

THURSDAY, JULY 17 (OLLI at CLEMSON)

5:30-6:30pm: Keynote Address

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Introduction by Otis Westbrook Pickett, Sr
University Historian and Assistant Professor in Libraries, Clemson University

“Reconstruction: Liberty and the Supreme Court’s Deferral of Justice”

Vernon Burton

Judge Matthew J. Perry Distinguished Professor of History, Professor Sociology and Anthropology, Global Black Studies, and Computer Science, Clemson University; Emeritus University Distinguished Teacher/Scholar, Professor of History, African American Studies, and Sociology, University of Illinois

6:30pm: Reception

Hosted and Sponsored by the Office of the University Historian at Clemson University

Wine provided by Ina Dixon, 2022 Bradford-Delaney Dissertation Prize winner

Beer Provided by Tad Brown of the Watson-Brown Foundation

FRIDAY, JULY 18 (OLLI at CLEMSON)

9 - 10:15am: Junior Scholars Workshop

Sponsored by the Institute for Southern Studies at the University of South Carolina

Jason R. Kirby, Chair
Assistant Professor of History, Francis Marion University

"Separation: Latter-day Saints on the Margins of the New South"

Jonathan D. Hepworth
Lecturer, Clemson University

“‘To Make a Good Place Better:’ Economic Development and Urban Politics in Greenville, South Carolina, 1945-1962”

Andrew Harrison Baker
Lecturer, Clemson University

10:15 - 10:30am: Coffee Break

Sponsored by University of Georgia Press

10:30am – 11:45pm: Tariffs – An Interdisciplinary Roundtable

Sponsored by Richard B. Russell Library for Political Research and Studies at Univ. of Georgia

Raffi Andonian, Moderator

Anheuser-Busch School of Business and Department of History, Harris-Stowe State University

Fernando de Andres Orea

CFA candidate, MBA Econometrics & Quantitative Economics, 2024 Outstanding MBA

William K. Bolt

Suzanne Lucas and Benjamin Pratt Gasque Chair in History, Francis Marion University

Geoffrey Carr

Clinical Assistant Professor of Economics, University of South Carolina

James C. Cobb

B. Phinizy Spalding Professor Emeritus of History, University of Georgia

11:45 – 1:30pm: Lunch (provided)

BBQ from Roller Mills Smokehouse

Sponsored by LSU History Department

1:30 – 2:45pm: David Moltke-Hansen Interdisciplinary Feature

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James Hill “Trae” Welborn, III, Chair/Comment

Associate Professor of History, Georgia College and State University

“FDR’s ‘Secret’ Trip to South Carolina: Details on President Franklin Roosevelt’s 1944
Four-Week Stay at Hobcaw Barony”

David R. White

Neal D. Thigpen Chair in Public Affairs and Professor of Political Science, Francis Marion University

2:45 – 3:15pm: Snack Break

“Swilling the Planters with Bumbo”

Bumbo and Ginger Cakes provided by Noshings with Nicole

3:15 – 4:00pm: Business Meeting

4:30pm – Drink Reception

Beer Provided by Tad Brown of the Watson-Brown Foundation

SATURDAY, JULY 19 (OLLI at CLEMSON)

9 – 10:15am: Bradford-Delaney Prize – Previous Recipient

Sponsored by Frances S. Summersell Center for the Study of the South at University of Alabama

Matthew C. Hulbert, Chair/Comment

Elliott Associate Professor of History, Hampden-Sydney College

“The Next Bright World: Capital Punishment in the American South, 1940-1960”

Seth Kotch

Associate Professor, American Studies, UNC Chapel Hill

2009 Winner of the Bradford -Delaney Dissertation Prize

10:15 – 10:30am: Coffee Break

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10:30 – 11:45am: Melvin E. Bradford & Theodore C. Delaney Dissertation Prize

Co-Sponsored by University of Alabama History Department

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Robert C. Poister, Chair/Comment

University of Georgia

“Reconstruction through Rifles: The Role of Violence in Black Americans’ Fight for Liberty in the Postemancipation Era”

J. Jacob Calhoun

Postdoctoral Fellow, Nau Center for Civil War History, UVA

Associate Professor, Wabash College

11:45 – 12:00pm Closing Remarks

Robert C. Poister

University of Georgia

LOCATIONS and ACCOMODATIONS

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2025 St. George Tucker Society Annual Meeting in Clemson is \$115 and is available at our website, <http://stgeorgetuckersociety.org/index.php/annual-meeting/>. Simply “donate” \$115 via the PayPal link on our website.

OLLI at Clemson (100 Thomas Green Blvd) – Conference Location, Friday and Saturday

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Clemson provides classes, social events, special interest groups, trips, and lively community to its nearly 1100 members over 50 years old. It is a one-minute walk from the conference hotel, The Inn at Patrick Square.

The Inn at Patrick Square (115 Market St) – Conference Hotel

Reserve by calling the hotel directly (864-643-0600) or online <https://www.innatpatricksquare.com/> using the code **SGTS** for special rate of \$139. Or go directly to our room block: <https://us01.iqwebbook.com/IAPSCLE321/?coupon=SGTS>

