Friday 20

3:00 - 6:00
Check In & Registration

6:00 - 7:00
Buffet Dinner

7:00 - 10:30
Evening Program

Please join us for an evening of entertainment and reminiscing as we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the formation of the WAWH.

4:00 - 11:00
Graduate Student Drop-In
Room 105-107
This room will also be open:
Saturday 5-11 pm

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SATURDAY 21

8:30 - 9:00  Conference registration opens
8:30 - 9:00  Coffee and doughnuts

PROGRAM

9:00 - 10:30  1. Women of Color and Community Activism

CHAIR:  Mary Logan Rothschild, Arizona State University
PAPERS:  Paivi Haiala, Arizona State University
         Creating a Sense of Place: Native American Women and Community Building in Phoenix, Arizona.
         Mary Melcher, Arizona State University
         Building Community, Cultural Divides: Southern Arizona Ranch and Farm Women, 1910-1940.

COMMENT:  Lillian Jones, Santa Monica College

2. Royal Policy Toward “the Other” in the Middle Ages

CHAIR:  Mary Jane Hamilton, Sierra College
PAPERS:  Cynthia Maya, University of California, Los Angeles
         Christians, Muslims, and Jews in Medieval Tortosa: A Study in Medieval Practicality.
         Bonnie Efron, University of California, Los Angeles

COMMENT:  Karen Offen, Stanford University Institute for Research on Women and Gender


CHAIR:  Jesse Stoddart, San Diego State University
PAPERS:  Allison Sneider, University of California, Los Angeles
         Suffrage Racism in an Imperial Context: Susan B. Anthony, Hawaii, and the Philippines.
         Carol Cini, University of California, Los Angeles
         From British Women’s Suffrage to the League of Nations Covenant: Millicent Garrett Fawcett’s Opportunistic Definitions of Womanhood During and After World War I.
         Lisa Masterson, University of California, Los Angeles

COMMENT:  Karen Offen, Stanford University Institute for Research on Women and Gender

4. Spirituality, Politics, and Feminism

CHAIR:  Karen Longlois, California Polytechnic, Pomona
PAPERS:  Annette Laing, University of California, Riverside
         Colonial latitudinarianism and Elizabeth Ashbridge’s Spiritual Journey.
         Dorothy W. Hewes, San Diego State University
         Katherine Tingley and the American Theosophical Society, 1896-1942.

COMMENT:  Alice Wexler, Claremont Graduate School
10:45-12:15  **PLENARY SESSION**  
**5.Perceptions of Success: Past Presidents Speak**

**CHAIR:** Nupur Chaudhuri  
**FEATURING:** Barbara Penny Kanner  
Frances Keller  
Karen Offen  
Mary Elizabeth Perry  
Jesse Stoddard  

**DISCUSSANT:** Peggy Renner

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**12:30-1:30  LUNCH**

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**1:45 - 3:15  6.Investigating Power Relations in California: Permutations of Race, Gender, Class, and Nationality.**

**CHAIR:** Glenna Matthews, University of California, Berkeley

**PAPERS:**  
Rebecca Mead, University of California, Los Angeles  
*Gender and Race in the San Francisco Labor Movement, 1900-1920.*

Emily Rader, University of Southern California  
*Myth Makers of Southern California: White Settlers at the Turn of the Century.*

Margo McBane, University of California, Los Angeles  
*Gender and Comparative Work Cultures in California Agriculture: A Case Study of the Limoneira Company, 1900-1940.*

**COMMENT:** Helen Laro-Ceo, University of California, Berkeley

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**7.Mediating the Political Arena: Women in Britain and France**

**CHAIR:** Penny Kanner, Occidental College and University of Southern California

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**PAPERS:**  
Kristin Zimmerman, Stanford University  
*Spheres of Influence: Lady Palmerston’s Parliamentary Career.*

Stephanie A. Brown, Stanford University  
*The Princess of Monaco’s Hair: The Revolutionary Tribunal and Women’s Pregnancy Pleas, March 1793: Thermidor Year II.*

**COMMENT:** Elinor Accampo, University of Southern California  
Penny Kanner

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**8.The Origins, Tendencies and Principles of Western Women Historians in Cyberspace, or:**

A Workshop on the Internet, synonymous with the Electronic Highway, National Information Infrastructure, and Infobahn, from Early Historic Time to the Present; with Special Considerations Regarding Why Historians Should Get Online and the Various Methods Which Will Secure This Consummation. And bringing forward the Prevalent Electronic resources for Historians, as represented by Gopher Servers, Discussions Lists, Electronic Mail, and such; and the Abilities and Virtues of Life from a Technological Standpoint, with Prophesies for the Grand Female Future Friend’s Hall

**PRESENTERS:**  
Nancy Page Fernandez  
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Susana Kullmann Puz (skpuz@csupomona.edu), California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

**COMMENTATORS:** The Audience
9. Women and Politics in the Contemporary Middle East

CHAIR: Sondra Hale, California State University, Northridge and University of California, Los Angeles

PAPERS: Sherna Gluck, California State University, Long Beach
Shifting Sands: The Feminist-Nationalist Connection in Occupied Palestine.
Nancy Elizabeth Gallagher, University of California, Santa Barbara
Gender, Islam, and Democratization in Jordan

COMMENT: The Audience

3:30 - 5:00 10. Invention of a Consumer Ideal: Three Perspectives on the Shaping of Women's Consumer Identity

CHAIR: Karen Blair, Central Washington University

PAPERS: Paula Scott, University of California, Los Angeles
A Recipe for Change: Gender and Authority in American Cookbooks, 1742-1840.
Margaret Finnegan, University of California, Los Angeles
Politicizing the Consumer: Woman Suffragists and the Negotiation of Consumer Identity.
Lisa Jacobson, University of California, Los Angeles
Wine, Women, and Middlebrow Culture: The Legitimation of the Woman Drinker after Repeal.

COMMENT: Sarah Stage, University of California, Riverside

11. The Politics of Organized Working Women

CHAIR: Rochelle Gatlin, City College of San Francisco

PAPERS: Gayle Gulleit, University of California, Riverside
Organized Women Advance Women's Work at the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893.

12. Who Dictates Gender Roles in China?

CHAIR: Linda Bell, University of California, Riverside

PAPERS: Carol C. Fan, University of Hawaii
The Secret Written Language of Women
Bao Hua Hsieh, Creighton University
The Acquisition of Concubines: Concubines in Chinese Society from the Fourteenth to the Eighteenth Centuries.

COMMENT: Linda Bell

13. Some American Feminists

CHAIR: Lois Banner, University of Southern California

At the end of the film, Lila Karp will lead a discussion.

COMMENT: Alice Frholts, University of Southern California

The Library closes at 5:00 pm.
Please be prepared to leave after the final Saturday Session.
SÅRTDA EÑNGNYING

5:30 - 6:30

WAHW Business Meeting

Included on our agenda are amendments to the constitution. All members are encouraged to attend.

6:30 - 7:30

Graduate Student Fundraiser

Wine and Cheese Reception

7:30 - 11:00

WAHW President's Dinner

Presiding:

Peggy Renner
Glendale College
WAHW President

Speaker:

Page Putnam Miller
Director of the National Coordinating Committee for the Promotion of History
History as Viewed from Capitol Hill

Announcement of:

Barbara Penny Karner Award
Graduate Student Fellowship Award
Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize
Sierra Prize

9:00 - 10:30

14. Crossing the Thin Blue Line: The African American Woman as Police Officer in 20th Century America

CHAIR: Kathleen Sheldon, University of California, Los Angeles

PAPERS: Janis Appier, University of California, Riverside

Mary Texiera, University of California, Riverside
Organizational Regulation of Care: The African American Woman in Law Enforcement Since World War II.

COMMENT: Jill Watts, California State University, San Marcos

SUNDAY 22

8:30 - 9:00

Registration and check in

8:30 - 9:00

Coffee
15. Cross-cultural and Trans-historical Images of Motherhood

CHAIR: Joan Moon, California State University, Sacramento

PAPERS:
1. Laura Schwenm, University of California, Berkeley

2. Paula J. Birnbaum, Bryn Mawr
   Women Artists and Images of Motherhood in Interwar France.

3. Rhoda Zaid, University of California, Los Angeles
   Aldonza and Antonia: Two Picaresque Mothers.

COMMENT: Linda Alkana, California State University, Long Beach

16. Politics in the Progressive Era

CHAIR: Jackie Braitman, California State University, Northridge

PAPERS:
1. Ann Wierdrecht, University of California, Santa Barbara
   Women’s Suffrage and California Progressivism.

2. Liette Gidlow, Cornell University
   Getting Out the Vote: Gender, Politics and Consumer Culture in the 1920s.

3. Elinor McGinn, University of Colorado, Boulder
   She Made a Difference—The Work of Josephine Roche.

COMMENT: Sherry Katz, University of California, Los Angeles

17. The Urban Mid-West, Early Twentieth-Century America

CHAIR: David C. Sloane, University of Southern California

18. Changing the Rules at Home: Marriage, Parenthood, and Divorce

CHAIR: Karen Lystra, California State University, Fullerton

PAPERS:
1. Lyn Ellen Bennett, University of California, Los Angeles
   Reassessing Western Liberality: Divorce in a Kansas County.

2. Linda Lewin, University of California, Los Angeles
   The Republic and “Unholy Matrimony”: The Adoption of Civil Marriage in Brazil (1890).

3. Shawn Johansen, University of California, Los Angeles
   Oedipus Forgiven, Middle Class Fathers, Infants, and Domesticity in the Antebellum North.

COMMENT: Brenda Stevenson, University of California, Los Angeles

19. Down and Out in Early Modern Europe

CHAIR: Mary Elizabeth Perry, Occidental College

PAPERS:
1. Elspeth Whitney, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
   The Witch “She,” the Historian “He”: Gender and the Historiography of the European Witch-Hunt.

2. Margaret Moody, University of California, Los Angeles

COMMENT: Lisa Silverman, University of Southern California
20. Remaking the West

CHAIR: Margaret Rose, California State University, Bakersfield

PAPERS:
- Anna Bates, Western Kentucky University
  Myths and the Making of Frontier Women
- Laura Santigian, Brown University
  No Gender Spoken Here: The Case of the Missing Women's Historians in Public History of America's Wests.

COMMENT: Virginia Elwood-Akers, California State University, Northridge.
Margaret Rose

21. Workshop: Cooperative Learning in the College Classroom

CHAIR: Susan Kullman Puz, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

DISCUSSIONS:
- Linda Griffith, Glendale College
- Jane Bernard Powers, San Francisco State University
- Peggy Renner, Glendale College

COMMENT: Audience
Margaret Rose

REGISTRATION

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The Western Association of Women Historians will award the 1994 Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize ($100) for the best article published by a WAWH member. The article must have been published in 1992 or 1993. All fields of history will be considered, and submissions must include full scholarly apparatus. Inquiries and submissions (in triplicate) should be directed to: Dr. Ellen Huppert, 1940 Willard Street, San Francisco, CA 94117; telephone: 415-665-1529. Completed applications must be received by February 15, 1995.

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