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2021 Canadian Historical Association Annual Meeting |  
Réunion annuelle 2021 de la Société historique du Canada

31 May-3 June and 8-9, 22-23 July | 31 mai-3 juin et 8-9, 22-23 juillet  
All Times in Eastern Time | Les heures sont exprimées en heure de l'Est

**Monday 31 May | Lundi 31 Mai**

PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER | LES PARTICIPANTS DOIVENT S'INSCRIRE

**11:00 – 12:15 | 11h00 – 12h15**

- 1. Making Connections with the Public: Alternative Approaches to Learning History |  
Établir des liens avec le public : solutions de rechange pour l'apprentissage de  
l'histoire**

Sophie Tellier and Julie Roy: "Experiential Learning Workshops for University Students: Bridging the Gap Between the Theory and Practice"

Sonya de Laat: "Was It Really 'different back then'? Reflecting on Current Global Health Ethics with a NFB Film about CUSO, 1965"

Lydia Wytenbroek: "Teaching Medical and Nursing History with Photographs"

Chair | Présidente : Isabel Campbell

*Sponsored by the Canadian Network on Humanitarian History | Parrainée par le Réseau canadien sur l'histoire de l'humanitaire*

**12:30 – 1:45 | 12h30 – 13h45**

- 2. New Approaches to the Histories of Black People | Nouvelles approches de  
l'histoire des populations noires**

Deirdre McCorkindale: “When a Community Forgets: The Marginalization of Chatham’s Black Past”

Kira Smith, “Blackness, Madness, and Citizenship: The Admission and Deportation of John D.”

Rachel Lobo: “Transatlantic Photographic Archives: Situating the Black Atlantic in Canada”

Chair | Présidente : TBD | AD

2:00 – 3:30 | 14h00 – 15h00

**3. Keynote Panel Plenary: Forced Migrations : A Dialogue | Table ronde plénière : Migrations forcées : un dialogue**

Chief | La chef Lorraine Cobiness, Afua Cooper, Brittany Luby, Tina Loo

Chair | Présidente : Crystal Fraser

3:45 – 5:45 | 15h45 – 17h45

**4. “I Come from a Long Line of Historians:” Addressing ongoing racism and colonialism in scholarly spaces | « Je suis issu d’une longue lignée d’historiens » : la lutte contre le racisme et le colonialisme dans le milieu universitaire**

Brenda MacDougall, Mary Jane Logan McCallum, Allyson Stevenson

Chair | Président : Daniel Sims

**Tuesday 1 June | Mardi 1 juin**

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11:00 – 12:15 | 11h00 – 12h15

**5. Targeting the North | Cibler le Nord**

Aaron Sidney Wright: “Remediators’ Retrospectives: Northern Saskatchewan Mining History from Environmental Engineers”

Nevcihan Ozbilge: “Becoming Canadian and Defending the ‘Pristine’ North in the 1970s: A paradox of the Mackenzie Valley Pipeline Inquiry”

Thomas Blampied: “Railways as Agents of Provincial Colonialism: The Ontario Northland in Moosonee”

Chair | Président : P. Withney Lackenbauer

**12:30 – 2:00 | 12h30 – 14h00**

**6. Government (mis)Management of Indigenous Lands in the Northern Prairie Provinces, 1900–2000 | Mauvaise gestion gouvernementale des territoires autochtones dans les provinces des Prairies du Nord, 1900-2000**

Patricia McCormack: “What do the Alberta treaties say about First Nations access to natural resources?”

Gretchen Albers: “‘The Difficulties of the Country’: Indigenous Communities in Northern Manitoba, the Adhesions to Treaty 5, and the Implementation of Treaty Terms”

Peter Fortna: “‘A moral if not legal responsibility’: Métis and Land Tenure in Northern Alberta, 1965-2020”

Hereward Longley: “Bitumen, Hydroelectricity, Animal Rights, and the Collapse of the Athabasca Fur Trade, 1970-1990”

Chair | Présidente : Carly Fox

**2:15 – 3:30 | 14h15 – 15h30**

**7. Settler Colonialism, Immigration, and Empire in Western Canada | Le colonialisme de peuplement, l’immigration et l’Empire dans l’Ouest du Canada**

Shelisa Klassen: “‘We wanted all to be British Subjects’: Race and Immigration in Manitoba Newspapers, 1870-1890”

Carla Joubert: “The Women of Wetaskiwin: Gender and Empire in Wetaskiwin, Alberta, 1892-1905”

Jon G. Malek: “A ‘Deluge’ Coming: Class, Gender, and Ethnicity in the Immigration of Filipina Midwives to Manitoba”

Chair | Présidente : Adele Perry

**3:45 – 5:00 | 15h45 – 17h00**

**8. Residential Schools in History and Memory | Les pensionnats dans l’histoire et la mémoire**

Crystal Gail Fraser and Jessica Dunkin: “‘This year book... has been entirely produced by staff and students’: The Role of Young People in Documenting Northern Residential School Histories”

Carling Beninger: “Closing Down the Residential School System: Kainai Nation Parental and Community Leadership in Education, 1950s-1970s”

Alexandra Giancarlo and Janice Forsyth: “‘There’s a story behind that’: Photo Elicitation and Re-Inscribing Memory with Residential School Photographs”

Chair | Président : Sean Carleton

**Wednesday 2 June | Mercredi 2 juin**

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**11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30**

- 9. Authors Meet Readers Roundtable: Philip Girard, Jim Phillips, and R. Blake Brown, *A History of Law in Canada*, vol. 1 (2018) | Table ronde : les auteurs rencontrent les lecteurs - Philip Girard, Jim Phillips, et R. Blake Brown, *A History of Law in Canada*, vol. 1 (2018)**

Philip Girard

Jim Phillips

Heidi Bohaker

Lori Chambers

Michel Morin

Chair | Président : Bradley Miller

**12:45 – 2:15 | 12h45 – 14h15**

- 10. Writing and the Production of Knowledge | La production de connaissances et l’écriture**

Deanna Turner: “The Secret History of Historians: Exchange and Intimacy in Letters between W.L. Morton and Marcel Trudel, 1950s-1970s

John Bird: “Bridging Anishinaabeg and Euroamerican History: The Historical Writings of Francis Assiginack and George Copway”

Elyse Bell: “Science and Sentiment: Elizabeth Simcoe’s Epistolary Networks and the Production of Colonial Knowledge in the Late-Eighteenth Century”

Laura Oland: “Alice Lusk Webster: The Woman Who Brought the World to New Brunswick”

Chair | Présidente : Kristine Alexander

**2:30 – 4:00 | 14h30 – 16h00**

### **11. Food and Recreation | Alimentation et loisirs**

Kenneth Reilly: “The Wonder of Their Senses: ‘Seeing’ The Braille Trails”

Linnea Bell and Pearl Ann Reichwein: “Summer Holidays at the Lake: Cottages, Clubs, and Camps in Touristic Dwelling at Cooking Lake, Alberta, 1894-1938”

Amanda Whittaker: “Voices in the Back: The Transnational Foodways of Migrants in Montreal”

Caroline-Isabelle Caron: “Of Serialized Novels and War Veterans: A Genealogy of a Canadian Card Game”

Chair | Présidente : Shannon Stunden Bower

**4:15 – 5:30 | 16h15 – 17h30**

### **12. Epidemics, Pandemics, and Public Health Responses | Épidémies, pandémies et réponses en santé publique**

Caroline Michaud: “Plague in the Public Eye: English Reactions to the Marseille Plague of 1720-1723”

Adama Aly Pam: « Le Sénégal à l’épreuve de la fièvre jaune, 1750 à 1960 »

Suzanna Wagner: “Households Large and Small: The Prominence of Women’s Work in Edmonton’s Conceptualisation of the 1918 Influenza Pandemic”

Chair | Président : Robert Sweeny

**Thursday 3 June | Jeudi 3 juin**

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11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30

**13. Munsee-Delaware Nation History and Language | L’histoire et la langue de la Première nation Munsee-Delaware**

Mark Peters

Karen Mosko

Ian McCallum

Mary Jane Logan McCallum

Chair | Présidente : Julie Tucker

*Sponsored by the Indigenous History Group | Parrainée par le Groupe d'études d'histoire autochtone*

12:45 – 2:15 | 12h45 – 14h15

**14. La vitalité mémorielle, un pilier indispensable des communautés de langue officielle en situation minoritaire | Vitality of Memory, an Indispensable Pillar of Official Language Minority Communities**

Alain Roy : « La vitalité mémorielle, un fondement conceptuel pour appréhender le rapport au passé d’une communauté de langue officielle en situation minoritaire »

Lorraine O’Donnell: “A People’s History of English-Speaking Quebec: Presenting the Plan for a Community-Based Action Research Project for Official Language Minority Community Vitality”

Rebecca Lazarenko : « Les manifestations de mémoire, de patrimoine et d’histoire de la francophonie d’Edmonton: la mise à l’essai du cadre de vitalité mémorielle »

Denis Perreux : « Les manifestations de mémoire, de patrimoine et d’histoire de la francophonie d’Edmonton: la mise à l’essai du cadre de vitalité mémorielle »

Chair | Président : Marcel Martel

2:30 – 3:45 | 14h30 – 15h45

**15. Museum Mandates and Public Engagement | Mandats des musées et engagement du public**

Karine Duhamel: “Nii-kinaaganaa – All my relations: Expanding the Spaces of Ethical Engagement in Museum Practice”

Carly Ciufu: “A City ‘Too Busy to Hate’: Anti-Racism in Atlanta at the Center for Civil and Human Rights”

Jordan Baker: “Engaging with Mandates: Finding Value and Finding Community in Canadian Museums”

Chair | Présidente : Rhonda Hinthner

***JOURNÉES D'ÉTUDE***  
**July 8, 9, 22, 23 juillet**

**Thursday 8 July | Jeudi 8 juillet**

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**Health and Wellness | La santé et le bien-être**

**11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30**

**16. Epidemics, Pandemics, and Public Health Responses II: Borders and Control |  
Épidémies, pandémies et les réponses en santé publique II : Frontières et contrôle**

Edite Martins Alberto and Joana Balsa de Pinho: “The House of Health of Lisbon and the Fight against Epidemics in 16<sup>th</sup> Century”

Andrea Toffolon: “Take a good look at me, gentlemen, if I am infected”: Plague, Border Control, and Honour in the Republic of Venice (1630)

Ivana Horbec: “The Sanitary Cordon in Croatia-Slavonia: A Model for Early Modern Border Control and Quarantine Measures”

Renée Davis: “The Battle at Bramshott: The Canadian Army Medical Corps and Pandemic Influenza”

Chair | Président : Joseph Patrouch

12:45 – 2:15 | 12h45 – 14h15

**17. The Evolution of the State for Canadians | L'évolution de l'État pour les Canadiens**

Alex Gagné: “Strays and Saviours: How Child Immigration Schemes in Canada Influence Perceptions of Childhood and Child Welfare Policies, 1869-1930”

Aaron Armstrong: “For Services Rendered: Early Canadian Military Pension Developments, 1880 to 1914”

Jody Hodgins: “Veterinary Medicine: An Apparatus for the State to Implement Health Regulations”

Zachary Consitt: “Designing a Healthy Nation: Federal Initiatives to Support ParticipACTION and the Calgary Olympic Games, 1970-1988”

Chair | Président : David Tough

2:30 – 4:00 | 14h30 – 16h00

**18. Health | La santé**

Madeline Burghardt: “Implicated Subjects? Canada's role in the thalidomide tragedy.”

Nicole Demarchi: “A Medieval Response to the First Plague Pandemic: The Cases of Merovingian Gaul and Italy (VI–VII century)”

Elena Taddei: “Indirect compulsion in small pox vaccination: The regional example of Tyrol (Austria) in the 19th century”

Mathieu Arsenault: « Soigner et gouverner les corps autochtones au 19e siècle. Nouveaux regards sur l'histoire de la médecine coloniale au Canada. »

Chair | Président : Donald Wright

4:15 – 5:45 | 16h15 – 17h45

**19. Birth and Death | La naissance et la mort**

Urvi Desai: “Birth Control and the Motherhood Market in Bombay, 1930-1960s”

Cecilia Morgan: “‘Until you gave her some fried meats’: The Death of Helen Harris Portman, London, Ontario, 21 March 1860”

Jane Nicholas: “Infanticide, Mourning, and Everyday Violence in the Lives of Girls and Women in Ontario, 1870-1920”

Margaret Ross: “Family Life in London, Ontario's Sex Trade, 1880-1885”



Chair | Présidente : Whitney Wood

**Friday 9 July | Vendredi 9 juillet**

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**Inclusion and Exclusion | L'inclusion et l'exclusion**

**11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30**

**20. Making History | Faire l'Histoire**

El Chenier: "Outward Facing History: Creating an Oral Exhibit with a 400-Level Class"

Lindsay Gibson: "What Events in Canadian History are Most Significant? A Survey of History Teachers"

Samuel McCready: "Re-thinking History Teaching: Historical Making and Learning in Digital Culture"

Sharla Mskokii Peltier, Darcy Courtland and Lyndon Suntjens, "Teaching History in Social Studies: An Indigenous Relational Paradigm Narrative".

Chair | Présidente : **TBD | ÀD**

**12:45 – 2:00 | 12h45 – 14h00**

**21. House and Home in Canada | Maison et foyer au Canada**

Alanna Loucks: "Household Composition and Networks of Connection in Eighteenth-Century Montréal"

Robert C.H. Sweeny: "Proprietors and Tenants in Turn-of-the-Century Montréal"

Daniel Murchison: "Métis Households and Work in Manitoba at the Start of the Twentieth Century"

Chair | Président : Dan Horner

**2:15 – 3:30 | 14h15 – 15h30**

**22. Genealogy and the Historian: A Roundtable | Table ronde : la généalogie et l'historien.ne**

Gillian Leitch (CDCI Research Inc)

Caroline-Isabelle Caron (Queen's University)

Joseph Gagné (University of Windsor)

Chair | Président : Benjamin Bryce

**3:45 – 5:15 | 15h45 – 17h15**

### **23. Women, Work and Representation | Les femmes, le travail et la représentation**

Jason Russell: “‘We will be around a lot longer than you’ll be around’: Women Leaders and Activists in the Professional Institute of the Public Service of Canada, 1950 to 2000”

Rebecca Beusaert: “From Kitchen to Kiln: Women and Tobacco Farming in Mid-Twentieth Century Southwestern Ontario”

Harry Smaller, “‘Legislated Passivity: The Canadian Teaching Profession Act and Teacher Militancy”

Kimberly Main: “‘Not having the capacity nor health to become a nun’: Permanent Convent Boarders in the Eighteenth-Century Ursuline Monastery of Quebec”

Sydney Harker: “‘Beauty Appreciated’: Bodily Display in Late Victorian Ontario”

Chair | Présidente : Lara Campbell

**Thursday 22 July | Jeudi 22 juillet**

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### **Science and Infrastructure | La science et l’infrastructure**

**11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30**

### **24. Moving Science: The Social and Political Life of Science in North America | L’avancement de la science : la vie politique et sociale de la science en Amérique du Nord**

Shannon Brown: “‘Montréal, c’est spatial’: Navigating Global Networks in the Creation of the Canadian Space Agency”

Emma Wyse: “The “popular bogey”: Climate Change Debates, Expertise, and the Press in Canada, 1900- 1950”

Katelyn Arac: “‘In the Name of Science’: Operation Matchbox and the Immigration of Nazi Scientists to Canada”

Chair | Présidente : Shannon Stunden Bower

**12:45 – 2:15 | 12h45 – 14h15**

### **25. Science and Infrastructure | La science et l’infrastructure**

Matthew Wiseman: “Breaking the Ice: Moira Dunbar and Women Scientists in the Canadian Civil Service”

M. Blake Butler: “‘Snow Means Production’: The Importance of Snow and Snow Surveys for the Powell River Company.”

Michael Feagan: “The Electric Tree: The Constructed Nature of Telephone Poles in Late Nineteenth Century Canada and America”

Dale Barbour: “‘Neither (river) is fit to be enjoyed except from afar’: Muddied Waters: The Social and Environmental Transformation of Winnipeg’s Red and Assiniboine Rivers, 1900-1972”

Chair | Présidente : PearlAnn Reichwein

**2:30 – 4:00 | 14h30 – 16h00**

### **26. Infrastructure | L’infrastructure**

Ian Wereley: “Imperial Transitions: Popular Culture and the Discovery of Oil in Turner Valley, Alberta, 1914-1924”

Daniel Sims: “‘Never forget one thing in this world: In nature, what you don’t use you lose’: Strategic Amnesia in Wenner-Grenland, 1956-1961”

Sean Kheraj: “The Infrastructure of Canada’s Great Acceleration: Building the Interprovincial Pipeline, 1949-1979”

Étienne Faugier: « L’automobilisme au Canada, XIXe-XXe siècles : un écran de fumée pour analyser les mobilités ? »

Chair | Présidente : Nancy Janovicek

**Friday 23 July | Vendredi 23 juillet**

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**Diplomacy, Colonialism and the Law | Diplomatie, colonialisme et la Loi**

**11:00 – 12:30 | 11h00 – 12h30**

**27. Diplomacy | La diplomatie**

David Webster: “Pan-Africanism in the Pacific: Race and West Papuan non-state diplomacy during the age of African decolonization, 1957-63”

Ryan McMahon: “Appropriately Aloof? Lester B. Pearson and the Secret Security Screening of Canadian International Civil Servants Within the United Nations Korean Reconstruction Agency, 1951-1953”

Jessi Gilchrist: “Negotiating Empire: Anglo-Italian Spheres of Influence in the 1927 Rome Understanding”

Nicholas Lee-Scott: “Historicizing decision-making at the border”

Chair | Présidente : **TBD | ÀD**

**12:45 – 2:15 | 12h45 – 14h15**

**28. History and Trauma | L'Histoire et le traumatisme**

Jacob Evoy: “Closets and Shadows: Oral Histories with LGBTQ+ Children of Holocaust Survivors”

Sarah Hart: “Over the Top: Private Photographs and the Soldier's Experience”

Daniel Ohanian: “An Ottoman-Armenian Bishop in the Bastille: A Story of Forced Mobility c. 1700”

Sean Graham: “None of Us had any Idea!: Radio Programming and the Outbreak of the Second World War”

Chair | Présidente : Blair Stein

**2:30 – 3:45 | 14h30 – 15h45**

**29. Indigenous Relations | Les relations autochtones**

Chandra Murdoch: “Inheritance and the Indian Act: Women’s Property on Ontario Indian Reserves, 1870-1899”

Jean Manore: “Ever watchful and compassionate? The influence of the St. Catherine’s Milling and Lumber Company case, 1888 on Treaty #9”

Colin Osmond: “Colonial History from the ‘Other Room’: The Remaking of the Mi’kmaw World at A’Se’K”

Chair | Président : Jim Phillips

**4:00 – 5:30 | 16h00 – 17h30**

**30. Race and Belonging within and beyond Canada | Race et appartenance au Canada et à l’étranger**

Melanie Ng: "Deportation: Racism, Law, and Canada's Answer to the Chinese Question"

Alex Martinborough: “Constitutional Thought and the Red River Resistance in Global Imperial History”

Heena Mistry: “Greater India Historiography and Indian Settler Citizenship in the Early Twentieth Century”

Boris Lukic : « Le paradigme de la projection racialisée : un regard sur la phénoménologie du racisme dans la pensée de Frantz Fanon »

Chair | Présidente : **TBD | ÀD**

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