

North Carolina Association of Historians

Annual Meeting

Friday, March 23, 2012

Queens University of Charlotte

All Panels and Business Meeting will be held in the Sykes Building.

12:30 – 5:30 Registration

Sykes Rotunda

AFTERNOON PANEL SESSIONS

1:30-2:30 Session I

Panel A CHINA AND THE WORLD

Sykes 222

Chair:

Fuabeh Fonge (NC A&T State University) *China's Growing Presence and Soft Power Diplomacy in Africa*

Dorothea Martin (Appalachian State University) *China's One Child Policy: The Second Generation and Consumer Behavior*

Nathan Love (Appalachian State University) *From Field to Field: The Training of the Mongol Steppe Warrior*

Panel B THE BUILDING OF NATIONS

Sykes 226

Chair:

Doris Essah (Independent Scholar) *The Phelps-Stokes Fund's Africa Education Commission*

Jeff Broadwater (Barton College) *The Other Constitutional Revolution: James Madison and the Rise of an Independent Judiciary*

2:30-2:45 Break

2:45-3:45 Session II

Panel C COMPARATIVE PLANTATION SYSTEMS Sykes 222
Chair:

John Navin (Coastal Carolina University) *Historical Contingency or Inevitability? Slavery in Barbados and the Caribbean*

Kimberly Sherman (UNC-Wilmington) *Disease, Absenteeism and Plantation Management in the Lower Cape Fear*

Panel D NORTH CAROLINA HISTORY Sykes 226
Chair: Jeff Broadwater

Lenwood Davis (Winston-Salem State University) *Booker T. Washington and His Relationship with African American Leadership in the Tar Heel State*

James Martin (Campbell University) *I.D. Blumenthal (1894-1978): Jewish Industrialist and Philanthropist of Charlotte*

3:45-4:00 Break

4:00-5:00 Session III

Panel E THE LEGACY OF SPAIN Sykes 222
Chair: James Martin

Eva Mehl (UNC-Wilmington) *The Spanish Empire and the Pacific World: Mexican 'Vagrants, Idlers, And Troublemakers' in the Philippines, 1765-1821*

Rebecca Seaman (Elizabeth City State University) *Dance of Desperation: The Taki Onqoy and Ghost Dance Compared*

EVENING ACTIVITIES

5:15-5:30 Break

5:30-6:00 Business Meeting Sykes 220

6:00-7:00 **Dinner** **Claudia Belk Room**

The Menu:

- Baby Greens with Shaved Vegetables (Ranch and Balsamic Vinaigrette choices)
- Dinner rolls and butter
- Chicken Milanese: Parmesan Crusted Chicken Breast with light red pepper thyme Sauce
- Wild Rice pilaf
- Green beans with red peppers and toasted almonds

Vegetarian option if needed:

Tofu with Vegetables in spicy ginger sauce served over rice

Drinks : water, unsweetened tea and coffee

Brownies for dessert.

Speaker: Dr. David Goldfield

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Author of *America Aflame: How the Civil War Created a Nation* (2011)

8:30-9:00 Book Signing