The Indiana Association of Historians Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting
“Rights, Riots and Reactions”

Saturday, February 28, 2015
IUPUI, Hine Hall, 875 North Street, Indianapolis, Indiana

8:30 – 9:00 Registration & Continental Breakfast

9:00 - 10:30 Concurrent Sessions I

Session A – Congressional Cooperation and Division in the Reconstruction Era
A. James Fuller, University of Indianapolis, Krista Kinslow, Boston University; Chair & Comment: Nicole Etcheson, Ball State University

Session B – War and Violence
Chair & Comment: Kevin Cramer, IUPUI
Nuan Gao, Hanover College, “World War I and the Awakening of the Civil Consciousness in China”
Daniel Murphy, Hanover College, “Arthur Guy Empey and Over the Top (1917): Before Disillusion”
Matthew A. Schownir, “Fringe Identities: Violence, Cultural Vocabulary, and Irish and British Settlers in Mid-Nineteenth Century New South Wales”

Session C – Biographical Studies of Conservatism and Civil Rights
Chair & Comment: Nancy Robertson, IUPUI
Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis, “The First Lady Governor: The Life and Legacy of Lurleen Wallace”
Andrew E. Stoner, University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point, “George Wallace in Indiana”
Olivia Hagedorn, Purdue University, “‘Get Off the White Man’s Lap and Walk Like a Man’: Mattie Coney and the Politics of Conservatism”

Session D – Indiana’s Virtual Past: Historical Apps and Websites
Ronald V. Morris, Ball State University, “The Application of Apps: Perryville Battlefield and the Indiana State Parks”
Rebecca Shrum, IUPUI, “The Indy Historical Phone App & Website”

10:30 -10:45 a.m. Break

10:45-12:15 a.m. Concurrent Sessions II

Session E – Revolutions in Unexpected Places: The Urban Midwest circa 1970
William C. Barnett, North Central College, Edward Frantz, University of Indianapolis; Chair & Comment: Modupe Labode
Session F – Economics in the Midwest  
Chair & Comment: John L. Larson, Purdue University  
Nancy Brown, Purdue University, “Fort Wayne, Indiana and the Global Economy, 1890-1900”  
J. Michael Raley, Hanover College, “‘Never Let a Note Come Due’: A.G. Cloud and the Emergence of Mercantile Capitalism in the Nineteenth-Century Rural American Midwest”

Session G – African American Agency in the Struggle for Freedom and Equality  
Charlene Fletcher-Brown, Indiana University, “Rise and Resistance: Black Soldiers, Law Enforcement and Civil Unrest in Charleston, South Carolina, 1918-1919”  
Mark Allan Furnish, IUPUI, “Antislavery Activities of African Americans in Madison’s Georgetown Neighborhood”  

Session H – Economics, Family, and Superheroes in the Cold War Era  
Chair & Comment: Jaye Lee Rogers, Anderson University  
Kathleen A. Tobin, Purdue University Calumet, “Cold War Competition: U.S. Economic Perspectives and International Birth Rates”  
Andrew Brett Fogel, Purdue University, “The Z Direction and The Vertical World: U.S. Nationalistic Superheroes Battling International Villains in Vertical and Three-Dimensional Transnational Space”

12:20 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Luncheon Program – Banquet Room, University Tower  
Welcome – Nancy N. Conner (Indiana Humanities), IAH President  
Indiana Association of Historians Annual Meeting Keynote Address
Brian Dirck, Professor of History, Anderson University  
"Abraham Lincoln in Indiana, and Why It Matters"

1:45 – 3:15 p.m. – Concurrent Sessions III

Session I – More than Merryman: Loyalty and Dissent in Civil War Maryland  
Chair & Comment: Stephen E. Towne, IUPUI University Library  
David K. Graham, Purdue University, “The Heart of Maryland: Postbellum Debates over Maryland’s Internal Civil War”  
S. Chandler Lighty, Indiana State Library, “’More for Their Own Welfare than for Mine’: General Lew Wallace and the Arbitrary Arrests of ‘Disloyalists’ and Suspicious Persons in Maryland and Delaware, March 1864-July 1865”
Session J – Sex and Gender in the Twentieth Century
Chair & Comment: Vivian Deno, Butler University
Angela Bowen Potter, Indiana University, “Writing the Book on Modern Sex Education: Reactions to the Social Health Association of Indianapolis’ Sex Education Curriculum, 1967-1974”

Session K – Race and Policy in Twentieth Century Indiana
Chair & Comment: Lisa Phillips, Indiana State University
Norma B. Erickson, IUPUI, “An Outline of Health Care Options for African Americans in Indianapolis, 1886-1921”
Robert G. Barrows, IUPUI, “New Deal Public Housing in Indiana: The Creation of Lincoln Gardens in Evansville”
Daniel Green, “Unplanned Integration: The Subversive Effect of Crispus Attucks Basketball”

Session L – Hoosiers Writing History
J. Vincent Lowery, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay, “Paul Leland Haworth: Forgotten Progressive Historian”
Aaron W. Miller, Ivy Tech Community College, Columbus, “Long Way to Wuxi: A Hoosier Historian in China”

3:30-5:00 p.m. - Indiana Association of Historians Business Meeting
3:30-5:00 p.m. – Indiana Magazine of History Board Meeting

Indiana Association of Historians Program Committee:
A. James Fuller
Anita Morgan
Daniel Murphy
Nancy Conner (ex officio)

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