THE WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN HISTORIANS

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CONFERENCE XVI

at

THE HUNTINGTON LIBRARY, ART GALLERY AND BOTANICAL GARDENS

San Marino, California

APRIL 13-15, 1984
The WAWH wishes to express its appreciation to the College of Arts and Letters, San Diego State University and to its Dean, Robert Detweiler, for the printing of the conference program.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 13

7 - 8:30 PM WAWH Executive Board Meeting
   Hospitality Room, Holiday Inn

8:30 - 10:30 PM Wine and cheese party benefit for WAWH
   Graduate Fellowship Fund
   Hospitality Room, Holiday Inn
   $10 per person

9 - 9:30 PM Special Slide Show Presentation
   PRESERVING WOMEN'S HISTORY: THE LOS ANGELES WOMEN'S HISTORY PROJECT
   Sherry Katz, Gail Debrow and Carolyn Flynn,
   University of California, Los Angeles

Conference registration will be available Friday evening from 8:30 to 10 p.m. in the Hospitality Room.

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NOTE:

Please wear your conference badge at all times when touring the gardens on either Saturday or Sunday morning since the Library is not open to the public at those times.

The Art Gallery and Library Exhibition Hall are open only from 1 PM to 5 PM.

On Sunday morning ONLY the Oxford Gate to the Library will be open.

Parking at the Library is handled as a voluntary contribution.
SATURDAY, APRIL 14

8:30 AM       Conference registration opens at the Huntington Library.
8:30 - 9 AM    Coffee and doughnuts in the Arcade.

PROGRAM

9:00 – 10:45 AM

OVERSEERS ROOM

WOMEN’S HISTORY AT THE HUNTINGTON: SOURCES, DISCOVERIES, EXPERIENCES
CHAIR: Penny Kanner, Occidental College
Martha Vogler, California State University, Fullerton: George Eliot as Victorian Literary Widow
Sylvia H. Myers, Institute for Historical Study: Extraordinary and Ordinary Women in the Elizabeth Montagu Collection
Susan Kullman Puz, Historical Institute of Southern California: Victoria Woodhull’s New York, 1869-1877
COMMENT: Other Research Possibilities
   Mary Robertson, The Huntington Library
   Penny Kanner, Occidental College

SOUTH CLASSROOM

BEER AND TYPEWRITERS: TECHNOLOGY AND WORK
CHAIR: Sheila Manes McCoy, California Polytechnic State University, Pomona
Lesley Ann Kawaguchi, University of California, Los Angeles: Ethnicity and Class: Technology’s Dual Legacy in the Beer Brewing Industry, 1848-1898
Carole Srole, University of California, Los Angeles: "...a blessing to mankind, and especially to womenkind": The Typewriter and the Feminization of Clerical Work
COMMENT: Allen Jay Friedman, California State University, Los Angeles
   Sheila Manes McCoy, California Polytechnic State University, Pomona

FRIENDS HALL

MALE AND FEMALE: DEVELOPING NORMS IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY
Martha Banta, University of California, Los Angeles: Growing Up According to Type: Determination and Experimentation (slide lecture)
Janet Sharistanian, University of Southern California: Types of Male and Female in the Postwar Period: The Work of Tess Slesinger
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Irma Eichorn, San Jose State University

NORTH CLASSROOM

WOMEN’S EDUCATION: A CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS-RACIAL PERSPECTIVE
Judith Albert, Center for the Study, Education and Advancement of Women, University of California, Berkeley: Margaret Fuller and Friends: A Nineteenth Century Circle of Influence
Carol Perkins, San Diego State University: Black Women’s Entry into Secondary and Post-Secondary Institutions of Education, 1875-1930
Linda Pitelka, Humboldt State University: Ideas of Chinese Womanhood: Pan Chao’s Lessons for Women
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Edith Piness, Southern California Institute for Historical Research

TRUSTEES ROOM

PUBLIC LIVES AND PRIVATE LIVES: THE PROBLEMS OF AUTOBIOGRAPHIES AND BIOGRAPHIES
Alice Weder, Sonoma State University: Emma Goldman and Living My Life
Sarah Stage, University of California, Riverside: S. Josephine Baker’s Fighting for Life
Judith Anderson, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona: Fawn McKay Brodie
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Marilyn Boxer, San Diego State University
PLENARY SESSION
FRIENDS HALL

PROSPECTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION IN CALIFORNIA IN THE NEXT DECADE
CHAIR: Jess Flemion, President, W.A.W.H.
Patrick Callan, Director, Post-Secondary Education Commission, State of California:
  Trends in Higher Education in the 1980s
Lucy Killea, Assemblywoman, 78th District, California:
  The Political Outlook for Higher Education

LUNCH
ON THE TERRACE

1:15 – 3:00 PM

FRIENDS HALL

HISTORY AND THE COMMUNITY: CALIFORNIA MODELS
Philip Flemion, San Diego State University:
  The San Diego/Tijuana History Fair
Christine Fordham and Cindy Girard, Patrick Henry High School, San Diego:
  Labor Unrest and the I.W.W. in San Diego (slide presentation - winner of the 1983 San Diego History Fair)
Eleanor Bolen, Save Our Heritage Organization:
  Heritage Park - How and Why? (a multi-media presentation)
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Thomas Fuller, California Committee for the Promotion of History

SOUTH CLASSROOM

RELIGION AND THE LAW: THE THEOLOGICAL ROOTS OF UTAH LAW
CHAIR: Carol O'Connor, Utah State University
Kathryn L. Mackay, University of Utah:
  The Law and the Lamanites: History of the Legal Status of Utah Indians
Carol Cornwall Madsen, Brigham Young University:
  Blackstone Revisited: Women and the Law in Territorial Utah
COMMENT: Gordon M. Bakken, California State University, Fullerton

NORTH CLASSROOM

“LADIES’” CONCERNS IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY
Alex Owen, University of California, San Diego:
  Women and Nineteenth Century Spiritualism
Renee Kogel, University Without Walls:
  Annie Bidwell: From Lady to Reformer
Dorothy Hewes, San Diego State University:
  Families, Work, and Employers; A Kuhnian Perspective
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Joan Moon, Sacramento State University

Continued
OVERSEERS ROOM
CHAIR: C. Warren Hollister, University of California, Santa Barbara:
   *Earls, Thengs and Elves in Early Medieval England*
Katharin Mack, University of California, Santa Barbara:
   *The Danish Conquest of England: A New Perspective*
Karen Jolly, University of California, Santa Barbara:
   *Elves, Charms, and Magic in Anglo-Saxon Christianity*
Robin Fleming, University of California, Santa Barbara:
   *The Impact of the Norman Conquest: A Reinterpretation*
COMMENT: Constance Bouchard, University of California, Irvine

TRUSTEES ROOM
FICTION AS HISTORY: WOMEN IN THE FICTIONAL PAST
Virginia W. Brodine, Author:
   *Fiction as History: Adventures in the Creation of a Fictional Irish Woman Immigrant (1826)*
Mildred Greene, Arizona State University:
   *A Chimera of Her Own Creating: Love and Fantasy in Madame De Lafayette’s Princess de Cleves and Richardson’s Clarissa*
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Carole Hick, Oral History Associates

3:00 – 4:45 PM

SOUTH CLASSROOM
WOMEN’S LIVES IN EARLY MODERN ENGLAND
CHAIR: Maryanne Horowitz, Occidental College
Dee Ludlow, California State University, Fresno:
   *Down the Garden Path to Power: The Influence of Ordinary Sixteenth and Seventeenth Century Englishwomen*
Elizabeth Luckett, California State University, Fresno:
   *Elizabeth I: Womanhood and Power*
Patricia S. Seleski, Stanford University:
   *Drabs and Drudges: Patterns of Domestic Service in Late Eighteenth Century London*
COMMENT: Deborah Kennel, Southern California Institute for Historical Research

FRIENDS HALL
THE TRAIL NORTH: THE UNTOLD STORY
(The making of a television documentary on migration of Mexican families into the U.S.)
Dr. Robert Alvarez, California State University, Sacramento:
   *Adapting Academic Research to Television*
Paul B. Espinosa, San Diego State University:
   *Selection of Material for a Television Documentary*
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Ruth Willard, San Francisco State University

OVERSEERS ROOM
PROSTITUTION AND SOCIETY IN NAIROBI, SEVILLE, AND SAN FRANCISCO
Betsy Perry, University of California, Los Angeles:
   *Deviant Insiders: Legalized Prostitutes in Early Modern Seville*
Jackie Barnhart, California State University, Chico:
   *Fair but Frail: Prostitutes in Gold Rush San Francisco*
Luise White, Rice University:
   *Vice Centers and Vagrants: Labor, Housing and Prostitution in Nairobi Between the Wars*
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Norma Pratt, Mt. San Antonio College

NORTH CLASSROOM
SCHOLARS’ CONSORTIUM: A 1980s SURVEY OF THE 1930s
Frances Richardson Keller, San Francisco State University:
   *As Historians Have Viewed the 1930s*
Constance Ashton Myers, University of South Carolina:
   *As Women’s Organizations Saw the Needs of the 1930s Three Scholars’ Perspectives:*
   - Jane Smith Boyd, San Jose State University
   - Julie Keller, San Francisco State University
   - Linda Dew, San Francisco State University

TRUSTEES ROOM
TEACHING AND RESEARCH ON WOMEN IN HISTORY
Gail Greenwood, American River College:
   *Amnesia Victims: Women in Western Civilization*
Dolores Delgado, American River College:
   *Shattering the Myth: Chicana as Labor Union Organizers*
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Karen Langlois, Claremont Graduate School

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5:15 – 6:15 PM

WAWH BUSINESS MEETING
HOSPITALITY ROOM, HOLIDAY INN

6:30 – 7:30 PM

COCKTAIL PARTY
POOL TERRACE, HOLIDAY INN

7:30 PM

WAWH PRESIDENT'S DINNER
THE GREENERY
HOLIDAY INN

Welcoming Remarks and Introduction of Guests
Announcement of the Sierra Prize

SPEAKER
Elizabeth Balanoff, Professor of History
Roosevelt University, Chicago, Illinois:
Journey Through the Marketplace:
Working Women and the Historian's Craft
SUNDAY, APRIL 15

8:00 - 8:30 AM  Coffee and doughnuts in the Arcade
8:00 - 9:30 AM  Day registration continues

8:30 – 10:15 AM

FRIENDS HALL

SOUTHERN WOMEN: NOT ALWAYS ACCORDING TO TYPE
Alice Mathews, Western Carolina University:
   Appalachian Women: Images and Realities
Victoria Bynum, University of California, San Diego:
   Rural Farm Women in a Slaveholders' War: The Unionist Women of Montgomery County, North Carolina
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Dolores Janiewski, University of California, San Diego

NORTH CLASSROOM

CHAIR: Jane Slaughter, University of New Mexico
Janine A. Young, University of New Mexico:
   Moving Into the Political Sphere: The Origins and Results of the Women's Suffrage Movement in New Mexico, 1890-1930
Patricia Franzen, University of New Mexico:
   From Spinster to Dykes: Resisting Heterosexuality, 1920-1960
Carol A. Hunter, University of New Mexico: American Red Cross Clubmobile Workers: World War II, Korea, and Vietnam

OVERSEERS ROOM

WORKSHOP: GOALS, STRATEGIES, AND PROBLEMS IN TEACHING THE SOCIAL HISTORY OF WOMEN
CHAIR: Kathryn Sklar, University of California, Los Angeles
Alice Clement, Santa Monica College, Los Angeles Trade Tech and Los Angeles Valley College
Mary McD. Gordon, University of Santa Clara
Barbara S. Lindemann, Santa Barbara City College
Peggy Renner, University of California, Los Angeles
Marilyn Boxer, San Diego State University
Members of the Los Angeles Women's History Teaching Workshop

10:15 – 12:00 NOON

TRUSTEES ROOM

SOLDIERS OF CHRIST AND SOLDIERS OF THE FIELD: MISSIONARIES AND MILITIA IN STUART ENGLAND
CHAIR: Jess Flemion, San Diego State University
Caroline Hibbard, University of Illinois at Urbana:
   Religion and Politics at the Court of Charles I: Capuchin Missionaries on Alien Ground
Deborah Ignatz, University of Nebraska-Lincoln:
   Bleeding Grievances of the Kingdom: The Attempted Reform of the Militia in 1628
COMMENT: Linda Popofsky, Mills College

NORTH CLASSROOM

NATIVE AMERICAN WOMEN: EUROAMERICAN PERCEPTIONS/NATIVE AMERICAN REALITIES: STUDIES FROM THREE CULTURES
Rebecca Kugel, University of California, Los Angeles:
   Sex Role Change and Continuity Among Ojibwe Women, 1830-1900
Peg Beemer, University of California, Los Angeles:
   Women in Iroquois Society: From Deganawidah to Handsome Lake
Susan Kenney, University of California, Los Angeles:
   The Position of Cherokee Women in a Changing Society
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Pricilla Ann Berge, University of California, San Diego

FRIENDS HALL

EUROPEAN ART: SOURCES AND VALUES
Jane Friedman, The Los Angeles County Museum of Art:
   An Analysis of the Diptych Form in Fifteenth Century Netherlandish Painting
Eunice Howe, University of Southern California:
   Ancient Sources for Melozzo da Forli's Fresco of Pope Sixtus IV
Susan Caroselli, The Los Angeles County Museum of Art:
   Anything You Can Do . . . : Painting versus Sculpture in Renaissance Venice
Carol Dowd, The J. Paul Getty Trust:
   Federico Borromeo as a Patron of the Arts
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Ricki Weinberger, Occidental College

Continued
SOUTH CLASSROOM

MOTHERHOOD AND CHILD REARING IN NINETEENTH-CENTURY GREAT BRITAIN
CHAIR: Karen Offen, Center for Research on Women, Stanford University
Nupur Chaudhuri, University of Kansas: Impact of Imperialism on Motherhood in Nineteenth-Century India
COMMENT: Patricia Klaus, Tiberon, California

OVERSEERS ROOM

PUBLIC POLICY IN THE ATOMIC AGE
Carolyn Smadja, University of California, Davis: Three Mile Island Fallout
Coleen O'Connor, Mesa Community College: Imagine the Unimaginable: Helen Gahagan Douglas on Women and the Nuclear Nightmare
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Rose Glickman, Research Associate, Center for Slavic and East European Studies, University of California, Berkeley

1:30 – 3:15 PM

FRIENDS HALL

ROSIE THE RIVETER, REVISITED
Film: Rosie the Riveter
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Sherna Gluck, California State University, Long Beach

SOUTH CLASSROOM

CRIMINALITY: A SAN DIEGO PERSPECTIVE
Kathy Bulmash, San Diego State University: Changing Patterns of Criminal Homicide in the West: San Diego, 1870-1930
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Rick Crawford, Assistant Archivist, San Diego Historical Society

TRUSTEES ROOM

PANEL DISCUSSION: CATHOLICISM AND FEMINISM TODAY
Pat Rief, Feminist Spirituality Program Coordinator, Immaculate Heart College Center
Judith Vaughn, House of Ruth and Peace and Justice Center, Los Angeles
Sheila Briggs, School of Religion, University of Southern California

OVERSEERS ROOM

MASCULINE/FEMININE: SCIENCE AND ART
Londa Schiebinger, Harvard University: Masculinization of Philosophy: Women and the Norms of Knowledge
Helena Waddy Lepovitz, University of California, San Diego: Household Images and Household Concerns: The Role of Catholic Imagery in the Industrialization of Popular Art
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Susan Groag Bell, Center for Research on Women, Stanford University

NORTH CLASSROOM

MEDIEVAL LAND DISPUTES: IN AND OUT OF COURT
Martha Carlin, University of Toronto: Palaeography and Forgery: The Case of Thomas D. Hastings
Catherine Kelly, University of California, Los Angeles: The Hastings-Lovell Land Dispute: The Lawsuit as Political Strategem
CHAIR AND DISCUSSION LEADER: Eleanor Searle, California Institute of Technology

12:00 – 1:30 PM

LUNCH
ON THE TERRACE

SPEAKER
Joan Todd, San Jose State University
Archaeological Amber: A Problem in U.S. Interdisciplinary Approach to Historical Study
3:15 – 5:00 PM

TRUSTEES ROOM

TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT? ACADEMIC HISTORIANS IN LOCAL COMMUNITY PROJECTS: A PANEL DISCUSSION

CHAIR: Knox Mellon, State of California
Ellen Malino James, Ojai Valley News and Historical Institute of Southern California:
Writing Commissioned Publications: How Commercial Sponsorship Affects Content and Standards of Evidence
Shelly Bookspan, PHR Associates:
Can Public Historians Remain Objective While Servicing Clients?
Kay Briegel, California State University, Long Beach and Historical Institute of Southern California:
Presenting History to Funding Agencies and the Public
COMMENT: Carroll W. Pursell, Jr., University of California, Santa Barbara

SOUTH CLASSROOM

MEDICINE IN EARLY MODERN EUROPE: TWO PERSPECTIVES

Alison Lingo, Institute for Historical Study:
The Itinerant Healers of Early Modern France: The "Other" from Faraway
Elizabeth Furdell, University of North Florida:
Medical History of Queen Anne
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Rosemary Masek, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

NORTH CLASSROOM

FEMALE TRADITIONS AND FEMINISM IN EDUCATION

Mitzi Myers, University of California, Los Angeles:
Impeccable Governesses, Rational Dames, and Moral Mothers: Wollstonecraft and the Female Tradition in Georgian Children's Books
Peggy Renner, University of California, Los Angeles:
The Feminization of Teaching: California and Pennsylvania in Contrast
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Reba Soffer, California State University, Northridge

FRIENDS HALL

REFLECTIONS ON TWENTY YEARS OF FEMINISM

Sondra Herman, De Anza College:
Feminism in One Country: The Swedish Case
Mollie Schwartz Rosenham, Stanford University:
The Women's Movement: An Historian's Retrospective Musings
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Lois Banner, University of Southern California

OVERSEERS ROOM

WOMEN AND WORK IN WARTIME

Margo McBaine, Santa Barbara, California:
Tillie the Toiler: The Role of the Women's Land Army of America in the Development of the California Farm Labor Structure
Anne Fredericks, San Francisco California:
The Creation of "Women's Work" in Agriculture: The Women’s Land Army During World War II
Judith Lucero, University of California, Davis:
The Industrial Response to Women as Workers During the Labor Crisis of World War II
CHAIR AND COMMENT: Sheila Lipman, San Francisco University High School

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Other Important Conference Information

The Holiday Inn will not assign roommates. If you want to share a room please make arrangements prior to sending your reservation form to the Holiday Inn or let Peggy Renner know that you wish to be assigned a roommate. In both cases, to GUARANTEE a reservation, room forms must be returned to the Holiday Inn BY MARCH 13.

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There is bus service which runs approximately every hour from LAX to the Pasadena Hilton which is next door to the Holiday Inn. When you debark at the Hilton, call the bellman at the Holiday Inn and he will come and pick up you and your luggage. Transportation back to the Hilton will also be provided. The airport bus fare is $6.20 each way.

Parking fees at the Holiday Inn are $2.50 per day which will be added to your room bill. For non-residents of the hotel, the parking fee for the banquet will also be $2.50.

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Registration Form
ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Registration Fee, including hospitality refreshments and Saturday cocktail party

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Please return this form, with your check, to Joyce Baker, Secretary-Treasurer, WAWH, 514 Peregrina Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93105.

*Please note that ALL MEALS MUST BE RESERVED IN ADVANCE. The deadline for meal reservations is APRIL 6. It will not be possible to obtain meal tickets at the conference.
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