

3RD BOCA LONGA US HISTORY CONFERENCE



MARCH 24-26, 2022

**BU Hillel Conference Center
213 Bay State Road
Boston, MA 02215**

THURSDAY, MARCH 24

9:00 BREAKFAST AND WELCOME

9:15-10:45 DOUBLE WORKSHOP 1

- Mark Brilliant (Berkeley), "Gilded State: California and the Origins of America's New Gilded Age, 1966-1983"
- Kathy Olmsted and Eric Rauchway, co-authors (Davis), "Cocktail Colonialism: Rum in Modern U.S. Policy and Culture"

10:45-11 BREAK

11-12:30 PANEL 1 New Directions in 19th Century US History

- Nora Lessersohn (UCL), "The Sultan of New York: Entertainment and Diplomacy in Nineteenth-Century America (1818-1895)"
- Andy Robichaud (BU), "Frozen Time: The Political Economy of Dead Meat"
- Rebecca McLennan (Berkeley), "The Wild Life of Law: Survival, Planetary crisis, and Legal Reckoning in the context of the United States' Recolonization of Alaska after 1867"

12:30-1:30 LUNCH

1:30-3:00 PANEL 2 Law, Medicine and Psychiatry

- Ronit Stahl (Berkeley), "In 1861, Abraham Lincoln came to Washington. So did Providence Hospital": How Religious Hospitals Acquired Government Funding and Supreme Court Sanction—An Origin Story
- Kylie Smith (Emory), "Jim Crow in the Asylum: Psychiatry and Civil Rights in the American South"
- Charley Binkow (BU), "'She Forces Nature': Criminalizing Abortion in Nineteenth Century America"

3:00-3:30 BREAK + SNACK

3:30-5:45 MEET THE PROJECTS 1

1. Austin Steelman (Stanford), "Paper Gods: The Bible, the Constitution, and the Evangelical Revolt Against Modernity, 1923-1986."
2. Grace Goudiss (Berkeley), "Let Our Children Go: the Cult Phenomenon and American Politics, 1965-1994."
3. Robert Billups (Emory), "Mobilizing Against Klan Extremism: The White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan's Campaign of Terror in Meridian, Mississippi, 1967-1968."
4. Daniel Castaneda (Davis), "New Ideas and New Democrats: Democratic Party Infighting from 1972 to 1996."
5. Henry Tonks (BU), "Don't Stop Thinking About Tomorrow: Remaking American Liberalism in an Age of Crisis, 1972-1992."
6. Chris Sarjeant (UCL), "Forgotten Culture Wars: The Democratic Left and the Long 1990s."

7:00 CONFERENCE DINNER

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

9:00 BREAKFAST

9:15-10:45 DOUBLE WORKSHOP 2

- Paula Austin, (BU), "Thugs in Uniform or Why Must Such Extreme and Fatal Force Be Used': Black DC's Campaign to End Police Violence 1919 – 1970"
- Danny LaChance (Emory), "The Death Penalty in Black and White: Execution Coverage in Two Southern Newspapers, 1877-1936"

10:45-11 BREAK

11-12:30 PANEL 3 New Directions in 20th Century US History

- Pedro Regalado (Stanford), "From Familia to Market: Latinx Merchants and Neighborhood Sustenance in New York City, 1934-1969"
- Carl Suddler (Emory) "Dodgers and Delinquents: Jackie Robinson, Roy Campanella, and the Limits of Sports as Crime Prevention, 1948-1972"
- Joseph Crespino (Emory), "Forgetting Mrs. Tilly: Ecumenicism and Human Rights in Martin Luther King's Atlanta"

12:30-1:30 LUNCH

1:30-3:00 PANEL 4 Journalists in Strange Places

- Chris Daly (BU), "All Rights for All: An Antebellum Ideology of Liberation"
- Alex Goodall (UCL), "Carleton Beales in Nicaragua: Transnational Space and Anticolonial Resistance"
- James Campbell (Stanford), "From Neshoba County to the New York Times: The Pilgrimage of Turner Catledge"

3:00-3:15 BREAK + SNACK

3:30-5:45 MEET THE PROJECTS 2

1. Kyle Jackson (Berkeley), "Port of Call to Arms: New Orleans and the Greater Caribbean in the Long Nineteenth Century."
2. Nina Gonzalez (Davis), "Securing a White Race in a White Nation: Far Right Conspiracy Theories from Race Suicide to the Great Replacement."
3. Austin Clements (Stanford), "Religion and Reaction: The Rebirth of God in American Politics, 1890-1950."
4. Camille Goldman (Emory), "Tenuous Alliances: Tuskegee Institute and New Deal Political Bargaining for Alabama Black Belt Farmers."
5. Jeanna Kinnebrew (BU), "Sexuality, Philanthropy, and Social Control in Boston, 1928-1972"
6. Mitch Robertson (UCL), "The Afterlife of the Great Society"

5:30-7 RECEPTION WITH FOOD

BU Castle, 225 Bay State Road

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

9:00 BREAKFAST

9:15-10:45 DOUBLE WORKSHOP 3

- Theresa Iker (Stanford), "'These men are no longer open to dialogue': Shifting Alliances between Feminism, Men's Liberation, and Men's Rights in the 1970s."
- Stephen Colbrook (UCL), "Novel Viruses, Old Politics? Federalism and Pandemic Policymaking in an Age of 'Emerging Diseases'"

10:45-11 BREAK

11-12:30 PANEL 5 Conservative Intellectuals in the Late 20th Century

- Emily Hull (UCL), "Irving Kristol and the Democratic Idea: An Analysis of Neoconservative Attitudes to American Democracy"
- Jennifer Burns (Stanford), "Milton Friedman and the Irony of Inflation"

12:30-1:30 LUNCH AND FAREWELL