

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR ETHNOHISTORY



VIRTUAL EVENT
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- ◇ The cover page for this program features a 1929 painting by artist Jack Hokeah, entitled *Hummingbird Dance*. It is featured in Jenny Tone-Pah-Hote's *Crafting an Indigenous Nation: Kiowa Expressive Culture in the Progressive Era*.

WELCOME FROM THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR ETHNOHISTORY PRESIDENT

As you know, COVID-19 forced us to postpone the 2020 Ethnohistory conference to 2021. For this year, the program committee decided to offer our members a chance for a digital interaction that a standard conference would not allow. Thus, we have designed digital plenaries and workshops to address targeted issues related to indigenous communities throughout the globe. This format has allowed us to encourage ethnohistorical interaction between leaders of Nahua and Maya communities and Shawnee and Coharie nations and to gain insight into real time interactions between ethnohistorians in New Zealand and the United States. And the format permits us to emphasize workshops on a variety of issues related to digital scholarship and teaching.

We have all heard about and many of us have directly experienced the devastating effects of COVID-19 and the continuing violence against Black and Indigenous people. In the digital events we have scheduled, we hope to take up some of these issues by providing some ethnohistorical background to these topics, and by encouraging communication between community leaders and academics. In this, we further hope to inspire the activists that have responded to the current global events. We encourage you to participate actively in the digital program, and we hope that you will find it invigorating.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

◇ *Please Note: All times listed below refer to Eastern Standard Time*

Wednesday, November 4

6:00 PM-8:30 PM (EST)

Keynote Plenary and Awards Ceremony

Conveners: Daniel M. Cobb, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Malinda Lowery, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Cynthia Radding, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, and Pete Sigal, Duke University

- ◇ “Screening Sovereignty: A Conversation with Makah Documentary Filmmaker Sandy Osawa”
- ◇ “Indigenous People and the COVID-19 Pandemic,” with Miryam Yataco, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos, Lima, Peru, and Juanita Cabrera López, Executive Director of the International Mayan League
- ◇ “*McGirt* and The Future of Tribal Sovereignty and Decolonization,” with Robert J. Miller, from the Eastern Shawnee Tribe
- ◇ “A Coharie Perspective on Indigenous Water Research, Education, and Engagement in North Carolina,” with Greg Jacobs, a Coharie tribal administrator, elder, and leader

Thursday, November 5

9:00 AM-10:00 AM (EST)

Executive Committee Meeting

5:00 PM-7:00 PM (EST)

**Plenary: Authority, Interpretation, and Justice:
Writing Indigenous Histories Around the Globe**

Conveners: Miranda Johnson, University of Otago, and Yanna Yannakakis, Emory University

Devleena Ghosh, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
Bonny Ibhawoh, McMaster University, Canada
Katrina Jagodinsky, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA
Doug Kiel, Northwestern University, USA
Gloria Lopera Mesa, Florida International University, USA
Angela Wanhalla, University of Otago, NZ

7:30 PM-8:30 PM (EST)

Workshop: Indigenous Studies International Exchange Opportunities

Convener: Brian Klopotek, University of Oregon

Friday, November 6

10:00 AM-12:00 PM (EST)

**Remembering the Scholarship and Intellectual Contributions of Professor
Jenny Tone-Pah-Hote**

- ◇ This panel is organized in conjunction with the Carolina American Indian and Indigenous Studies Seminar.

Convener: Daniel M. Cobb, Professor of American Studies and Coordinator of American Indian and Indigenous Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Clyde Ellis, Professor of History, retired

Chantal Norrgard, Assistant Professor of First Nations Studies, University of Wisconsin-Superior

Jacki Thompson Rand, Associate Professor of History and Coordinator of American Indian and Indigenous Studies, University of Iowa

2:00 PM-4:00 PM (EST)

**Workshop: Waves of Disease in the Americas: Indigenous Losses, Responses,
and Resilience Strategies**

Conveners: Justyna Olko, University of Warsaw and Camilla Townsend, Rutgers University

James Daschuk, University of Regina, Canada

Humberto Iglesias Tepec, Atliaca and Santa Ana Tlacotenco, Mexico

Genner Llanes Ortiz, Leiden University, Netherlands

Tara Malanga, Rutgers University, USA

Christopher Parsons, Northeastern University, USA

Miryam Yataco, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos, Lima, Peru

4:00 PM-5:00 PM (EST)

Business Meeting

6:00 PM-8:00 PM (EST)

Workshop: The Florentine Codex Initiative

Convener: Rebecca Dufendach, Getty Research Institute

Kim Richter, Getty Research Institute
Alanna Radlo-Dzur, Getty Research Institute
Berenice Gaillemin, Getty Research Institute
Josh Fitzgerald, Cambridge University

Saturday, November 7

12:00 PM-2:00 PM (EST)

Plenary: Collaborative Research in Ethnohistory

Conveners: Kathleen Duval, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Cynthia Radding, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Omar Aguilar Sánchez, Mixtec of Oaxaca, Mexico, PhD Candidate, Heritage of Indigenous Peoples Department, Leiden University, with Genner Llanes Ortiz, Maya of Yucatán, Mexico, Assistant Professor, Centre for Indigenous America Studies, Leiden University

Gregory Haimovich, anthropologist and linguist, PhD Candidate, University of Warsaw, with Herlinda Márquez Mora, Nahua nurse and Indigenous translator, Sierra Norte de Puebla

Ben Barnes, Chief, Shawnee Tribe, with Stephen Warren, History and American Studies, University of Iowa

Amy Den Ouden, Women's and Gender Studies, University of Massachusetts, Boston, with Melissa Ferretti, Chairperson, Herring Pond Wampanoag Tribe

2:30 PM-4:00 PM (EST)

Workshop: Teaching Ethnohistory

Convener: Michele McArdle Stephens, West Virginia University

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