

Program

Thursday, October 22, 2009

12:00 P.M. Buses depart from Barton Hill Hotel and the Crowne Plaza Hotel for Old Fort Niagara. You should eat lunch before boarding the bus; the fort has no restaurant or snack bar.

12:30 **Registration.** Visitor Center, Old Fort Niagara.

1:00–1:30 **Special Lecture**
Visitor Center Auditorium, Old Fort Niagara

Chair: Ronald Hoffman, Omohundro Institute of Early American
History and Culture

Fort Niagara in the Seven Years' War
Brian Leigh Dunnigan, William L. Clements Library

1:30–2:30 Tours of Old Fort Niagara

2:15–2:45 Refreshments. Courtyard, French Castle

2:45–5:15 **Welcome**
Third Floor, French Castle, Old Fort Niagara

Thomas A. Chambers, Niagara University
David Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Brock University

Session I: Dangerous Peoples

Chair: Christopher Hodson, Brigham Young University

Acadia and Its Place in European History
Stephan Steiner, Sigmund Freud University

*Saint Domingue and the Seven Years' War: Redefining the Place of Free Colored
Soldiers in the French Caribbean*
John Garrigus, University of Texas, Arlington

*The Bounties of Wartime Insecurity: Slave Revolt and Its Suppression in Jamaica
during the Seven Years' War*
Maria Alessandra Bollettino, University of Texas, Austin

“La Derniere Goute de Mon Sang”: *The Sacred Duty of French Officers and Their Rejection of Amerindian Allies*

Julia Osman, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Comment: Timothy Shannon, Gettysburg College

5:15–5:30 **Break**

5:30–6:15 **Keynote Address**

Chair: David Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Brock University

Empire and Power in the Eighteenth Century

Dominic Lieven, London School of Economics

6:30–7:30 **Reception.** First floor, French Castle, Old Fort Niagara

7:30 Buses will return to the hotels anyone who does not wish to attend the dinner that follows the reception.

8:00–10:00 **Dinner.** Lewiston Room, Barton Hill Hotel
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10:00 Buses depart for the Crowne Plaza Hotel.

Friday, October 23, 2009

8:30 A.M. Buses leave the Crowne Plaza Hotel and Barton Hill Hotel for Niagara University.

9:00 **Registration.** Atrium, first floor, Bisgrove Academic Complex, Niagara University. Coffee will be available for purchase at the refreshment bar in the Atrium.

9:30 A.M. **Welcome.** Dr. Bonnie Rose, Executive Vice President/Vice President for Academic Affairs, Niagara University

9:45 A.M. –12:00 P.M. **Session II: Confronting Prussia**
Rooms 350—351, third floor, Bisgrove Academic Complex. All Friday sessions will take place in Rooms 350–351.

Chair: Dennis Showalter, Colorado College

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William O'Reilly, University of Cambridge

Seven Years' War (1756–1763) and Its Influence on the Croatian-Slovenian Kingdom and Military Border
Hrvoje Petric, University of Zagreb

Debt, War, and Politics: Sweden and the Seven Years' War
Patrik Winton, Uppsala University

Image of Frederick the Great in Weimar and Nazi-era Film
Martina Lüke, University of Connecticut

Comment: Dennis Showalter

12:00–1:00 **Lunch.** Castellani Art Museum, Niagara University. Reservations and payment must be made in advance using either the printed Conference Registration Form found in this brochure or the online version at <http://oieahc.wm.edu/conferences/contest/registration.cfm>. There will be no refunds for cancellations received after October 16, 2009.

1:00–3:30 **Session III: Survival amid Global Conflict**

Chair: Daniel Samson, Brock University

"So Much Business on My Hands": Medicine, Gender, and War in Charlotte Browne's Journal
Sarah Fatherly, Otterbein College

"[T]o protect them and their Wives and Children": Englishmen, Indian Headmen, and the Gendered Rhetoric of Homeland Security
Michelle LeMaster, Lehigh University

The Caring Fiscal-Military State: Disease and the British Armed Forces during the Seven Years' War
Erica M. Charters, University of Liverpool

Consequences of Success
Everett Dague, Benedictine College

Comment: Daniel Samson

3:30–3:45 **Break.** Refreshments will be available for purchase in the Atrium.

3:45–5:45 **Session IV: Reflections and Perspectives—War and the Shaping of Identities**

Chair: Fred Anderson, University of Colorado, Boulder

Alain Laberge, Université Laval
Desmond Morton, McGill University
Matt Schumann, Eastern Michigan University
Franz Szabo, University of Alberta

6:00–6:30 **Distinguished Lecture**

Chair: John Sainsbury, Brock University

The Seven Years War and the Locomotive of History
Hamish M. Scott, University of St. Andrews

6:30–7:30 **Reception**, Fourth Floor, St. Vincent's Hall

Welcome by Joseph L. Levesque, C.M., President, Niagara University

7:30 Buses will return to Barton Hill Hotel and the Crowne Plaza. Dinner is on your own. You will find a list of restaurants located in Niagara Falls and in Lewiston, New York, in your conference packet.

Saturday, October 24

7:00 A.M. Buses depart the Crowne Plaza Hotel and Barton Hill Hotel for Brock University.
PLEASE BE ON TIME AND BRING YOUR PASSPORT!

8:30 **Registration and coffee** outside Rooms 203–204, Academic South, Walker Complex, Brock University. All Saturday conference sessions will be held in this location.

9:00 A.M.–12:30 P.M. **Session V: Global Theaters of Operations**

Chair: Thomas A. Chambers, Niagara University

After the Siege: Commerce, Slavery, and Political Loyalties in British Havana
Elena Andrea Schneider, Princeton University

For the King: British Recruitment of Slaves in the Leeward Islands for Service during the Seven Years' War
David Barry Gaspar, Duke University

Siege Mentalities: Aspects of British Expansion into East Asia before, during, and after the Seven Years' War
JoAnne Mancini, National University of Ireland, Maynooth

Break. Refreshments can be purchased at the Academic South food court.

The Iberian War of 1762
Patrick Speelman, The Citadel

“True to their Salt”: Mechanisms for Recruiting and Retaining Foreign Personnel
Robert Johnson, Oxford University

Comment: Paul W. Mapp, College of William and Mary

12:30–1:30 **Lunch.** On your own. Food may be purchased at the Academic South food court.

1:30–4:00 **Session VI: Geographic Challenges of Global War**

Chair: David Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Brock University

Pivotal Catalyst: The Seven Years’ War and the Anglo-French Scramble for West Africa up to 1900
David Aworawo, University of Lagos

Mobilizing the Nation: The Small Print of Global War
Rosalin Barker, University of Hull

Surveyors of Empire: Holland, Des Barres, and the Atlantic Neptune
Stephen Hornsby, University of Maine

Astride the Military Cultural Divide: Russia and the Seven Years’ War
Bruce W. Menning, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Comment: David Schimmelpenninck van der Oye

4:00–4:15 **Break.** Refreshments can be purchased at the Academic South food court.

4:15–6:15 **Session VII: Reflections and Perspectives—The Dynamics of Geopolitics**

Chair: Elizabeth Mancke, University of Akron

Daniel Baugh, Cornell University
Jonathan Dull, Yale University
Ian Steele, University of Western Ontario
Philip Stern, Duke University

6:30–7:00 **Distinguished Lecture**

Chair: Ronald Hoffman, Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture

The Seven Years' War in India: European Rivalries and Indian State-Building
P. J. Marshall, King's College London, emeritus

- 7:00–8:00 **Reception**, Balcony, Pond Inlet
Welcome by Jack Ludstone, President, Brock University
- 8:00 Buses will take those not attending dinner back to their hotels.
- 8:00–10:00 **Dinner**, Pond Inlet
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- 10:00 Buses depart for the hotels.

Sunday, October 25

Departures