

St. George Tucker Society Annual Meeting

July 30-31, 2021
Virtual via Zoom

Friday, July 30, 2021

9:00-10:30am: Session I, *Junior Scholars Panel Sponsored by the Alexander Hamilton Institute (AHI)*

Chairs: Larry McDonnell (Iowa State University) & Kathleen Hilliard (Iowa State University)

"'Northern Brethren' and 'Southern Sister States': Family Metaphors in the Civil War Era"
-Mandy Cooper ([University of North Carolina-Greensboro](#))

"God Will Prove Us to be In the Right": The Rise of the Women's Relief Corps and the United Daughters of the Confederacy"
-Shae Smith Cox ([Nicholls State University](#))

10:30-10:45am: Break

10:45am-12:15pm: *Cleanth Brooks Dissertation Forum*

Chair: Matthew C. Hulbert (Hampden-Sydney College)

"Escaped from Dixie: Civil War Refugees and the Creation of a Confederate Diaspora"
-Stefanie Greenhill (University of Kentucky)

"Louisiana Purchases: Consumption, Complexion, and Creolization in Colonial New Orleans"
-Philippe Halbert (Yale University)

12:15-1:15pm: Lunch Break

1:15-2:45pm: *Melvin E. Bradford & Theodore C. Delaney Dissertation Prize*

Chair: Ansley L. Quiros (University of North Alabama)

2020 Recipient: "Reclaiming Appalachia: Mountain Reform and the Preservation of White Citizenship, 1890-1929"
-Tina A. Irvine (PhD, History, University of Pennsylvania), Visiting Assistant Professor of History, Indiana University and Assistant Editor, *Journal of American History*

2021 Recipient: "Mass Incarceration in the Age of Slavery and Emancipation: Fugitive Slaves, Poor Whites, and Prison Development in Louisiana, 1805 – 1877"
-John K. Bardes (PhD, History, Tulane University), Assistant Professor of History, Louisiana State University

Saturday, July 31, 2021

9:00-10:30am: Session II, *Southern Cultural Folkways*

Chair: Katie Simon (Georgia College & State University)

“Our Legacy is Ruination’: Slow Violence in Janisse Ray’s Ecology of a Cracker Childhood”
-Jessica McQuain (Independent Scholar & Organizer, [United Campus Workers of Georgia Local 3265](#))

“The Black Women of Georgia Cooperative Extension Pictures, Box No. 3”
-Lauren Pilcher [they/them] (Georgia College & State University)

“Black Agrarian Tradition and the Development of Black Self-Determination Philosophy”
-Veronica L. Womack ([Georgia College & State University](#))

10:30-10:45am: Break

10:45am-12:15pm: Session III, *Cooking Up Cultural Meaning: Foodways & History in the Global South*

Chair: Craig S. Pascoe (Georgia College & State University)

“Filling a Legendary Table: The African-American Cooks at Monticello”
-Damon Lee Fowler ([Culinary Historian, Author, and Culinary Educator](#))

“Shaking the Table: When Black Food Don’t Feed You Like You Think it Should”
-Psyche Williams-Forson ([University of Maryland College Park](#))

"Apple Stack Cake and the Construction of an Appalachian Cuisine: Folk Tradition, Myth, and Icon"
-Lucy M. Long ([Center for Food and Culture](#) & Bowling Green State University)

12:15-12:30pm: Break

12:30-1:30pm: *Business Meeting*