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# European History Section Newsletter

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## Annual Meeting of Southern Historical Association Westin Charlotte November 9-12, 2023

### SPECIAL EVENTS FOR EUROPEAN HISTORY SECTION MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING:  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 4:00-6:00 P.M. (EDT)  
ROOM: 615 (MOVED FROM BREVARD)**

The meeting is for Executive Committee members and committee chairs.

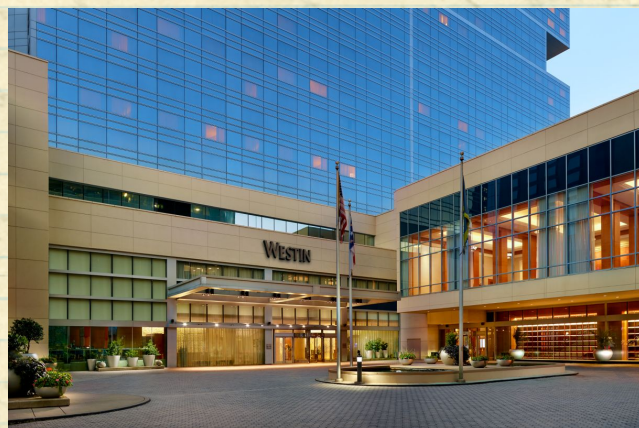
**EHS AND SBSCS RECEPTION:  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 5:30-7:30PM AT MIMOSA  
GRILL, 327 S. TRYON ST., CHARLOTTE**

**ALL EHS AND SBSCS MEMBERS WELCOMED**

**SECTION BUSINESS LUNCHEON: SATURDAY,  
NOVEMBER 11, FROM 12:00-1:30PM  
ROOM: PROVIDENCE III (MOVED FROM PROVIDENCE)**

**THE MATHEWS-WEINBERG ADDRESS WILL BE  
PRESENTED BY ELLA FRATANTUONO  
(UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA,  
CHARLOTTE), AND IS ENTITLED "GOVERNING  
MIGRATION IN THE OTTOMAN EMPIRE,"**

**THE LIST OF EHS PANELS BEGINS ON PAGE 2.**



Westin Charlotte  
603 S. College St., Charlotte, NC 28292



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**Friday, November 10:  
9:30-11:00 A.M. (all times eastern)**

**14. Culture and Authority in Twentieth Century Dictatorships**  
**Location: College**

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:  
Christopher Ward  
Clayton State University

“Laughing at ‘the Enemies of the People’: Narratives of Denunciation in Krokodil (1928-1929)”  
Alina Amvrosova  
Boston University

“The Spanish Wine Sector ate the Twilight of Franco”  
Karl Trybus  
Limestone University

“Power and Legitimacy or Instability and Folly?”  
Katlyn Rozovics  
University of Arkansas

**Friday, November 10:  
9:30-11:00 A.M.**

**15. Negotiating Identities**  
**Location: Park**

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:  
Nathan Orgil  
Georgia Gwinnett College

“Negotiating Ethnicity: Diplomacy and the Demarcation of Europe’s Forgotten Borderland, 1913-1914”  
Christopher Kinley  
Ohio State University

“Border Temporalities and Discourses of ‘Romani’ Urban Residences,”  
Cristina Stoica  
Western University

“War Machines: Bicycles, Automobiles, and Airplanes in the Polish Lands during World War I”

Nathan Wood  
University of Kansas

**Friday, November 10:  
2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**33. Reconsidering Fascism in WWII**  
**Location: College**

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:  
David Redles  
Cuyahoga Community College

“Spanish Labor and Nazi Germany: Inspiration, Perspiration, and Desperation”  
Wayne Bowen  
University of Central Florida

~~“Luten Nea: Politicization of Young Women in Occupied Greece (1941-1944)”~~  
~~Cristina Stoica~~  
~~Western University~~

“First Shots: The Ustasha, Fascist Expansion, and the murders in Marseilles”  
Patrick Zander  
Georgia Gwinnett College

**Friday, November 10:  
2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**34. Imaginaries of a Post-War New Order**  
**Location: Park**

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:  
Lee Farrow  
Auburn University, Montgomery

“From Nuremberg to North Carolina: The Enduring History of Eugenics, 1945-1955”  
Ashley Low  
University of North Carolina, Greensboro

“German and Austrian Emigres in the U.S. Army and the Democratization of Postwar Germany”

Patricia Kollander  
Florida Atlantic University

~~“The Soviet Bloc and British Guiana: Archetype for the Bloc’s Goals in the Decolonizing World”~~

~~Robert Waters~~  
~~Ohio Northern University~~

**Saturday, November 11:  
9:30-11:00 A.M.**  
**Location: College**

**48. Pedagogy I: Digital Innovations in Inclusive 20th Century European Pedagogy**  
**Location: College**

CHAIR: Heather Perry  
University of North Carolina, Charlotte

“Incorporating Underrepresented Groups through Alternate Digital Assignments”  
Jennifer Miller  
Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville

“Innovative Assignments Using Digitized Collections”  
Melissa Kravetz  
Longwood University

“Experimenting with Edith Sheffer’s ‘Creating Lives Methodology’ in European History Courses”  
Brian Feltman  
Georgia Southern University

Comments and Discussion: Panel and Audience

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**49. Genocide in Comparative Context**  
Location: Park

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:

John Cox  
University of North Carolina,  
Charlotte

“Remembrance and Resistance: The Testimony and Memoir of Rachel Pinchowitz Litwak”

Andy Joshua  
Winchester Thurston School

“350 years of Jewish Life in America: 1700 years in Germany? Parallels and Differences between American and German Constructions of Jewish History”

Armin Langer  
University of Florida

“Indigenous Genocide in America”

Maverick Huneycutt  
University of North Carolina,  
Charlotte

**Saturday, November 11, 12:00-2:00 P.M.**

**61. EHS Business Meeting, Prize Announcements, and Mathews-Weinberg Address**  
Location: Providence III

PRESIDING:

David Redles, Vice Chair  
Cuyahoga Community College

“Governing Migration in the Ottoman Empire”

Ella Fratantuono  
University of North Carolina,  
Charlotte

**Saturday, November 11, 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**73. Pedagogy II: Bridging the European Knowledge Gap: Practical Pedagogy in the Post-Covid Era**

CHAIR:

Nathan Orgill  
Georgia Gwinnett College

“Teaching from the Bottom Up or Creating a “Negative Referent?: Incorporating European History into the Post-1500 World History Survey”

Victoria Hightower  
University of North Georgia

“Beyond Cheerful Peasants and Benevolent White Monarchs: Creating Complexity in the European History Survey”

Erica Johnson  
Francis Marion University

“Student Preparedness, Assessment and the Big Online Survey”

Eric Limbach  
Ohio State University

Comments and Discussion: Panel and Audience

**Saturday, November 10, 2:30-4:30 P.M.**

**74. Broadening Horizons in a Globalizing World**

CHAIR:

Peter Ferdinando  
University of North Carolina,  
Charlotte

“Gender and Sexual Diversity in Britain’s Royal Navy in the Age of Sail”

Seth Lajaq  
Duke University

“An Antique Pacific? Temporal Ethnographies and the Cook-Forster Collection”

Rhiannon Aiyana Hein  
University of Illinois

“Wanton Casey’s Time Abroad: A New Englander in Louis XVI’s France”

Hannah J. Francis  
University of Rhode Island

**Sunday, November 12, 9:00-11:00 A.M.**

**81. Religion: Mindset and Identity in Medieval and Early Modern Europe**

PRESIDING AND COMMENTING:

Gregory Bell  
Winthrop University

“Heresy, Discovery, and Mission: The Protestant Missionary Mindset in Colonial Era Europe”

James Owen  
University of Georgia

“Communal Identity at the Hospital of Saint John in Brussels”

Tiffany Ziegler  
Midwestern State University

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**Mimosa Grill**  
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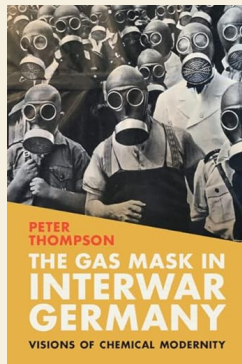




## Section Member News

publications, prizes, promotions, retirements

**Peter Thompson**, Lyman Briggs College at Michigan State University, published *The Gas Mask in Interwar Germany: Visions of Chemical Modernity* (Cambridge University Press, 2023).



**Astrid M. Eckert**, Emory University, is spending the 2023-24 academic year as a senior fellow at the Center for Advanced Study (*Wissenschaftskolleg*) in Greifswald.



**Tiffany Floral**, University of New Mexico, is the Joy Foundation Fellow at Harvard University's Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study for the 2023-24 academic year.



**Kyra Sanchez Clapper**, was appointed Assistant Professor of history at Bethel University of Tennessee.

**Wayne H. Bowen**, University of Central Florida, presented "Uneasy Allies: The Knights of Malta and the Spanish Habsburgs, 1530-1701," at the 3rd International Conference on the Military History of the Mediterranean Sea, at Ibn Haldun University, Istanbul, Turkey, June 26-28, 2023. On the same trip he conducted research at the American Research Institute-Turkey, and completed a tour of the Gallipoli Battlefield, the latter two in support of a future book project on the Spanish and Ottoman Empires in decline.



Wayne Bowen at the beachhead at Gallipoli  
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## European History Section of the Southern Historical Association

**DUES NOTICE**

\$40.00 regular with 1-year SHA affiliate	\$___
\$27.00 regular without SHA affiliate for SHA members	\$___
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