



International
Graduate Historical Studies
Conference

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APRIL 6 - APRIL 7, 2018
CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Bovee University Center (UC) Directory

1st Floor	<i>Down Under Food Court</i>	Food & beverage option (Friday 7:30a-2:30p, closed Saturday)
2nd Floor	Rotunda	Friday Dinner Saturday Luncheon
	Terrace Rooms	Friday Night Reception
	<i>Starbucks</i>	Coffee Shop (Friday 7:30am-6:00pm, Saturday 9:00am-6:00pm)
3rd Floor	Hallway	Conference Registration, Coffee Breaks
	Lake Michigan Room	Panels
	Lake Huron Room	Panels
	Lake St. Clair Room	Panels
	Lake St. Clair Room	Award Ceremony

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Conference Schedule

Friday, April 6

12:00p- 1:00p **Registration** - 3rd Floor Hallway

1:00p – 3:00p **Session 1**

3:00p – 3:30p **Break**
Coffee available in the 3rd Floor Hallway

3:30p – 5:30p **Session 2**

5:45p – 7:15p **Conference Dinner** - Bovee (UC) Rotunda
All presenters, commenters and chairs are invited
Welcome given by:
Christi Brookes, Interim Associate Dean, College of Humanities
& Social & Behavioral Sciences, Central Michigan University

7:30p – 9:00p **Keynote Address** - Park Library Auditorium
All presenters, commenters and chairs are invited
"Transforming North America: Empires and Republics in War and Peace, 1800-1850"
Alan Taylor, University of Virginia

9:00p – 10:00p **Reception** - Terrace Rooms

Saturday, April 7

9:00a – 10:00a **Registration** - 3rd Floor Hallway

10:00a – 12:00p **Session 3**

12:15p – 1:45p **Conference Luncheon** - Bovee (UC) Rotunda
All presenters, commenters and chairs are invited

2:00p – 4:00p **Session 4**

4:00p – 4:15p **Coffee Break**
Coffee available in the 3rd Floor Hallway

4:15p - 4:30p **Awards Ceremony** - Lake St. Clair Room
Awards presented by:
Gregory Smith, Chair, Department of History, Central Michigan University

Friday, April 6

Session 1 - 1:00p - 3:00p

Panel A1

Lake Huron
Room,
3rd Floor

Religion, Reason and Resistance

Chair: Kevin Hall, Department of History, Central Michigan University
Commenter: Sarah Koenig, Department of Religion, Kalamazoo College

Chiara Ziletti, Central Michigan University
Enlightenment's Epistemology, Politeness, and the Public Sphere: Lord Shaftesbury's Arguments in Favor of Religious Tolerance

Daniel Bean, Central Michigan University
Anti-Mormonism in Vermont Newspapers

Rachel Manela, Wayne State University
A Nation in All but Name: The Jewish National Consciousness in the Pale of Settlement, 1900-1920

Panel A2

Lake Michigan
Room,
3rd Floor

Between Activism and Education: Changing Ideas of Womanhood

Chair: JoEllen DeLucia, Department of English Language and Literature, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Katie Parks, Department of History, Wayne State University

Amy Greer, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland
An Enlightened Education: Scottish Women and Access to the Public Sphere

Monica Burney, Eastern Illinois University
Gertrud Baer: A Case Study in Internationalism in the 20th Century

Jason Romisher, Simon Fraser University, Canada
By Pen, Sword, and Struggle: Female African American High School Student Activism in Lawnside, New Jersey

Panel A3

Lake St. Clair,
3rd Floor

When Faiths Collide: Religion and Power in South and East Asia

Chair: Prakash Adhikari, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Rakesh Peter Dass, Department of Religion, Hope College

Oliver Raker, Central Michigan University
Rejoice or Mourn? Christian Missionary Success and Failure in the East

Mansoor Ahmed, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris, France
Governmentality in Pakistan: A Controlled Islam through the Council of Islamic Ideology

Saleem Ahmad Khan, University of New Brunswick, Canada
1971 The People's War of Bangladesh: Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and Subalterns' Perspective

Friday, April 6

Session 2 - 3:30p - 5:30p

Panel B1

Lake Huron
Room,
3rd Floor

State Power and Political Violence: A Transnational Perspective

Chair: Dallas Michelbacher, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Commenter: Laura Brade, Department of History, Albion College

Michael Rausch, University at Brockport

Forced Labor's Role in Modernity in the Soviet Union and the New South

Robert Sherwood, Royal Holloway College, London, England
'The Beautiful Beast' Irma Grese

Daniel Palazzolo, Central Michigan University

Burying the Past. Negationism, Equivalency, and Denial in the 20th Century

Panel B2

Lake Michigan
Room,
3rd Floor

The Neighbors Next Door: Politics, Language and Immigration

Chair: Lissa Schwander, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Ashley Bavery, Department of History and Philosophy, Eastern Michigan University

Brendon Floyd, Southern Illinois University

The Worst Kind of Democrats this Side of Hell: John Daly Burk, the United Irishmen, the Federalist Party and American Identity in the Early Republic

Felix Zuber, Friedrich Schiller Universität, Jena, Germany

Turnerism in Michigan - A Study of Germans' Gymnastics and Political Thought

Marie Stepanova, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic

Language Migration: The Movement of Voices over the Decades

Panel B3

Lake St. Clair,
3rd Floor

The Economics of Urban and Rural Space

Chair: Marcello Graziano, Department of Geography and Environmental Studies, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Anthony Padovano, Department of History, Michigan State University

Thomas Cragg, Wayne State University

Claiming and Defending the Social Space of Nineteenth-Century Detroit

Brian Schamber, Central Michigan University

Demographic Analysis of Shelby Township, Oceana County, Michigan, 1900-1910

Kathryn Cundiff, Marshall University

I Can't Believe It Was Butter: West Virginia's Dairy Industry and the Great Depression

Saturday, April 7

Session 3 - 10:00a - 12:00p

Panel C1

Lake Huron
Room,
3rd Floor

Entrepreneurial Dreams, Economic Realities

Chair: Paul Natke, Department of Economics, Central Michigan University

Commenter: James Chrislip, Department of History, Michigan State University

Elton Lee Menard, University of Alberta, Canada

Rethinking Economic Growth, the State and the Cobden-Chevalier Commercial Treaty of 1860

Jiakai Jeremy Chua, University of Southern California

The Global Decade after 'Moutai' Went Away: The CAAC Turnaround and China's State Ambitions, 1978-1988

Matt Hoerauf, Wayne State University

Challenging Indigenous Alternatives: Comparative International Analysis of Alternative Energy Implementation between the Ojibway of White Earth in Minnesota and the Ojibway of Pic River in Ontario

Panel C2

Lake Michigan
Room,
3rd Floor

Images of History, Sounds of the Past

Chair: Scott de Brestian, Department of Art and Design, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Sarah Wheat, History of Art, University of Michigan

Sarah Molina, Art Institute of Chicago, Kress Interpretive Fellow

Representing Wonder: Painted Illustrations in Medieval Islamic Cartography

Jonathan Korpi, Central Michigan University

Love for Coffee: Examination of Johann Sebastian Bach's View on Coffee Addiction through his Coffee Cantata

Kevin Thomas, Central Michigan University

The Challenge to Social and Categorical Borders in the Exquisite Corpse Artworks: Early Politics of the Surrealist Movement

Saturday, April 7

Session 4 - 2:00p - 4:00p

Panel D1

Lake Huron
Room,
3rd Floor

Private Affairs, Public Discourses

Chair: Joseph Anderson, Department of Philosophy and Religion, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Kyle C. Lincoln, Department of History, Kalamazoo College

Atta Muhammad, University of Leeds, England

The Public Sphere During the Later Abbasid Caliphate (1000-1258): The Role of Sufism

James Ford, Central Michigan University

The Impact of History on Thomas Hobbes and John Locke

Wesley Reynolds, Central Michigan University

Coffeehouses in the Age of Revolution

Panel D2

Lake Michigan
Room,
3rd Floor

Masculinity in a Hostile World

Chair: Krzysztof Kulawik, Department of World Languages and Cultures, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Christine Cook, Department of History, Wayne State University

Commenter: Laura Mammina, Department of History, Kalamazoo College

David Banas, Central Michigan University

From Tradition to Modernity: The Transformation of Japanese Martial Arts through the Meiji Restoration

Sean Scally, Central Michigan University

Edgar Pomeroy's Blues: Progressive-Era Masculinity and the Failure of Soccer in California, 1890-1910

Vic Overdorf, Indiana University

Imprisoning Sexuality: The Abuses of the State in Homosexual Male Incarceration at Alcatraz Federal Penitentiary (1934-1957)

Amanda Watkins, Texas A&M Commerce

Scottish Razor Gangs, Masculinity and Identity

Panel D3

Lake St. Clair
Room,
3rd Floor

A Matter of Representation: Race, Popular Culture, and History

Chair: Gil Richard Musolf, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, Central Michigan University

Commenter: Jasmin C. Howard, Department of History, Michigan State University

Rebecca Ardrey, University of South Alabama

Shifting Perspectives: A Historiography of the Great Migration, 1915-1918

Nathan Moore, American University

Blood and Ink: War and Slavery in Comics

Conference Awards

President's Award

Best conference paper sponsored by the CMU President's Office (\$150)

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Best paper in Women's history, history of sexuality or gender studies sponsored by CMU's Women and Gender Studies Program (\$100)

Best Undergraduate Paper

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Save the Date!

We hope to see you at the 2019 International Graduate Historical Studies Conference **March 29 - 30, 2019**. The conference theme will be "***Transcending Boundaries.***"

Save the Dates!

Early paper submission: **December 16, 2018**

Final submission deadline: **February 3, 2019**



Keynote Speaker



Alan Taylor

Thomas Jefferson Chair in American History at the University of Virginia

Dr. Alan Taylor is an American historian specializing in early United States history. He is the author of a number of books about the colonial history of the United States, the American Revolution and the early American Republic. Since 1995, he has won two Pulitzer Prizes and the Bancroft Prize, and was a finalist for the National Book Award for non-fiction. His books include:

American Revolutions: A Continental History, 1750-1804 (2016)

The Internal Enemy: Slavery and War in Virginia, 1772-1832 (2013)

The Civil War of 1812: American Citizens, British Subjects, Irish Rebels, & Indian Allies (2010)

The Divided Ground: Indians, Settlers, and the Northern Borderland of the American Revolution (2006)

Writing Early American History (2005)

American Colonies (2001)

William Cooper's Town: Power and Persuasion on the Frontier of the Early Republic (1996)

Liberty Men and Great Proprietors: The Revolutionary Settlement on the Maine Frontier, 1760-1820 (1990)

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Friday Morning: Hotels to Campus
12:00p - Comfort Inn
12:15p - Super 8

Saturday Morning: Hotels to Campus
9:00a - Comfort Inn
9:15a - Super 8

Friday Evening: Campus to Hotels
10:15p - Bovee University Center

Saturday Evening: Campus to Hotels
*shuttle will make a stop at Mountain
Town before hotels
4:45p - Bovee University Center

*Bovee University Center pick up will be by the main doors on the half circle drive

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Post-Conference Celebration



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