

**Fifty-fourth Annual Midwest Archaeological Conference
Preliminary Program
October 15-19, 2008**

Hyatt Regency Hotel
333 West Kilbourn Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53203

Wednesday October 15, 2008

7:00-9:00 PM Early Registration and Reception at the Hyatt Regency
Cash Bar, soft drinks available.

Thursday October 16, 2008

Thursday Morning

Enjoy the city. Milwaukee Public Museum, Art Museum, Discovery Center are all nearby.

Thursday Afternoon

Noon: Registration

1:30-4:30 PM Symposium: *Human Bone as Cultural Object: A Midwestern Perspective*

1:30-4:30 PM Hands-on Workshop: *Early Woodland Material Culture*, organized by Wagner; Ernie Boszhardt; Benden; Perkl; Burks; Butler; Emerson; Collins; Conner; Martin; Mocas; Green; Brashler; Vogel; Langseth; Koenen; Gibbon

1:30-3:00 PM General Session: *Paleoindian and Archaic Period Research*

Skibo and Drake; Benn; Winkler; Millhouse and Hedman;

3:15-4:45 PM Movie Showing: *Lost Nation: The Ioway*, running time 57 minutes, discussion afterward lead by William Green.

5:30-7:00 Cash Bar reception. Music provided by the Screaming Pattersons, traditional and modern bluegrass and Celtic inspired band.

7:00-9:00 PM *The Archaeology of Brewing*. **At the Discovery Center**. Presented by Kevin Cullen. MAC participants receive \$5.00 discount.

Friday October 17, 2008

Friday Morning

8:30 Registration

9:00-11:00 AM Symposium: *Eastern Wisconsin Oneota: New Developments from Lake Koshkonong*

9:00-10:00 AM General Session: *Contact and Early Historic Period Research*
Martin; Green and Schwartz; Durst; Esarey

9:00 AM-12:00 PM Poster Symposium: *The Driftless Area and Beyond - Paleoindian, Archaic and Woodland Archaeology: Current Research in Western Wisconsin and Eastern Minnesota*

10:15AM-12:00 PM General Session: *Approaches to Outreach and Public Archaeology*
Schurr; Nagel et al; Hollinger; VanderVeen & Repczynski; Galloy et al.; Yancey & Galloy; Toth

10:15AM-11:45 PM General Session: *Historic Period Research*
Branstner; Strezewski; Reckner; Harl and Machiran; Franzer and Drake; Coon

12:00-1:30 PM Lunch Break

Friday Afternoon

1:30-4:45 PM Symposium: *Hebior to Hanson: David F. Overstreet Retrospective Symposium in Honor of a Wisconsin Archaeological Icon*

1:30-3:00 PM General Session: *Middle Woodland/Hopewell Period Research*
Evans et al; Tankersley; Byers; Lynnot; McConaughy

1:30-4:00 PM General Session: *Approaches to GIS and Remote Sensing*
Kullen; Surface-Evans; Gartner; Wells et al; Vogel; Collins and Whittaker; Wyatt; Betzenhauser; Dempsey; Evans et al.

1:30-4:30 PM Poster Symposium: *The Driftless Area and Beyond - Woodland, Mississippian, Oneota and Protohistoric Archaeology. Current Research in Western Wisconsin and Eastern Minnesota*

3:15-4:15 PM General Session: *Experimental Archaeology and Artifact Analysis*
Wendt and Romano; Halsey; Michlovic; Haeuptle and Kennedy

3:15-4:30 PM Movie Showing: *Lost Nation: The Ioway*, running time 57 minutes, discussion afterward lead by William Green.

5:00 PM Wisconsin Archaeological Survey Business Meeting

6:00 PM Wisconsin Archeological Society Business Meeting

7:00-9:00 PM Reception sponsored by Wisconsin Archeological Society. Complimentary, hors d'oeuvres, draft beer and soft drinks. Cash Bar.

Saturday October 18, 2008

Saturday Morning

8:30 AM Registration

9:00 AM-12:00 PM Symposium: *Symposium in Honor of Margaret B. Holman*

9:00-10:30 AM General Session: *Upper Mississippian Research*

Jackson; Nolan and Cook; Schirmer; Koziarski

9:00-10:00 AM General Session: *Approaches to Iconography and Symbolism*

Altizer and Baumann; Thomas; Maden; Daniels & McElrath

10:30 AM-12:00 PM General Session: *Middle Mississippian Research*

Schroeder; Belknap; Betzenhauser and Zych ; Schilling; Machiran and Harl; Brown et al.; Kelly; Baltus and Kruchten

10:30 AM-12:00 PM Workshop *Midcontinental Journal of Archaeology*

9:00 AM-12:00PM Poster Session *Public Archaeology*

Hildebrandt and Langseth; Spott; Berkson; Cullen; Gaff et al.; Bennet et al.;

12:00-1:30 PM Lunch Break

1:30-4:30 PM Symposium: *Since Aztalan Revisited: Recent Advances in the Archaeology of the Aztalan Site and Cahokia's Northern Hinterland*

1:30-3:00 PM General Session: *Research in Bioarchaeology*

Hatch et al.; Spencer; Smith; King; Raff et al.

1:30-4:30 PM Symposium: *Investigation and Relocation of the Wright-Whitesell-Gentry Cemetery, a Rural Mid-late Nineteenth Century Extended Family Cemetery in Indianapolis*

1:30-4:30 PM Poster Session: *Late Prehistoric and Fur Trade Research*

Shockey; O'Gorman et al.; Tempesta; Gulden and Sasso; Doershuk and Resnick

3:15-4:15 PM General Session: *Late Woodland Period Research*

Kuehn; Bukowski; Roseborough; Zelin; Naunapper

4:30-5:30 MAC Business Meeting

5:00-6:00 PM Cash Bar (including soft drinks)

6:00-8:00 PM MAC Banquet and Speaker: John P. Hart *Pots, Maize, and Longhouses: Reflections on the Evolution of the Northern Iroquoians:*

Sunday October 19, 2008

10:00-11:30AM A Tour of Aztalan by Robert Birmingham. Complimentary light lunch courtesy of Friends of Aztalan State Park.