

AAHGS-PGCM

Sixteenth Annual Juneteenth Seminar



Footprints and Roots

Saturday, June 18, 2022
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)

SPACE IS LIMITED

Registration required by June 15, 2022.

For more information, call Carolyn Rowe (301) 292-2751 or Jane Thomas (301) 292-1207.

To access the registration form please visit our website and click on RSVP to register.

<https://www.pgcm-aahgs.org/events/juneteenth>

Or visit: <https://www.pgparcs.com/juneteenth>

This FREE virtual community event is sponsored jointly by the Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society, Inc.-Prince George's County, Maryland Chapter (AAHGS-PGCM), the Prince George's County Historical Society and the Chairman of the Prince George's County Planning Board, Peter A. Shapiro.

PRESENTERS

Keynote Address: "Juneteenth: More Than A Celebration"



Frazine K. Taylor is a former Peace Corps volunteer and administrator who served in the Fiji Islands and traveled extensively in the South Pacific before she obtained her master's degree in Information Studies from Atlanta University. She has over twenty-years' experience as a librarian, archivist, lecturer and writer and has received numerous awards during her career including Employee of the Year from the Alabama State Employee Association. She is the former Head of Reference for the Alabama Department of Archives and History (ADAH), where she was an expert on Alabama records.

Ms. Taylor is a member of the Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society, Inc. (AAHGS) and serves on the Editorial Board of the Society's Journal. She is the President of the Elmore County Association of Black Heritage, Chair of the Black Heritage Council of the Alabama Historical Commission, a member of the Black Belt African American Genealogical Historical Society, and of the Society of Alabama Archivists and serves on the Board of Directors of the Alabama Historical Association. Ms. Taylor is the author of *Researching African American Genealogy in Alabama: A Resource Guide* (2008). She researched Tom Joyner's and Linda Johnson Rice's family roots and ties to Alabama for the PBS series, *African American Lives 2*.

Workshop: Finding Pictures: African Americans In The Military



Jon Eaker has worked at the Library of Congress for fifteen years, the last twelve of those years were in the Prints & Photographs Division. He is currently a reference librarian, with a specialization in military and technological images.



Melissa Lindberg is a reference librarian in the Prints & Photographs Division at the Library of Congress. She works primarily with collection material that relates to American social history, covering a broad cross section of visual formats and periods.

Workshop: "What's Done in the Dark: DNA Doesn't Lie"



Renate Yarborough Sanders is an experienced genealogy educator, who descends from formerly enslaved ancestors, as well as enslavers and free people of color, all of whom hail from North Carolina. Renate authors two blogs, a funeral program database, belongs to several genealogical/historical organizations, and co-hosts a North Carolina genealogy platform.

Workshop: "Searching the 1950 U.S. Census on MyHeritage"



Daniel Horowitz, dedicated to Genealogy since 1986, Daniel was the teacher and the study guide editor of the family history project "Searching for My Roots" in Venezuela for fifteen years. He was a board member of The International Association of Jewish Genealogical Societies (IAJGS) for ten years. Now he is involved in several crowdsource digitization and transcription projects, and holds a board-level position at The Israel Genealogy Research Association (IGRA). Since 2006 Daniel has been working at MyHeritage liaising with genealogy societies, bloggers, and media, as well as lecturing, and attending conferences around the world.

In April 2022, the 1950 U.S. Federal Census records were finally made public. Daniel will show you how to search this important collection on MyHeritage and use tools such as the Census Helper™ to make your research easier.

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