



NATIONAL HUMANITIES CONFERENCE

INDIANAPOLIS, IN | OCT. 25-29



National Humanities Conference 2023

Schedule at a Glance as of September 20

Marriott Indianapolis Downtown - 350 WEST MARYLAND STREET
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA, USA, 46225

*All times listed in Eastern I * Advance registration I ** Advance Registration & Fee*

Start Time	End Time	Event
WEDNESDAY October 18th (VIRTUAL)		
11:00 AM		Helpdesk opens @ events@statehumanities.org
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	Virtual Concurrent Sessions
2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Virtual Concurrent Sessions
2:00 PM	3:30 PM	Digital and Multi-Platform Fundraising**
4:00 PM	5:30 PM	Virtual Concurrent Session
THURSDAY October 19th (VIRTUAL)		
10:30 AM		Helpdesk opens @ events@statehumanities.org
12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Virtual Concurrent Sessions
12:00 PM	1:30 PM	Giving Trends by Race, Gender, and Generation**
1:45 PM	2:45 PM	Virtual Concurrent Sessions
3:05 PM	4:05 PM	Virtual Concurrent Sessions
4:30 PM	6:00 PM	Virtual Plenary: Governing the Ethical Future of AI: A Conversation on AI and Humanities
WEDNESDAY, October 25th		
8:30 AM	4:30 PM	Columbus, Indiana: Mapping a Future through Modernism Tour **
10:00 AM	12:00 PM	Pre-Conference Session - The Humanities & Mass Incarceration: A Convening Kickoff
10:00 AM	2:30 PM	A Visit to the Promised Land: Conner Prairie's Examination of African American Faith Ways Tour **
10:00 AM	3:00 PM	Council Grants & Program Staff Pre-conference: Humanities in Action in the Circle City **
12:00 PM	6:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
1:00 PM	5:00 PM	Pacific Islands Humanities Network Convening
3:00 PM	6:00 PM	Humanities Council & Libraries 250th Working Session (Invited Group)
3:00 PM	5:00 PM	Athletic Humanities: A Tour of the NCAA Museum **
4:30 PM	6:30 PM	Crown Hill Cemetery Tour: Tales Among the Tombstones **
5:00 PM	8:00 PM	Out in Indy: An LGBTQ+ History Bar Crawl *
5:45 PM	8:30 PM	Three Chaplains and Arab Indianapolis: Reception and Film Screening*
THURSDAY, October 26th		

8:00 AM	5:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
8:00 AM	5:00 PM	Designated Quiet Space
8:00 AM	9:45 AM	Museum on Main Street Forum
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Ambling down the Avenue: A Walk Along Indiana Avenue with Through2Eyes Tour**
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Decoding Downtown: Walking Tour with Indiana Landmarks**
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Native Visions: Exploring the Tapestry of Indianapolis's Indigenous Art Tour**
9:15 AM	9:45 AM	Coffee Break - Sponsored by IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy
9:45 AM	10:30 AM	Purposeful Boards, Powerful Fundraising**
10:00 AM	11:30 AM	Extended Concurrent Sessions
10:00 AM	11:30 AM	Unmasked: The Anti-Lynching Exhibit of 1935 and Community Remembrance in Indiana*
10:00 AM	1:00 PM	Cultivating Community, Kindness & Joy: On-the-ground with The Learning Tree and PA Humanities*
10:45 AM	11:30 AM	Effective Marketing, Successful Fundraising**
11:30 AM	12:45 PM	<i>Lunch on Your Own</i>
11:30 AM	12:30 PM	Ambling down the Avenue: A Walk Along Indiana Avenue with Through2Eyes Tour**
11:55 AM	12:45 PM	LGBTQIA+ Affinity Group Lunch
12:45 PM	2:15 PM	Extended Concurrent Sessions (Council Communications Constituent Group)
2:15 PM	2:30 PM	<i>Coffee Break</i>
2:30 PM	4:00 PM	Constituent Groups
4:10 PM	5:05 PM	Welcome to New Conference Attendees
5:15 PM	6:30 PM	Opening Plenary featuring American Library Association executive director Tracie Hall
6:30 PM	7:00 PM	<i>Travel offsite (5 min walk / 2 min accessibility bus)</i>
7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Opening Reception at the Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art

FRIDAY, October 27th

7:30 AM	4:30 PM	Registration Desk Open
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	Breakfast & Caffeinated Connections
9:00 AM	9:55 AM	Concurrent Sessions
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Ambling down the Avenue: A Walk Along Indiana Avenue with Through2Eyes Tour**
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Decoding Downtown: Walking Tour with Indiana Landmarks**
9:00 AM	11:00 AM	Humanizing Asylum Patients at the Indiana Medical History Museum*
9:55 AM	10:15 AM	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:15 AM	11:10 AM	Concurrent Sessions
11:10 AM	11:30 AM	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 AM	12:25 PM	Concurrent Sessions
11:30 AM	1:30 PM	Headscarf Story Circle Tea Gathering*
12:25 PM	2:00 PM	<i>Lunch on Your Own</i>
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	Decoding Downtown: Walking Tour with Indiana Landmarks**
12:50 PM	1:50 PM	People of Color and Indigenous Affinity Group Lunch
2:00 PM	2:55 PM	Concurrent Sessions
2:55 PM	3:15 PM	<i>Coffee Break</i>
3:15 PM	4:05 PM	Concurrent Sessions
4:05 PM	4:45 PM	<i>Travel offsite (20 min walk / 5 min accessibility bus)</i>
4:45 PM	5:05 PM	Schwartz Prize Presentation at the Madam Walker Legacy Center

5:05 PM	5:15 PM	<i>Intermission</i>
5:15 PM	6:30 PM	Capps Lecture at the Madam Walker Legacy Center: A'Lelia Bundles in conversation with Tyrone McKinley Freeman
6:30 PM		Regional Group Dinners
SATURDAY, October 28th		
8:00 AM	4:00 PM	Registration Desk Open
8:00 AM	8:45 AM	Breakfast & Hosted Conversations
8:45 AM	9:45 AM	Address from NEH Chair Shelly Lowe
10:00 AM	11:00 AM	Ambling down the Avenue: A Walk Along Indiana Avenue with Through2Eyes Tour**
10:00 AM	10:55 AM	Concurrent Sessions
10:55 AM	11:15 AM	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11:15 AM	12:10 PM	Concurrent Sessions
12:10 PM	1:30 PM	<i>Lunch on Your Own</i>
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	Ambling down the Avenue: A Walk Along Indiana Avenue with Through2Eyes Tour **
1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Extended Concurrent Sessions (Federation Annual Business Meeting)
1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Making the Humanities More Sustainable in Hard Times: Scholarly Editions as a Case-Study*
3:00 PM	3:20 PM	<i>Coffee Break</i>
3:20 PM	4:15 PM	Concurrent Sessions
4:30 PM	5:45 PM	Closing Plenary featuring Poet Adrian Matejka and Jazz Saxophonist Rob Dixon
5:45 PM	6:15 PM	<i>Travel to offsite (7 min walk / 2 min accessibility bus)</i>
6:15 PM	7:45 PM	Closing Reception & NHC 24 Providence, Rhode Island Kick Off at the Indiana State Museum
SUNDAY, October 29th		
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Artful Steps: Taking a Census of the Circle City's Public Art Tour **
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Native Visions: Exploring the Tapestry of Indianapolis's Indigenous Art Tour**
9:15 AM	1:00 PM	We Got a Fast Car: Exploring the History and Tradition of the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Tour**