"Challenges and Opportunities"

Association of Librarians and Archivists at Baptist Institutions Annual Meeting Program

Hybrid Meeting June 27-28, 2022

Southern Baptist Convention Building 901 Commerce Street Nashville, Tennessee 37203

In-person program sessions held in Conference Room #250 Zoom links sent prior to meeting

Monday, June 27

| 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm | Pre-Conference Workshop Acquisitions and Donor Relations | Myers Brown |
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| 3:30 pm – 4:00 pm | Keynote Address "Courtship and Engagement: Before the I Do's in Archive Donations and Digitization Funding" | Kathy Hillman |
| 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm | Q&A with Keynote Speaker | |
| 6:00 pm 7:00 pm | Dinner @ Loveless Café Included with in-person registration Inside and outside dining options available | |

Tuesday, June 28

| 8:15 am | Welcome | | |
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| 8:20 am – 9:00 am | Session A: Impact of COVID on Baptist Libraries and Archives | Moderator: Priscilla Eppinger Jeffry Archer Selicia Allen Jill Botticelli | |
| 9:05 am – | Session B: Creeting Community: Exploring Stretagies | Moderator: Steve Gateley | |
| 9:45 am | Creating Community: Exploring Strategies | Robert Burgess | |
| | For Effective Library Institutional Relations | Jonathan McCormick | |

| 9:45 am – 10:00 am | Break | | |
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| 10:00 am – 10:45 am | Session C: What Does That Say? Challenges of Handwritten Manuscripts, and Foreign Language Archival Resources | Moderator: | Becky Hyde Jonathan Lawler Jenny Manesco Scott Peterson |
| 10:50 am – 11:40 am | Session D: New and Improved: Renovating and Remodeling Baptist Libraries and Archives | Moderator: | Heather Moore Matt Millsap Daniel Williams Adam Winters |
| 11:40 am – 1:00 pm | Lunch. Box lunches from Jimmy Johns Provided by SBHLA | | |
| | Devotional | | Bill Sumners |
| | Challenge and Opportunities, Reflections | | Liz Wells |
| 1:00 pm – 1:45 pm | Session E: Southern Baptist Periodical Index: Review | | Eldonna Deweese |
| 1:45 pm – 2:00 pm | Break | | |
| 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm | Collection Updates | | Jill Botticelli |
| 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm | Business Meeting | | |
| 3:15 pm – 4:00 pm | Tour, Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archiv | ves | |

Program Participants

- Allen, Selicia. Archivist and Special Collections Librarian, Virginia Union University, Richmond, Virginia.
- Archer, Jeffry. Dean of University Libraries, Baylor University, Waco, Texas.
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- Brown, Myers. Director of Archival Technical Services, Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.
- Burgess, Robert. Assistant Library Director and Electronic Resources Librarian, Mississippi College, Clinton, Mississippi.
- Deweese, Eldonna. Editor, Southern Baptist Periodical Index, Southwest Baptist University, Bolivor, Missouri.
- Eppinger, Priscilla. Executive Director, American Baptist Historical Society, Atlanta, Georgia. Gateley, Steve. Librarian, Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.
- Hillman, Kathy. Associate Professor and Director of Baptist Collections and Library Advancement; and Director of the Keston Center for Religion, Politics, and Society, Libraries, Baylor University, Waco, Texas.
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- Lawler, Jonathan. Archivist and Digital Collections Manager, Library, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, North Carolina.
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- McCormick, Jonathan. Director of Library Services, Gateway Seminary, Ontario, California.
- Millsap, Matt. Director of Library Services, Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri.
- Moore, Heather. Head of Special Collections, Leland Speed Library, Mississippi College, Clinton, Mississippi.
- Peterson, Scott. Director of Global Research, International Mission Board, Southern Baptist Convention, Richmond, Virginia.
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