

WSU Public History Symposium

Student Union Endeavor Room

The Wright State University History Department's eighth annual Public History Graduate Symposium will be held Thursday, April 11th, 2019. Dr. Paul Lockhart (WSU) will give the keynote address, "Living History as Public History," and current Public History students and alumni will showcase internships, projects, and ongoing research. This event is free and open to the public.

Event Schedule

Check-in—8:45-9:00 am

Welcome—9:00 am

Dr. Linda Caron, Dean, College of Liberal Arts

Panel 1—9:15-10:30 am—"The Past in the Present: Exploring Public History Forms"

Moderator: Dr. Opolot Okia, Professor, History Department

Madelyn Chennells, Wright State University

"The Golden Lamb: Unconventional Forms of Public History"

Lauren Lyon, Wright State University

"(Hopefully) Leaving a Mark on History"

Derek Pridemore, National Afro-American Museum and Cultural Center

"Exhibiting Service: The National Veterans Memorial and Museum"

Keynote Address—10:45-11:45 am

Dr. Paul Lockhart, Professor, Wright State University

"Living History as Public History"

Lunch—11:45 am-1:00 pm

History Department News—1:00 pm

Dr. Jonathan Winkler, Chair and Professor, History Department

Panel 2—1:15-2:30 pm—"Preserving for Use: Work in Evolving Archives"

Moderator: Jen Haney Conover, Records Manager/Archivist, Warren County Records Center and Archives

Jenna Edwards, USDA/APHIS/WS

“Migration, Preservation, and Accessibility: Making Research Data Available for Years to Come”

Anna Helmig, Wright State University

“Common Threads: Processing the Rose Mary Lawson Collection”

Joseph Griffith, Wright State University

“Preserving New Directions”

Panel 3—2:45-4:00 pm—“The Fabric of Life: Working with Unconventional Sources”

Moderator: Dr. Marjorie McLellan, Associate Professor, Urban Affairs and Geography Department

Riza Miklowski, Wright State University

“Black Dolls: Representation and Identity in the Lillian M. Bartok Black Doll Collection”

Angela Reichelderfer, Wright State University

“Exposed: Creating Beauty, Balance, and Motion with an Open Exhibit”

Matthew Crooker, Wright State University

"Cool Notes in an Invisible War: The Use of Radio and Music in the Cold War from 1953 to 1968"

Closing remarks—4:00 pm

Dr. Drew Swanson, Associate Professor, Wright State University