



INDIANA ASSOCIATION OF HISTORIANS

Call for Papers

IAH 42nd Annual Meeting

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Purdue University Northwest—Hammond Campus

“Rethinking Education” The COVID-19 pandemic has forced a global reassessment of all aspects of education—the methods of teaching, the role of technology in classrooms, libraries, and museums, and the continued disparity in educational access. What can historians, in taking a wide view of the history of education across the globe, add to the conversation? How can we inform the current dialogue?

The Program Committee of the Indiana Association of Historians encourages the discussion of and presentations that address the history of educational access, the politics of education, the mythology of the urban/rural divide, and even the role of education in traditional classrooms and public spaces as a factor in the development and evolution of society. Historians’ voices can provide much needed perspective. While we encourage topics related to the theme of “Rethinking Education,” please note that we also invite and welcome submissions on any topic of history!

We invite proposals from professors, graduate students, K-12 history educators, public historians, librarians and archivists, and independent scholars. Individual conference papers (approximately 10 pages/2500 words) should be based on original research but may also synthesize previous scholarship or be drawn from participant experience. Panels should consist of two or three papers with comments. While research topics related to the conference theme, the history of Indiana, and to U.S. history more broadly conceived are always welcome, topics related to European and world history, as well as other historical fields or themes, will also receive full consideration.

Submissions should include a one-page abstract with the author’s name, institutional affiliation, status, title, and brief description (250 words or less) plus a one-page c.v. for each participant. Panel proposals should be submitted as a single document. All materials and any questions should be submitted electronically to Michella Marino, via email attachment at: mmarino@library.in.gov The deadline for the submission of abstracts/proposals is December 20, 2021. Participants whose abstracts/proposals have been accepted must register for the conference and IAH membership.

The IAH will award two \$500 prizes at its 2022 meeting and present the winners of the [Bennett-Tinsley Award for Undergraduate History Research and Writing](#). The James H. Madison Best Article Prize will be awarded to the author of the best article published in the *Indiana Magazine of History* during the previous calendar year. The Walter Nugent Graduate Student Paper Prize will be given to the best paper presented at the conference by a graduate student participant. The winners of these awards will be selected by prize committees. To be considered for the Nugent Prize, complete papers must be submitted via email attachment no later than February 11, 2022, to mmarino@library.in.gov