

## Maritime Civilizations in World History: A Symposium for Researchers, Teachers, and Practitioners of World History

## Saturday, April 5, 2014 Southern Maine Community College South Portland, ME

### SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

#### Overview

8:30-9:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00-9:15	Welcome
9:15-10:30	Keynote: Lincoln Paine, "Reflections on The Sea & Civilization"
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45-12:00	Morning Session: Finding the World at Sea
12:00-1:15	Lunch
1:15-2:45	Afternoon Session I: New Tools and Techniques in Maritime Civilizations in
	World History
2:45-3:00	Break
3:00-4:15	Afternoon Session II: Recent Scholarship on the Sea and Civilizations

4:15–5:00 NERWHA Business Meeting and Book Prize Raffle

#### Program

WELCOME

9:00–9:15 Michele Louro, NERWHA President Ronald G. Cantor, Ph.D., President, Southern Maine Community College

Keynote

#### 9:15–10:30 Lincoln Paine, "Reflections on The Sea & Civilization"

- "A fascinating and beautifully written scholarly work"—Foreign Affairs
- "A magnificently sweeping history of seafaring"—Daily Telegraph
- "Elegantly written and encyclopedic in scope"—*Wall Street Journal*
- "Meticulously and systematically reconstructs the maritime history of the world" —*The Hindu*
- "Without doubt, the most comprehensive maritime history ever produced"—*The Times* (London)

SESSIONS

# 10:45–12:00 Morning Session: Finding the World at Sea—Teaching World History through Maritime Units

"Teaching the Indian Ocean"

Thomas Anderson, University of New Hampshire

"Teaching the Early United States as a Global Maritime Civilization" Michael Verney, University of New Hampshire "Selecting Evidence for a High School Lesson on the Dutch East Indies Company" Thomas Mounckhall, Mid-Hudson Teacher Center, SUNY Ulster Chair/Commentator: Thomas Rushford, Northern Virginia Community College, Annandale

### 1:15–2:30 Afternoon Session I: New Tools and Techniques for Maritime Civilizations in World History

"Merchant Mariners Muster: A New Resource for Social and Economic Historians" Nathan R. Lipfert, Senior Curator, Maine Maritime Museum "Sailing to Buy a Wedding Dress: Using GIS to Solve Geohistorical Questions"

Margaret Shaw Chernosky, Maine Geographic Alliance "The sea connects all things . . . "

Peter Neill, Director, World Ocean Observatory

Chair/Commentator: David Kalivas, Middlesex Community College

## 2:30–2:45 Break

## 2:45–4:15 Afternoon Session II: Recent Scholarship on the Sea and Civilizations

"The Profits and Perils of Salvation: Christianity, Commerce, and the Chinese Diaspora in Manila, 1570–1670" Jonathan Gebhardt, Yale University "Maritime Labor in a Hawaiian Pacific World" Gregory Rosenthal, SUNY Stony Brook

"On Deposit: The Nineteenth-Century Guano Trade"

Bud Warren, Independent Scholar

"The Other Mau-Empire and Resistance in Colonial Samoa"

Serge Avery, Brooklyn Technical High School

Chair/Commentator: Dane A. Morrison, Salem State University

## 4:15–4:45 NERWHA Business Meeting and Book Prize Raffle

**REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT:** Please visit <u>nerwha.org</u> to register and pay online. Early registration runs now through March 20. It is strongly encouraged to register early, although it is possible to register at the symposium for an additional fee of \$5. Please note that registration does not include lunch, which is available at an additional cost. Registrants may also find lunch options on the campus of the Southern Maine Community College, our symposium co-sponsor.



## VISITING MAINE? YOU'LL NEVER RUN OUT OF THINGS TO DO IN GREATER PORTLAND

The Greater Portland area boasts the cultural activities of a major metropolitan region while maintaining a small town charm. Enjoy the region's visit art museums and galleries, museums and historical societies, or plan a day trip with a guided tour or cruise. You can also enjoy a meal at one of the area's many nationally-renowned restaurants—*Bon Appetit* has called Portland one of the "Foodiest Small Towns in America"—or quaff beer at one of the dozen local microbreweries.

# LOOKING FOR THINGS TO DO IN PORTLAND MAINE?



Our vibrant region has activities for every taste and style, and every member of the family. Once you are here take a look at our ideas for Things to Do. Whether you are love the Nightlife or prefer to be out on the water, there's something for everyone every day of the year.

## Highlights include Portland

Bayside Bowl Institute of Contemporary Art Maine Historical Society/Longfellow House Old Port District Portland Museum of Art Portland Observatory (1807) Portland Stage Company Space Gallery St. Lawrence Arts Center State Street Theater Tate House (1750) Victoria Mansion (Morse-Libby House, 1858–60)

## South Portland

Fort Preble (1808; on the grounds of SMCC) Spring Point Ledge Light (1897; on the grounds of SMCC) Liberty Ship Monument

## **Cape Elizabeth**

Portland Head Light/Fort Williams Park/Goddard Mansion

For more information, please visit http://www.visitportland.com/.

## AN AMUSE-BOUCHE OF RESTAURANTS IN AND AROUND PORTLAND

#### PORTLAND

Back Bay Grill, 65 Portland St., 772-8833 Benkay Japanese Restaurant & Sushi Bar, 2 India St., 773-5555 Blue Rooster Food Co., 5 Dana St., 747-4157 Boda, 671 Congress St., 347-7557 Caiola's, 58 Pine St., 772-1110 Cantina El Rayo, 85 York St., 780-8466 David's, 22 Monument Sq., 773-4340 East Ender, 47 Middle St., 879-7669 Emilitsa, 547 Congress St., 221-0245 Empire Chinese Kitchen, 575 Congress St., 747-5063 Eventide Oyster Co., 86 Middle St., 774-8538 Five Fifty-Five, 555 Congress St., 761-0555 Fore Street, 288 Fore St., 775-2717 Grace, 15 Chestnut St., 828-4422 Green Elephant Vegetarian Bistro, 608 Congress St., 347-3111 Grill Room, 84 Exchange St., 774-2333 Hugo's, 88 Middle St., 774-8538 J's Oyster, 5 Portland Pier, 772-4828 Local 188, 685 Congress St., 761-7909 Otto's Pizza, 576 Congress St., 773-7099 SOUTH PORTLAND

David's 388, 388 Cottage Rd., 347-7388 Joe's Boathouse, 1 Spring Point Dr., 741-2780 Little Bigs, 340 Main St., 747-4233 Otto's Pizza, 159 Cottage Rd., 773-7099 Salt Water Grille, 231 Front St., 799-5400 Scratch Baking Co., 416 Preble St., 799-0668 CAPE ELIZABETH

Sea Glass Restaurant, 40 Bowery Beach Rd., 799-3134

Outliers, 231 York St., 747-4166 Paciarino, 470 Fore St., 774-3500 Pai Men Miyake, 188 State St., 541-9204 Petite Jacqueline, 190 State St., 553-7044 Po' Boys and Pickles, 1124 Forest Ave., 518-9735 Ribollita, 41 Middle St., 774-2972 Saigon, 795 Forest Ave., 874-6666 Sapporo, 230 Commercial St. 772-1233 Schulte & Herr, 349 Cumberland Ave., 773-1997 Sebago Brewing Company, 211 Fore St., 775-2337 Silly's, 40 Washington Ave., 772-0360 Standard Baking Co., 75 Commercial St., 773-2112 Street & Co., 33 Wharf St., 775-0887 Union Bagel Company, 147 Cumberland Ave., 747-4400 Walter's, 2 Portland Sq., 871-9258 Yosaku, 1 Danforth St., 899-3774 Zapoteca, 505 Fore St., 772-8242

The Snow Squall, 18 Ocean St., 799-0811 Taj Indian Cuisine, 200 Gorham Rd., 828-6677 Thai Taste, 435 Cottage Rd., 767-3599

The Well, 21 Wells Rd., Jordan's Farm, 831-9350