AHA-Mellon Career Diversity Regional Symposium

What Use Is History?
Scholarship, Skills, and Careers

February 26-27, 2015
UNM Main Campus

Please register for the conference at:
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(REGISTRATION IS FREE)

Thursday, February 26, 2015
Location: UNM Main Campus, Student Union Building, 3rd Floor, 9:00am-8:00pm

8:00am-5:30pm, Book Exhibit, Luminaria Room

8:45am-9:15am Opening Remarks, Lobo A&B
Chaouki Abdallah, UNM Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
James Grossman, AHA Director
Virginia Scharff, AHA-Mellon Project Director

9:30am-10:45am Historians in Administration/Education, Santa Ana
Session Leader: Cathleen Cahill, University of New Mexico
Participants: Elaine Carey, St. John’s University
Scott Hughes, University of New Mexico
Suzanne Schadl, University of New Mexico
Jon Hunner, New Mexico State University

11:00am-12:15pm History in NGOs and History Advocacy, Santa Ana
Session Leader: Kimberly Gauderman, University of New Mexico
Participants: Evelyn Schlatter, Southern Poverty Law Center
Judy Morley, Center for Spiritual Living
Sue Schuurman, Albuquerque Peace and Justice Center
David Correia, University of New Mexico
12:15pm-1:30pm Lunch, Lobo A&B (Networking with Employers and Guests)

1:45pm-3:00pm Government and Public History, Santa Ana
Session Leader: Durwood Ball, University of New Mexico
Participants: William Convery, Colorado State Historian
Lincoln Bramwell, United States Forest Service
Rick Hendricks, New Mexico State Historian
Lance Blyth, North American Aerospace Defense Command
Emily Greenwald, Historical Research Associates

3:15pm-4:30pm Publishing/Writing in Public, Santa Ana
Session Leader: Tiffany Florvil, University of New Mexico
Participants: Ari Kelman, Pennsylvania State University
Erik Loomis, University of Rhode Island
Sonia Dickey, University of New Mexico Press
Sarah Grossman, Cornell University Press

4:30pm-5:30pm Book Signings, Luminaria Room

5:30pm-7:00pm Keynote Lecture, Lobo A&B
Introduction: Melissa Bokovoy, University of New Mexico
Dr. Robert Donia, Vice President, Merrill Lynch & Company (Retired), Research Associate, University of Michigan, “Clio Dons a Business Suit: Is There Life after History?”

Friday, February 27, 2015
UNM History Common Room, Mesa Vista Hall, 9:00am-5:00pm

10:00am-11:00am A Historian on Your Team
Session Leader: Virginia Scharff, AHA-Mellon Project Director
Participants: Robert Donia, Vice President, Merrill Lynch & Company (Retired)
Emily Greenwald, Historical Research Associates
Rebecca Ullrich, Sandia National Laboratory
Sarah Wentzel-Fisher, Editor, edible Magazine
Jim Walther, Director, National Museum of Nuclear Science and History

11:00am-12:00pm Elevator Pitch Sessions
Session Leader: Eric Payseur, AHA-Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow
Participants: UNM graduate students and Employer Roundtable Participants

12:00pm-1:15pm Break

1:30pm-3:00pm AHA-Mellon Faculty Committee with outside experts and alumni (Location: TBA)
1:30pm-3:00pm Pitches from Potential Internship Sites
Moderator: Eric Payseur, AHA-Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow
- UNM Graduate Student, Special Collections Library (City of Albuquerque) History Internship Experience
  - Bettina Sandoval and Emma Lee Clark, Pueblo Cultural Center
  - Aaron Mahr Yanez and Frank Norris, National Trails Intermountain Region (National Park Service)
  - Rebecca Avitia and Carlos Vasquez, National Hispanic Cultural Center
  - Nate Wells, Heritage Hotels
  - Anne Callaghan, U.S. State Department
  - Leba Freed, Wheels Museum
  - Jim Walther, National Museum of Nuclear Science and History
*Graduate Student networking with employers for last 30 minutes. Career Services will be on hand to assist.

5:30pm SA+P Spring Lecture Series, Garcia Honda Auditorium, George Pearl Hall
  - Martin Stupich, Photographer, Albuquerque, NM
*Stupich has completed numerous Historic American Building Survey and Historic American Engineering Record Projects, and is a fine arts photographer.

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