Location: Lutheran Theological Seminary Refectory, 61 Seminary Ridge, Gettysburg
"On the Trail of Peter Williamson: The Mystery of a Peripatetic Colonial Pennsylvanian Pondered (and Perhaps Even Solved)"
Timothy J. Shannon, Gettysburg College
Saturday, October 19, 2013, 8:30-12:00 PM
All Saturday sessions will be held at the Wyndham

Registration: EF Foyer, Wyndham until 11:00 a.m.
Book Exhibit: EF Foyer, Wyndham until 12:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 8:15 AM-9:00 AM
PHA Membership Meeting (continental breakfast provided)
Location: Eisenhower Room

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 9:00-10:30 AM
Session 8.1: Art, Music, and Advertising in Nineteenth-Century Pennsylvania
Location: Stars and Stripes Room
Chair: Janet M. Lindman, Rowan University
"Nineteenth-Century Philadelphia: A Sad Place for Artists"
Kate Ogden, Richard Stockton College
"The 'City of Homes': Advertising Philadelphia Home Ownership and the Building Industry after Reconstruction"
Amanda Casper, University of Delaware
"Remembering Civil War Veterans in Music at the Western Pennsylvania Exposition (1889-1916)"
Vanessa Diehl, Independent Scholar
Comment: Elaine Parsons, Duquesne University

Session 8.2: Mourning and Remembering the Civil War
Location: Eisenhower Room
Chair: Michael Gray, East Stroudsburg University
"Mourning the Martyr Lincoln: Ministers and the Emergence of Civic Millennialism in Post-Civil War Philadelphia"
Suzanne Cooper Guasco, Queens University of Charlotte
Amy Kinsel, Shoreline Community College
"The Business of Mourning: Women and Death in Pennsylvania"
Karol Weaver, Susquehanna University
Comment: Lesley Gordon, University of Akron

Session 8.3: Patriotism, Loyalty, and the Politics of Wartime Reaction in the Twentieth Century
Location: Lincoln Room
Chair: Robert Shaffer, Shippensburg University
"War Subjects: Patriotism, Dissent, and the Impact of World War I on Central Pennsylvania College Curriculum"
Christy Fic, Shippensburg University
"Cracking the Golden Door: Lehigh Valley Congressman Francis E. Walter and the Hungarian Refugee Crisis, 1956-1957"
Adam Bentz, Lehigh University
Comment: Michael Birkner, Gettysburg College
Saturday, October 19, 2013, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM

Session 9.1: Taking a Walk on Pennsylvania's Wild Side
Location: Stars and Stripes Room
Chair: William Kerrigan, Muskingum University
"The Black Boys, Borders, and Authority in Colonial Pennsylvania"
   Jay Donis, Lehigh University
"Imagining the Frontier in the Early Republic: The Depiction of Western Pennsylvania in Travel Literature, 1790-1820"
   Sheila Rohrer, Penn State Harrisburg
   Ed Slavishak, Susquehanna University
Comment: David Hsiung, Juniata College

Session 9.2: Proslavery Politics in Civil War Era Pennsylvania
Location: Eisenhower Room
Chair: Christian B. Keller, U.S. Army War College
"Pennsylvania and the Swing States in the Election of 1862"
   T. Lloyd Benson, Furman University
"Old Buck's Lieutenant: Glancy Jones, James Buchanan, and the Northern Democracy"
   Michael Landis, Tarleton State University
"Doughfaces in Peace and War: Party, Race, and Ambition in the Career of William Watts Hart Davis"
   Frank Towers, University of Calgary
Comment: Andrew L. Slap, East Tennessee State University

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM

Session 9.3: Before Garrison: Interracial Abolitionism from the 1790s through the 1820s
Location: Lincoln Room
Chair: William G. Shade, Lehigh University
"Making Freemen, Vanquishing Prejudice: Social Environmentalism and Racial Unity in Early Abolitionist Ideology"
   Paul J. Polgar, Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture
"The Interracial Abolitionist Collaborations of Cato Collins and John Parrish"
   Nicholas Wood, University of Virginia
"Black Citizenship and the Rights of Slaveholders in Pennsylvania's 1825 Fugitive Slave Law"
   Andrew Diemer, Towson University
Comment: Beverly Tomek, University of Houston-Victoria

Session 9.4: Student Poster Session
Location: EF Foyer
Poster Session Coordinator: Allen Dieterich-Ward, Shippensburg University
Poster Title: "Brewed in Penn's Woods: German and English Beer Production in Colonial Pennsylvania from 1650 to 1800"
Researcher: Sharon Folkenroth Hess, Millersville University
Faculty Sponsor: Robyn McMillin
Poster Title: "Growing Up in the Trenches: Fritz Draper Hurd and the Great War"
Researcher: Sarah Johnson, Gettysburg College
Faculty Sponsor: Ian Isherwood
Saturday, October 19, 2013, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM

Session 9.4: Student Poster Session
Location: EF Foyer

Poster Title: "The Battle of Funkstown: A Small Maryland Town's Role in the Gettysburg Campaign"
Researcher: Brandon Moltz, Shippensburg University
Faculty Sponsor: Allen Dieterich-Ward

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM

Session 9.4: Student Poster Session
Poster Title: "The Textile and Garment Industry in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1790-1940"
Researcher Name: Julia Saintz, Shippensburg University
Faculty Sponsor: Allen Dieterich-Ward

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 12:30 PM
Session 10.1: Saturday Luncheon
Location: Salon EF

"Fortified With Iodide of Potash": Pittsburgh's Healing Priest"
Researcher: Kate Lukaszewicz, Duquesne University
Faculty Sponsor: Matthew Hyland

Heather Ann Thompson, Temple University

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 2:15-4:45 PM

Bus Tour: The Forgotten Nooks of the Gettysburg Battlefield, led by Peter S. Carmichael, Robert C. Fluhrer Professor of Civil War Studies, Gettysburg College.

Conference attendees interested in this tour should have pre-registered; pick up and drop off will be at the Wyndham's main lobby entrance.

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 2:15-4:45 PM

Session 10.1: Saturday Luncheon
Location: Salon EF

"Rethinking Pennsylvania's Past and Present: Why Mass Incarceration Matters in the Keystone State"

Heather Ann Thompson, Temple University

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 2:15-4:45 PM

Session 10.1: Saturday Luncheon
Location: Salon EF

"The Lehigh Valley during the Great Depression"
Researcher: Kimberly Lescowitch, Moravian College
Faculty Sponsor: Jane Berger

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 2:15-4:45 PM

Session 10.1: Saturday Luncheon
Location: Salon EF

"Erie's Brewing History and Renaissance"
Researcher: Nora Schilling, Edinboro University
Faculty Sponsor: Stacy Dunn

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 2:15-4:45 PM

Session 10.1: Saturday Luncheon
Location: Salon EF

"All In One Room"
Researchers: Dori Gorczyca, Jordan Cinderich, and Heather Clancy, Gettysburg College
Faculty Sponsor: Jill Titus
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- Various Historic Maps: Includes the 1858 and 1872 Adams County atlas maps

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