



The Pacific Northwest Borderlands
Museum of History and Industry, March 6, 2010

8:15 Registration

9:00-9:15: Welcome Address:

"The Pacific Northwest as Borderland and the Practice and Process of History"

Jon Olivera, Conference Coordinator

9:30-10:15: Shaping the Frontier, Making Civil Society: Women in the Northwest

"Narcissa Whitman: Lady at the Crossroads"

Karen Haas, Public Historian

"Here Come the Suffragists: The Role of the Mercer Girls in the Washington Woman Suffrage Movement"

Shanna Stevenson, Coordinator of the Washington Women's History Consortium

9:30-10:15: Sharing Space, Constructing Habitats: The Human-Animal Interface

"The Human-Animal Borderlands in Seattle"

Fred Brown, Candidate in History, University of Washington

"The Reindeer Expedition: Missionaries, Teachers, Reindeer Herders, Government Officials, and Indigenous Peoples of Alaska, 1890-1900"

Luci J. Baker, Freelance Writer and Historian

10:30-11:45 Workers, Unions, and Labor in the Northwest

"Our Bosses are the Same on Both Sides of the Border, So why Not Our Unions?": Rethinking the 49th Parallel in the History of Northwestern Woodworker Unionism"

Steven C. Beda, Candidate in History, University of Washington

"Farm Workers In Washington State History Project"

Maria Quintana, PhD Student, History, University of Washington; and Oscar Rosales-Castaneda, Writer, Scholar, Activist

"A New Paul Bunyan In the Woods: Weyerhaeuser's Japanese-American Workforce, 1917-1942"

Ken House, Archivist, National Archives and Records Administration

**12:00-1:15 Lunch- “Race, Wars, and State Power Across the Pacific”
Professor Moon-Ho Jung, University of Washington**

1:30-3:00 Native Settler Negotiations

“The Power of Wickanannish Ends Here” : Indigenous Marine Borderlands in the Late-Eighteenth Century”

Josh Reid, Professor of History, University of Massachusetts, Boston

“Murder at Butler Cove”

Drew Crooks, Museologist

“Children of the Fur Trade: The Forgotten Metis of the Pacific Northwest”

John Jackson, Public Historian

“Washington Territory’s Frenchtowns and Relocation to the Reservations”

Robert Foxcurran, Procurement Agent and Project Historian for Boeing (retired)

1:30-3:00 Trans-Pacific Connections

“Emory Bogardus and His Brown Disciples: Filipino American’s ‘Benevolent Assimilation’ to the United States”

Joe Bernardo, PhD Student, History, University of Washington

“Imperial Forestry, National Forests: U.S. Forest Policy in the Pacific Northwest and the Philippines, 1898-1919”

Nathan Roberts, Candidate in History, University of Washington

“Missiles of Peace”

Robert Ketcherside, Independent Scholar

“The Kanaka Connection”

Junius Rochester, Independent Scholar, Radio Personality on KUOW-FM

3:15-4:30 Traders, Smugglers, Commodities and Contraband: Business in the Borderlands

“The 19th Century Opium Trade in the Pacific Northwest”

Bennet Bronson and Chumei Ho, Chinese in Northwest America Research Committee

“Borders, Boundaries and Jewish Merchants”

Julia Niebuhr Eulenberg, Independent Scholar (paper presented by Mike Eulenberg)

“Halcyon: The Notorious Smuggling Schooner”

Trish Hackett Nicola, Independent Scholar, Family Historian

4:30-5:30 Light Refreshments