Preliminary Program Schedule for Society for Military History Annual Conference 2015

FRIDAY, 10 APRIL

SESSION 1: 0830-1000

PANEL 1-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
FROM SMALL WARS TO GREAT WAR: THE IMPACT OF IRREGULAR WARFARE ON CONVENTIONAL WARFARE FOR THE FRENCH, BRITISH, AND AMERICAN MILITARIES

Chair: Sebastian Lukasik, Air Command and Staff College

The Indian Army and the Transition to ‘Conventional’ Warfare in Mesopotamia, 1914-1916
Nikolas Gardner, Royal Military College of Canada

The Influence of Colonial Warfare on French Commanders in the Great War
William T. Dean III, Air Command and Staff College

The Impact of Irregular Warfare upon the Great War: The American Experience
Steven Masternak, United States Air Force

Comments: Graydon (Jack) A. Tunstall, University of South Florida

PANEL 1-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
PERFECTING THE ELEVATOR TALK AND PUBLISHING IN MILITARY HISTORY: A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Chair: Mary Elizabeth Walters, University of North Carolina

Jay Dew, Texas A&M University Press

Deborah Gershenowitz, Cambridge University Press

Brandon Proia, University of North Carolina Press

Stephen Wrinn, University Press of Kentucky
PANEL 1-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
AMERICAN AMATEURS: POLITICAL GENERALSHIP IN THE ARMIES OF THE UNITED STATES FROM 1812 TO 1865

Chair: Michael Bonura, U.S. Army

Bungled Battlefields in the War of 1812: The Leadership of Generals Hull, Van Rensselaer, and Winder
Peter Aschenbrenner, Purdue University

Competing for the Halls of the Montezumas: Gaining the Appointment to Lead the Mexico City Campaign
Chris Menking, University of North Texas

Little Better than Murder: The Mentorship of Political Generals during the Early Campaigns of the Civil War, 1861-1862
Eric Smith, University of North Texas

Comments: Richard McCaslin, University of North Texas

PANEL 1-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
COURTS AND CRIMINALITY IN THE U.S. MILITARY

Chair: Lorien Foote, Texas A&M University

Preserving Good Order and Discipline—The Debate Over the Creation of the Uniform Code of Military Justice
Carl J. Horn, National Defense University

Paradise Lost: Race, Riot and the U.S. Military in World War II Hawai‘i
Allison Gough, Hawai‘i Pacific University

Alabama Supreme Court Decisions on Habeas Corpus Petitions, 1861-1865
Mitchell McNaylor, Calhoun Community College

Comments: Donald MacCuish, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 1-E
ROOM: RIVER 1  
U.S. ARMY SCHOOLS: PROFESSION, MISSION, AND RACE

Chair: Samuel J. Watson, U.S. Military Academy

The Professional Dragoon: The Cavalry School of Practice at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania, 1838-1842  
Durwood Ball, University of New Mexico

Field Artillery Education in the Interwar Doldrums  
Eugenia C. Kiesling, U.S. Military Academy

When Jim Crow Faced a New Army: Revisiting World War II and the Desegregation of the United States Military  
Robert F. Jefferson, Jr., University of New Mexico

Comments: Tony R. Mullis, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

PANEL 1-F  
ROOM: RIVER 3
WARFARE IN EAST AND NORTHEAST ASIA, 1894-1945

Chair: Robyn Rodriguez, Joint POW/MIA Accountability Office

“With Fate against Them, and Handicapped by Corruption, Treachery and Incompetence on Shore. . .”: Qing Defeat at the Battle of the Yalu River, 17 September 1894  
Terry Beckenbaugh, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Chinese Gunboat Diplomacy: The 1911 Torreon Massacre and Contemporary Chinese Online Nationalism  
Eric Setzekorn, George Washington University

The Dogma of Japan’s Inevitable Defeat: Tracing the Roots  
Michael Myers, Washington State University

General George C. Marshall’s Diplomatic Trip to China, December 1945  
Lawrence X. Clifford, Independent Scholar

Comments: Hal Friedman, Henry Ford College
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PANEL 1-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
A SHOUT IN THE HEAVENS: FORGING THE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY OF AIR POWER FROM WORLD WAR I TO THE VIETNAM WAR

Chair: Gregory A. Daddis, U.S. Military Academy

The Problems of Air-to-Ground Communication/Cooperation in the AEF
Lawrence Mitchell Burke, II, Carnegie Mellon University

The All-Seeing Eyeball: The Technological Culture behind Air Superiority in the Vietnam War
Mike Hankins, Kansas State University

Flying the Friendly Skies: Air America Operations in Laos
J. Michael Ferguson, University of North Texas

Comments: S. Michael Pavelec, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

PANEL 1-H
ROOM: RIVER 7

Chair: Jennifer Keene, Chapman University

“Hopelessly Ignorant of Our Self-Governing Colonies”: The New Australian Army, Imperial Defense, and the Colonial Conference of 1902
Craig Stockings, University of New South Wales

Command of the Canadian Militia in an Era of Nationalist Imperialism
James Wood, Okanagan College

The Admiralty, the Dominions, and International Maritime Law, 1902-1914
John C. Mitcham, Samford University

Comments: Nicholas Murray, Naval War College
COFFEE BREAK: 1000-1030

SESSION 2: 1030-1200

PANEL 2-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
DE-MYSTIFYING THE HIRING PROCESS: THE VIEW FROM THE OTHER SIDE OF THE TABLE: A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Chair: William Allison, Georgia Southern University

Kurt Hackemer, University of South Dakota

Jennifer Keene, Chapman University

Kyle Zelner, University of Southern Mississippi

PANEL 2-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
MARKETING G.I. JOE: U.S. ARMY PUBLIC RELATIONS IN THE MAD MEN ERA

Chair: Jacqueline E. Whitt, Air War College

Something to Compete with Gunsmoke: “The Big Picture” Television Series and the Mission of Selling a “Modern, Progressive, and Forward Thinking” Army to Cold War America
Jeffrey Crean, Texas A&M University

U.S. Army Training in the Long 1950s: Image and Reality
William Donnelly, Center of Military History

Selling the Atomic Army: The U.S. Army and the Media in the 1950s
Brian M. Linn, Texas A&M University

Comments: Lisa Mundey, St. Thomas University

PANEL 2-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
POLICIES AND NATIONAL SECURITY POLICY IN THE EARLY AMERICAN REPUBLIC, 1794-1824

Chair: William B. Skelton, University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point

Towards a Federalist Grand Strategy?: Contextualizing the Quasi-War in the Revolutionary Atlantic
Andrew Forney, U.S. Military Academy

Building the American Military Nation: The West Point Mutiny of 1817 and Republican Defense Policy
Jonathan Romaneski, U.S. Military Academy

The Rip-Raps Affair and the Breakdown of National Republican Consensus
Andrew J. B. Fagal, Princeton University

Comments: Samuel J. Watson, U.S. Military Academy

PANEL 2-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
THE CHALLENGE OF DISSENT—THREE CASE STUDIES

Chair: Nicholas Murray, Naval War College

Emory Upton’s Flip Flop: George B. McClellan, Edwin M. Stanton, and Command of the Army of the Potomac in 1862
David J. Fitzpatrick, Washtenaw Community College

Robert Wettemann, U.S. Air Force Academy

The Price of Candor: The Relief of Major General Terry de La Mesa Allen and the American Way of War
Greg Hospodor, U.S Army Command and General Staff College

Comments: John Hall, University of Wisconsin

PANEL 2-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
WOMEN AND WAR, 1859-1962

Chair: Ryan Wadle, Air Command and Staff College

The Landesmutter as Nurse: The Influence of Royal Women in German Nursing, 1859-1918
Kara Smith, Middle Georgia State College

Wings to Beauty: Glamorizing the WASP
Alexandra Elias, Syracuse University

“You Don’t Mean to Say That’s Still Going?”: Women’s Role in the British Armed Forces, 1945-1962
Julie Fountain, University of Illinois at Chicago

Comments: Michael Allsep, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 2-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
NEW PERSPECTIVES ON WORLD WAR II

Chair: Michelle Ewy, Air Command and Staff College

“What I Taught at Benning . . . Is All Wrong”: Discourses on Wartime Learning
Jonathan Beall, Norwich University

When OVERLORD was All-[North] American: The COSSAC Plan for an American and Canadian-Led Assault on Normandy and How First Canadian Army Got the Boot in December 1943
Marc Milner, University of New Brunswick

New Zealand’s War in the South Pacific: Participation and Commemoration
John Moremon, Massey University

Comments: Robert Lass, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 2-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
FIGHTING FAR FROM HOME: TRANSCONTINENTAL MILITARY VOLUNTEERS AND FOREIGN FIGHTERS

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Chair: Jacob Stoil, Colgate University

Treatment and Impact of Foreign Volunteers in Finland during the Second World War
Kristo Karvinen, University of Leeds

Yugoslav and German Foreign Fighters in Palestine, 1948
Nir Arielli, University of Leeds

Rebels and Militias and Terrorists—Oh My!: Failed States and the State We Failed in Libya
Jacob Mundy, Colgate University

Comments: Jacob Stoil, Colgate University

PANEL 2-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
OBSERVATIONS FROM THE INTERWAR PERIOD

Chair: Christopher Rein, Air Command and Staff College

Ground Zero North America: Canadian and U.S. War Planning during the 1920s and 1930s
Michael Fredrick Rollin, Texas Tech University

Perceptions of the Red Army in the U.S., 1922-1942
Charles P. Clark, Jr., University of Alabama

Assessing Chemical Weapons in the Aftermath of World War I
Thomas Faith, U.S. Department of State

Comments: David Silbey, Cornell University

AWARDS LUNCHEON: 1200-1330

SESSION 3: 1330-1500

PANEL 3-A
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ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
AUTONOMY, EFFECTIVENESS, AND CIVILIAN CONTROL: THE AMERICAN MILITARY’S ATTEMPTS AT SELF-OVERSIGHT, 1815-1973

Chair: Richard H. Kohn, University of North Carolina

A Radical Change of System: The Creation of the Navy Board and Civilian Control in the U.S. Navy
Thomas Sheppard, University of North Carolina

The U.S. Army vs. the Fahy Committee: Implementation of Racial Integration of the Army
Richard Cranford, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Autonomy, Capacity and the Publicity Strategy of the U.S. Army, c. 1941-1991
Thomas Crosbie, Yale University

Comments: Lance Betros, Army War College

PANEL 3-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM: A ROUND TABLE RETROSPECTIVE

Chair: Thomas McCarthy, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies

Steven Kwast, Air University

David Deptula, Center for a New America Security

John Warden, Venturist, Inc.

PANEL 3-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
WORLD WAR II ON THE EASTERN FRONT

Chair: Adam R. Seipp, Texas A&M University

Drunk with Murder: The Role of Alcohol and Atrocity in the Holocaust
Edward B. Westermann, Texas A&M University-San Antonio
For God and Führer: The Third Reich’s “Holy War” with the Soviet Union  
David Harrisville, University of Wisconsin

Soviet Intelligence Efforts Prior to Operation Barbarossa  
Steven Czak, U.S. Air Force Academy

Comments:  John Curatola, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

PANEL 3-D  
MONTGOMERY 9  
CONFLICTS IN AFRICA: TRANSFORMATION AND REMEMBRANCE, PART I

Chair: Bruce Vandevort, Virginia Military Institute

De-memorializing the World Wars in Zimbabwe  
Tim Stapleton, Trent University

The Cinematic Representation of Thiaroye’s Massacre and its Sociopolitical Development  
Panagnimba Parfait Bonkoungou, Auburn University at Montgomery

Remembering Biafra: Memory, Politics, and State-Society Relations in Modern Nigeria  
Roy Doron, Winston Salem State University

Out with the Old?: Syncretic Military Practices of the Civil Defense Forces and the Revolutionary United Front in Sierra Leone’s 1991-2002 Civil War  
Sarah Westwood, Boston University

Comments: Charles Thomas, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 3-E  
ROOM: RIVER 1  
WORLD WORLD II RESCUE AND INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS

Chair: Eric A. Johnson, Central Michigan University

Collision in Manchuria: Opposing Armies and the Rescue of Allied Prisoners of War, August 1945  
Jonathan Chavanne, Texas A&M University
The Differing Treatment of Downed British, Canadian and American Airmen in Border Towns in Europe
Donna Sinclair, Central Michigan University

Flying High: The U.S. Air Force Security Service and Its Rise to Prominence in the U.S. Intelligence Community
Phillip Shackleford, Kent State University

Comments: Paul J. Springer, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 3-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
THE MANY SPOILS OF WAR: THE IMPACT OF GENDER AND SEXUALITY ON TWENTIETH CENTURY AMERICAN CONFLICTS ABROAD

Chair: Antulio Echevarria, Army War College

“Be Good”: Sexual Tension in Military Marriages During World War II
Michelle Curran Cornell, Kent State University

“Protection against the Lust of Men”: Policing Prostitution and Sexual Assault in the Dominican Republic under U.S. Occupation
Micah Wright, Texas A&M University

Amanda Boczar, University of Kentucky

American Service Women & Male and Female Perceptions of Their Roles
James Bowden, Independent Scholar

Comments: Heather Stur, University of Southern Mississippi

PANEL 3-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
AS THEY CAME MARCHING HOME: THE EXPERIENCE OF RETURNING VETERANS FROM THE CIVIL WAR AND THE GREAT WAR

Chair: Peter Mansoor, Ohio State University
The Hibernation That Wasn’t: Union Veterans Confront the Peace
Brian Matthew Jordan, Gettysburg College

“Soldiers from [Great] Wars Returning”: Soldiers, Empire and the Aftermath of the Great War in Britain and the Dominions
Jeffrey Grey, University of New South Wales

Victory in Mourning: How Five Million French Veterans Returned from World War I
Bruno Cabanes, Ohio State University

Comments: Mark Grimsley, Ohio State University

PANEL 3-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
COMMERCE, DIPLOMACY, AND WAR IN THE EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY

Chair: Glenn Robins, Georgia Southwestern University

From the Great War to the Great Air Race: Australian Pilot Captain Ross Smith and the Military Foundations of Civil and Commercial Aviation
Edward Woodfin, Converse College

William Boehm, National Guard Bureau

Messages from Garcia: Andrew Rowan, Elbert Hubbard, and the Mythography of a Mission
Bruce Cohen, Independent Scholar

Comments: Lon Strauss, Appalachian State University

PANEL 3-I
ROOM: RIVER 9
CONFLICT AND COMMEMORATION ON THE SMALL SCREEN: A PANEL DISCUSSION ON DOCUMENTARY FILMMAKING AND THE REMEMBRANCE OF WAR
Chair: James Willbanks, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Scott L. Reda, Lou Reda Productions

Liz Reph, Lou Reda Productions

Andrew Wiest, University of Southern Mississippi

COFFEE BREAK: 1500-1530

SESSION 4: 1530-1700

PANEL 4-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
NEW EXAMINATIONS OF OLD BATTLES

Chair: Kelly DeVries, Loyola University

The Sum of a Remarkable Career: King Naresuan’s Victorious Elephant Battle
Matthew Kosuta, Mahidol University

Spartan Strategy in Attica, 431-425 BCE
Stephen O’Connor, California State University, Fullerton

They That Were Dead Were Numbered: Just How Violent Was the 100 Years War?
John Lovett, Texas Christian University

Comments: Clifford Rogers, U.S. Military Academy

PANEL 4-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
LIES, SPIES, AND PROPAGANDA

Chair: Richard DiNardo, Marine Corps Command and Staff College

Why Totalitarian, “Efficient” Nazi Germany’s Intelligence Failed
David Kahn, Independent Scholar

Gray and Black Radio Propaganda Against Nazi Germany
Robert Rowen, New York Military Affairs Symposium
From the Edge Towards the Center: An Artist’s Propaganda War Against Fascism
Kathleen Broome Williams

Comments: Timothy Nenninger, National Archives

PANEL 4-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
WORLD WAR II AND MEMORIALIZING SACRIFICE

Chair: Michael Doidge, University of Southern Mississippi

Cult of the Slaughtered Citizen: The Cultural Transformation of Memories of Fallen Soldiers at the Turn of the Twenty-First Century
Jordan Hill, Virginia Tech University

Operation Aphrodite and Strategic Bombardment, 1944-1945
Kevin Hall, Central Michigan University

World War II Narratives, Memory Studies, and Memorials: Shared Authority over “Sites of Memory” in Post-1945 France
Gabriella Hornbeck, West Virginia University

Comments: Alex Bielakowski, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

PANEL 4-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
CONFLICTS IN AFRICA: TRANSFORMATION AND REMEMBRANCE, PART II

Chair: Charles Thomas, Air Command and Staff College

From Colony to Mandate: Postwar Governance and Local Meanings in Tanganyika, 1916-1922
Michelle Moyd, Indiana University

“If There Is a Place on This Earth to Be Happy, This Is Not It”: Discipline, Control, and Daily Life Through Numbers in Afrique Française Libre
Danielle Sanchez, University of Texas
In the Shadow of the Revolution: Ethnicity, Dual Nationalism and the Union Question in Zanzibar
Barbara Salera and Afia Bella-Bella, Air Command and Staff College

Comments: Bruce Vandevort, Virginia Military Institute

PANEL 4-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
NEW APPROACHES TO FAMILIAR EVENTS IN 20TH CENTURY WARFARE

Chair: Mary Kathryn Barbier, Mississippi State University

The Falklands War After Thirty Years: Re-Examining the Sinking of the ARA General Belgrano
Kate Tietzen, Kansas State University

Compromising Air Operations: The Casablanca Conference’s Influence on the Friction Between Commands in the Mediterranean Theater and the Combined Bomber Offensive
Luke Truxal, University of North Texas

Neglected Stepchild: Integrating Operation Anvil into the ETO
Cameron Zinsou, Mississippi State University

Comments: Dennis Showalter, Colorado College

PANEL 4-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
A FEW GOOD WOMEN: GENDER INTEGRATION IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS, FROM WORLD WAR II TO THE WAR ON TERROR

Chair: Charles Neiemeyer, Marine Corps University

From Making Men to Making Marines: Recruiting Women Marines during World War II
Zayna Bizri, George Mason University

Beth Wolny, George Mason University
Combat Pilots, Lionesses, and Female Engagement Teams: Breaking Down Gender Barriers in the Global War on Terror
Nathan Packard, Georgetown University

Comments: Nicholas Schlosser, Marine Corps University

PANEL 4-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
PREPARATION AND PERCEPTION: U.S. SECURITY IN MODERN HISTORY

Chair: Joseph T. Glatthaar, University of North Carolina

A Cold Start: Reexamining the U.S. Army’s Stumble into War in 1917
Rory M. McGovern, U.S. Military Academy

Managing Innovation: Protecting, Promoting, and Propagating Science and Technology in World War II
Nicholas M. Sambaluk, Purdue University

Over the Battlefield, not Through: The Air Force and Cyberspace Operations
Gregory W. Ball, U.S. Air Force History and Museums Program

Comments: Lance Janda, Cameron University

PANEL 4-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
EASTERN EUROPE AT WAR, 1939-1945

Chair: Paul Hoffman, Air Command and Staff College

The Complexity of Polish Military Resistance under Nazi Occupation: The Militarization of the Warsaw Intelligentsia
Jadwiga Biskupska, Sam Houston State University

The Press on Motivation: Kurskaia Pravda’s Propaganda Campaign for Mobilization in Kursk Oblast, 1943
Daniel Giblin, University of North Carolina
True Sons of the Soviet Motherland? The Kazakh Frontline Experience during World War II
Roberto Carmack, University of Wisconsin

Comments: Geoffrey Megargee, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

PANEL 4-I
ROOM: RIVER 9
FROM FREE FRENCH FLYS TO AFGHAN MAYFLYS: CULTURAL CROSS-CURRENTS AND CONFLICTS IN THE U.S. TRAINING OF “OUTSIDER” AIRMEN

Chair: Dan Mortenson, Airpower Research Institute

Royal Air Force and Free French Air Force Flight Training at Maxwell and Gunter Fields during World War II
Robert B. Kane, Air University

“Where Did Those Black Pilots Come From?” Five Airfields of Tuskegee during World War II
Daniel L. Haulman, Air Force Historical Research Agency

Training Afghan Air Force Pilots, 2007-2014
Forrest L. Marion, Air Force Historical Research Agency

Comments: Sebastian Cox, Air Historical Branch (RAF), Ministry of Defence (UK)

SATURDAY, 11 APRIL

SESSION 5: 0830-1000

PANEL 5-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
SHAPING THE MEMORY OF WAR: THE ROLES OF COMMEMORATION, PILGRIMAGE AND NARRATIVE

Chair: Ben Severance, Auburn University at Montgomery

The Changing Faces and Functions of Battlefield Monuments at Gettysburg
Michael W. Panhorst, Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts
Hawkeye Hollies: Women in Iowa Commemorate the American Civil War, 1861-1935
Lindsey R. Peterson, University of South Dakota

Intoxicating Memories: Representations of Drinking on the Western Front
Adam Zientek, Stanford University

American Veterans Remember: The Power of Pilgrimage in the Memory of World War II
Kate C. Lemay, Auburn University at Montgomery

Comments: Ricardo A. Herrera, School of Advanced Military Studies

PANEL 5-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
THE DEAD AND THE FORGOTTEN

Chair: Steve Waddell, U.S. Military Academy

Tokens of Gratitude: The U.S. Army’s Commemoration of its World War II Dead
Kyle Hatzinger, University of North Texas

4-F: Military Rejection and Social Implications during World War II
Tiffany Smith, University of North Texas

Goering’s Boys in Blue: The Luftwaffe Field Divisions in World War II
Michael Stout, University of North Texas

Comments: Steve Waddell, U.S Military Academy

PANEL 5-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
REINTEGRATING MILITARY HISTORY INTO AMERICAN CIVIL WAR STUDIES

Chair: George C. Rable, University of Alabama

Military History as a Component of Civil War Studies
Earl J. Hess, Lincoln Memorial University
Civilization and Military Practice in the American Civil War  
Lorien Foote, Texas A&M University

“Lightning around the Edge of a Cloud”: Toward an Integration of ‘Guerrilla Studies’ into the American Civil War  
Barton A. Myers, Washington and Lee University

Comments: Wayne E. Lee, University of North Carolina

PANEL 5-D  
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9  
AMERICAN HOME FRONTS IN WARS “OVER THERE” AND AT HOME

Chair: Mark Wells, U.S. Air Force Academy

Spouses of American Heroes of the Southern Campaign of the American Revolution  
Michael Kennedy, U.S. Air Force Academy

Conchies and Yellowbellies: Conscription and Conscience in the United States during World War I  
Jeffrey Copeland, U.S. Air Force Academy

Children of the Atom Splitters: Families, Culture, and Life Under the Manhattan Project  
John Prince, U.S. Air Force Academy

Comments: Mark Groteleuschen, U.S. Air Force Academy

PANEL 5-E  
ROOM: RIVER I  
THE NAVY DEPARTMENT IN WARS BOTH GREAT AND SMALL

Chair: Kenneth Johnson, Air Command and Staff College

“Flying Destruction”: U.S. Naval Strategy at the End of the War of 1812  
Stanley J. Adamiak, University of Central Oklahoma

“The Tiger of Seibo”: Charles Merkel and the Dark Side of Marine Corps History  
Mark R. Folse, University of Alabama
Lessons Learned and Lessons Lost: The Impact of Institutional Culture and Memory on Learning Across the Counterinsurgency History of the United States Marine Corps
Jeannie L. Johnson, Utah State University

Comments: James Bradford, Texas A&M University

PANEL 5-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
A SOLDIER FOR ALL SEASONS: REMAKING WAR AND WARRIORS IN MEDIEVAL AND MODERN BRITAIN

Chair: Clifford Rogers, U.S. Military Academy

For the King’s Pardon: Crime, Pardon, and Military Service in Edward III’s England
Sarah K. Douglas, Ohio State University

Why We Fight: Recreating the English Strategic Narrative during the Later Hundred Years War
Daniel Franke, U.S. Military Academy

The Military Legacy of Richard the Lionheart: Constructed Heroism and Selective Memory in Modern English Historiography
John Hosler, Morgan State University

Comments: Kelly DeVries, Loyola University

PANEL 5-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
NEW APPROACHES TO THE HISTORY OF MILITARY VETERANS IN THE TWENTIETH-CENTURY UNITED STATES

Chair: Kurt Piehler, Florida State University

“The Welding of the Partnership”: The American Legion, World War II Veterans, and the Housing Crisis in the Postwar United States
Olivier Burtin, Princeton University
“The Service I Rendered Was Just as True”: Government-Sponsored Health Care for African Americans in the World War I Era
Jessica Adler, Columbia University

“I Never Flew an Airplane that Asked If I Were Mr. or a Mrs. or a Ms.”: Contested Veteran Status for the Women Airforce Service Pilots of World War II
Sarah Myers, Texas Tech University

Families, Federalism and Fairness: Veterans and Their Wives Debate the Military Welfare Regime
Suzanne Kahn, Columbia University

Comments: Jennifer Mittelstadt, Rutgers University

PANEL 5-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
KINDS OF MEMORY: NAVAL REVISIONISM, MEMORY AND MEMORIALS AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR

Chair: Geoffrey P. Megargee, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

The Sinking of the Lusitania, Wilson’s Response, and Paths Not Taken: Historical Revisionism and the Ghost of William Jennings Bryan
Douglas Peifer, Air War College

German Naval Memorializations of the First World War through 1945
Sarandis Papadopoulos, Department of the Navy

“Auf See Ubesiegr”: German Naval Representations in the Decades Following the First World War
Keith W. Bird, Corporation for a Skilled Workforce

Comments: Stephen Svonavec, Middle Georgia State College

COFFEE BREAK: 1000-1030

SESSION 6: 1030-1200

PANEL 6-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
SEARCHING FOR THE MISSING OF WORLD WAR II

Chair: Allan R. Millett, University of New Orleans

“Too Many Unknowns”: The Search for the Missing of Bataan
Greg Kupsky, Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command

Fear, Fantasy, and Fascination: German Childhood and Collective Memory of
Encounters with U.S. Air Crews in World War II
Robyn Rodriguez, Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command

The Fallen of Operation Iceberg: Successes and Failures of U.S. Graves Registration
Efforts during the Battle of Okinawa
Ian Spurgeon, Defense POW/Missing Personnel Office

Comments: Kurt Piehler, Florida State University

PANEL 6-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
THE WARS IN AFGHANISTAN AND IRAQ; HISTORICAL INTERPRETATION,
FALSE NARRATIVES, AND THE FORGOTTEN IRAQIS

Chair: Paul Mikolashek, U.S. Army (Retired)

Beyond the Kill Teams: The False Narrative and 5/2 SBCT
Jon Mikolashek, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

III Corps During the Surge: A Study in Operational Art
Wilson C. Blythe, Jr., National Defense University

The Other Side of the “COIN”: The Rise of the Iraqi Insurgency
Jeanne Hull Godfroy, National Defense University

Comments: Dale Andrade, Joint History Office

PANEL 6-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7

Chair: Brian McAllister Linn, Texas A&M University

The 2nd Canadian’s Original Establishment: Precedents and Provisions for an Unusual Continental Army Regiment
Holly Mayer, Duquesne University

Lee’s Grenadier Guard or a ‘Little Body of Malcontents’? Desertion and Resupply in John Bell Hood’s Texas Brigade, 1864-1865
Susannah Ural, University of Southern Mississippi

Strange Defeat: The U.S. Army and State Power during the Gilded Age
Kevin Adams, Kent State University

Comments: George C. Rable, University of Alabama

PANEL 6-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
BRITAIN STANDS ALONE: RE-ASSESSING 1940

Chair: Emily Swafford, American Historical Association

Admiral Bertram Ramsay and the “Miracle” of Dunkirk
Andrew Gordon, King’s College London

Defining “The Few”: The Triumph of British Air Power
Christina Goulder, King’s College London

The British Army’s Last Stand: The Defense of the United Kingdom
Andrew Stewart, King’s College London

Comments: Allison Abra, University of Southern Mississippi

PANEL 6-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
RACE AND THE AMERICAN MILITARY EXPERIENCE
Chair: Thomas Hanson, Combat Studies Institute

“It Is without Question Our Shining Opportunity”: Project 100,000
Geoffrey W. Jensen, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

“They Bled Just as Red”: African-American Replacement Platoons in White Rifle Companies in the European Theater, 1945
Eric Klinek, Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command

Comments: Thomas Hanson, Combat Studies Institute

PANEL 6-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
THE EASTERN FRONT IN 1915: A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Chair: David Stone, Kansas State University

Richard DiNardo, Marine Corps Command and Staff College
Matitiahu Mayzel, Tel Aviv University
Graydon (Jack) A. Tunstall, University of South Florida

PANEL 6-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
GERMANY REARMED? CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTION, THE POLITICS OF MILITARY SERVICE, AND THE COMMEMORATION OF WAR DEAD IN THE POSTWAR COMMUNITIES

Chair: Brian Feltman, Georgia Southern University

An Understanding of War That Is “No Longer Tenable”: The Politics of Publicly Mourning the German War Dead, 1952-1961
J. Franklin Williamson, Gordon State College

The Duty of the Pater Familias—Defining Contemporary Military Service in West Germany, 1949-1956
Friederike Bruhoefener, University of Texas, Pan-American
The Greater Duty: Conscientious Objection in Practice and Protest in West Germany, 1956-1960  
Jared Donnelly, Texas A&M University

Comments:  Adam R. Seipp, Texas A&M University

PANEL 6-H  
ROOM: RIVER 7  
EUROPEAN PROFESSIONALISM IN THE AGE OF REVOLUTIONS  
THE MASSENA SOCIETY PRESIDENTIAL PANEL  

Chair:  Rafe Blaufarb, Florida State University

From Citizen-Soldiers to Professionals? Transformations of the French Army under the Thermidorean Regime and the Directory  
Jordan Hayworth, University of North Texas

The Influence of the American Revolution on Hessian Military Professionalism  
Chris Juergens, Florida State University

The Earl of Wellington and the 1812 Siege of Badajoz  
Andrew Swift, Jacksonville State University

Comments:  Tim Fitzpatrick, Tallahassee Community College

LUNCH BREAK: 1200-1330

SESSION 7: 1330-1500

PANEL 7-A  
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1  
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS LATER: CONSIDERING THE INVASION OF KUWAIT AND OPERATION DESERT SHIELD

Chair:  Annette D. Amerman, Marine Corps University

Saddam’s Pyrrhic Victory: The 1990 Invasion and Occupation of Kuwait  
Kevin M. Woods, Institute for Defense Analyses

First to Fight? The United States Marine Corps in Operation Desert Shield
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Paul Westermeyer, Marine Corps University

Comments:  Stephen A. Bourque, School of Advanced Military Studies

PANEL 7-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
GETTING A BOOK PUBLISHED IN TODAY’S MARKETPLACE: SHEDDING LIGHT ON AGENTS, PUBLISHERS, BOOKSELLING, AND EBOOKS: A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Chair:  Brandon Proia, University of North Carolina Press

Bruce Franklin, Westholme Publishing
Brent Howard, Penguin RandomHouse
Jordan Weinmann, Books-A-Million
Joe Craig, History Book Club and Military Book Club

PANEL 7-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
SOLDIERS AND BATTLEFIELDS OF THE CIVIL WAR

Chair:  Paul Springer, Air Command and Staff College

“He’s Death May Have Lost the South Her Independence”: Albert Sidney Johnston and Civil War Memory
Robert Glaze, University of Tennessee

Union Veterans at the Footlights: The Grand Army of the Republic, Theatrical Representations, and Civil War Memory
Tyler Sperrazza, Penn State University

The Cost of War: A Quantitative Analysis of Union Soldiers and Veterans’ Deaths from Alcoholism, Insanity, and Suicide
Angela Riotto, University of Akron

Comments:  Chris Mortenson, Ouachita Baptist University
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PANEL 7-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
THE COLD WAR: INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES

Chair: S. Michael Pavelec, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

“Failure to Conform to Cabinet Decisions Cannot Be Accepted”—Canadian Cold War Civil-Military Relations
Frank Maas, Wilfrid Laurier University

Nuclear Safety in the Air National Guard, 1960-1984
Michael E. Weaver, Air Command and Staff College

Deterrence vs. Disentanglement in the Shadow of Vietnam: Military Resistance to Nixon’s Troop Reduction in South Korea, 1969-1971
Leon J. Perkowski, Kent State University

Comments: Gregory A. Daddis, U.S. Military Academy

PANEL 7-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
POST WORLD WAR I MEMORY AND POLITICAL REALITIES

Chair: Anthony Carlson, School of Advanced Military Studies

Mythologizing the Dominion Fighting Man: Comparing Australian, New Zealand and Canadian Narratives of the Great War Soldier, 1914-1939
Mark Sheftall, Auburn University

Sites of Memory and Mourning in Print
Andrew Keitt, University of Alabama at Birmingham

“Our Rescue from the Red Peril”: The White International as Operational Anti-Communism
Geoffrey Krempa, University of Tennessee

Comments: Brian Neumann, Center of Military History

PANEL 7-F
ROOM: RIVER 3

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IT’S AN AD-HOC LIFE FOR US: PREPARATION, ADAPTATION, AND INSTRUCTION IN THE U.S. ARMY

Chair: Ron Milam, Texas Tech University

Commando Meets Doughboy: The MACV Recondo School and the Integration of Special and Conventional Warfare during the Vietnam War
James Sandy, Texas Tech University

Assuming the Habit of Command: The Self-Education of Volunteer Junior Officers in the American Civil War
Drew S. Bledsoe, Lee University

Readiness for Failure: The Eighth Army Prior to the Korean War
James M. Cloninger, Air Force Historical Research Agency

Comments: William Allison, Georgia Southern University

PANEL 7-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
IDEOLOGY AND RHETORIC IN EUROPEAN WARFARE, 1740-1815

Chair: Michael V. Leggiere, University of North Texas

Publications, Piety, and War: The Protestant Interest in British Media during the War of the Austrian Succession
Hailey Stewart, University of North Texas

William Pitt the Younger and the Strategy of Counterrevolution, 1792-1797
Nathaniel Jarrett, University of North Texas

Hello (Insert Country Here) My Old Friend: Joachim Murat, Naples, and the Propaganda of New Alliances, 1813-1815
Chad Thomaselli, University of North Texas

Comments: Kenneth Johnson, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 7-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
THE EVOLUTION OF THE MILITARIZED ENVIRONMENT: GLOBAL WAR, OCCUPATION, AND THE UNITED STATES MILITARY, 1943-1975

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY PRESIDENTIAL PANEL

Chair: Robert Smith, Air War College

War Is in the Air: Research Project No. X-231, Human Experimentation, and the United States Military during World War II
Gerard J. Fitzgerald, George Mason University

Dr. Oliver L. Autin, Jr., and Allied Wildlife Policy in Occupied Japan
Kyle Bracken, Florida State University

Weaponizing Weather: Climate and Weather Modification by the U.S. Department of Defense
Rebecca Pincus, U.S. Coast Guard Academy

Comments: Gabriella Petrick, George Mason University

COFFEE BREAK: 1500-1530

SESSION 8: 1530-1700

PANEL 8-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
PROSOPOGRAPHY AND BIOGRAPHY: EMERGING INSIGHTS ON GROUND-COMBAT COMMAND IN THE PACIFIC

Chair: Thomas A. Hughes, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies

Two Improbable Paths to Corps Command: Robert L. Eichelberger and Alexander M. Patch
Harold R. Winton, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies

MacArthur’s New Guinea Commander: Reassessing the Command Performance of Lieutenant General Sir Edmund Herring
J. Peter Dean, Australian National University
Simon Bolivar Buckner: The Forgotten Warrior
Sharon Tosi Lacey, Center for Military History

Comments: Kevin Holzimmer, Air Force Research Institute

PANEL 8-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN MILITARY HISTORY

Chair: Donald MacCuish, Air Command and Staff College

American Soldiers and Their Use of Social Media to Explain War to the Public
Michael Gisick, Australian National University

Discursive Dimensions of Change: Legitimizing the Modern Louisiana Maneuvers in the United States Army
Wade Smith, Norwich University

Some Would Call It Sacrilege: Reforming Officer Training in the U.S. Military
Matthew M. Hurley, U.S. Air Force

Comments: Jacqueline Whitt, Air War College

PANEL 8-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
THE UNIQUE CHALLENGES OF AIRPOWER, 1939-1960

Chair: David Silbey, Cornell University

Rise and Decline: The Shift in the Anglo-American Power Balance between 1941 and 1945
Tami Davis Biddle, Army War College

Friction on the Ice: Building a Bomber Base at the Top of the World
David Arnold, National War College

Long Before There Was an Afghan Model: Special Operations, Airpower, and Proxies in Europe in the Second World War
James Kiras, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies
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Comments: Christopher Rein, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 8-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
“I SUPPOSE THERE ARE SUCH THINGS AS GIFTED AMATEURS”: WARTIME CIVILIAN OFFICERS AND THE QUESTION OF MILITARY PROFESSIONALISM

Chair: Ethan S. Rafuse, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Airmen to Infantry: The Provisional Air Corps Regiment at Bataan, January-April 1942
Frank Blazich, Naval History and Heritage Command

The Bureaucrat and the State: Considerations on Military Professionalism in the Case of Zeng Guofan and the Taiping Rebellion
Gregory Hope, Ohio State University

Beyond the Pale of Prejudice: White Officer Training in the United States Colored Troops, 1863-1864
Zachery Fry, Ohio State University

Comments: Matthew S. Muehlbauer, Manhattan College

PANEL 8-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
COMMEMORATION AND REFORM: REINVENTING CHINA’S MILITARY FROM THE MING DEBACLE OT THE SECOND SINO-JAPANESE WAR

Chair: David A. Graff, Kansas State University

Commemorating the Lost Prosperity: 17th Century Chinese Literati’s Reflections on the Fall of the Ming Dynasty
Yang Wei, University of Colorado

Commemoration and Collective Memory at the Northeast Military Academy in 1910s-1920s Manchuria
Miri Kim, Norwich University

The Taste of China’s War: A Social History of the Chinese Red Army, 1927-1937
Xiaobing Li, University of Central Oklahoma
Serving Our Wounded Heroes: Military Welfare Programs of the Chinese YMCA during the Second Sino-Japanese War, 1937-1945
Yan Xu, Spelman College

Comments: Kenneth M. Swope, University of Southern Mississippi

PANEL 8-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
THREE PITFALLS FOR PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT WITH THE MEDIA: MILITARY, EDUCATION, AND POLITICS

Chair: Robert Davis II, School of Advanced Military Studies

General Patton, Shell Shock, and the U.S. Army: The Slapping Incidents Revisited
Alex Lovelace, Ohio University

The My Lai Massacre and Its Absence in U.S. Education
Heather Salazar, Ohio University

Special Operations Forces and American Civil-Military Relations
Zach Morgan, Independent Scholar

Comments: Robert Davis II, School of Advanced Military Studies

PANEL 8-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
DESCENT INTO WAR: 1939-1940 IN WESTERN EUROPE

Chair: Mark Grimsley, Ohio State University

“Not His Finest Hour”: Winston Churchill and the Attack on the French Fleet at Mers-el-Kébir, July 1940
Ralph Brown, University of Lousiana, Monroe

Memory, Myth, and Forgetting: The Netherlands and the World Wars
Hubert Van Tuyll, Georgia Regents University

An Occurrence at Marker 16.6: Dutch Neutrality, German Concessions, and Glimpses of Incipient Sitzkrieg in September 1939
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Eric Rust, Baylor University

Comments:   John Stapleton, U.S. Military Academy

PANEL 8-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
WAR AND REMEMBRANCE IN THE U.S. SOUTHWEST

Chair:   Gregory J. W. Urwin, Temple University

“To Pay a Debt of Honor”: New Mexicans and the Tragedy of Bataan, 1942-1945
Elena Friot, University of New Mexico

A Casualty of Vietnam: David Westphall and the Angel Fire Vietnam Veterans Memorial
Steven Trout, University of South Alabama

A “Scourge” and a “Hardy Frontier”: Kickapo Indians and the U.S. Army in Texas, 1870-1873
Catharine R. Franklin, Huntington Library

Comments:   Joseph G. Dawson III, Texas A&M University

COCKTAIL HOUR: 1800-1900

BANQUET: 1900-2100

SUNDAY, 12 APRIL

SESSION 9: 0815-0945

PANEL 9-A
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1
FORGOTTEN WAR: TURKISH ARMED FORCES’ FIRST EXPERIENCE UNDER A MULTI-NATIONAL COMMAND

Chair:   Bülend Özen, Turkish Army War College
An Analysis Over Wrong Perception between Turkey’s Decision to Participate in the Korean War and Admission to NATO
Sezgin Özcan, Turkish Army War College

Looking at the Past from the Present: Analyzing the First Turkish Brigade’s Battles in the Korean War from the Perspective of Contemporary Interoperability Concepts
Şahin Çiplak, Turkish Army War College

Leadership in the Korean War and Its Effect Upon the Course of the Campaign
Musa Utku Yalnizoglu, Turkish Army War College

Military Code of Conduct: Turkish Prisoners of War during the Korean War
Ercan Kocabiyik, Turkish Army War College

Comments: Serdar Topalca, Turkish Army War College

PANEL 9-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
EUROPEAN WARFARE IN THE AGE OF REVOLUTIONS

Chair: Daniel Krebs, University of Louisville

Citizens vs. Conscripts: Guibert’s Competing Arguments in the Essai and Défense
Julia Osman, Mississippi State University

War, Commemoration and Culture: The Changes Wrought by the Napoleonic War in Catalonia
John Morgan, Miles College

Where Did “Prisoners of War” Come From? The Case of the Ottoman Empire, 1730s-1820s
William Smiley, Princeton University

Comments: Michael V. Leggiere, University of North Texas

PANEL 9-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
THE INFLUENCE OF INTERWAR AND WORLD WAR II DOCTRINE, DOGMA, MYTH, AND MEMORY
Chair: Bryon E. Greenwald, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

Strategic Bombardment as an Obstacle to Strategic Airpower: Why the Early American Airborne Was Shortchanged
Sean Klimek, Florida State University

A Line in the Sand: Defining the Army-Marine Corps Rivalry during World War II
Allyson Stanton, Florida State University

Conflict and Commemoration: World War I and the American War of Movement
Nimrod Frazer, Independent Scholar

Comments: Conrad C. Crane, Army War College

PANEL 9-D
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9
MEMORY AND MEANING IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR

Chair: Michael Rouland, Department of the Army

Victory: British Soldiers and the Meaning of the Armistice
Alex Nordlund, University of Georgia

Seeing the World Anew: World War I Memory’s Impact on Nazi Historical Interpretation
Derrick Angermeier, University of Georgia

Leipzig Did Not Fail: How the Memory of Atrocities in World War I Provided a Foundation for Human Rights
Alison Vick, University of Tennessee

Comments: John Morrow, University of Georgia

PANEL 9-E
ROOM: RIVER 1
“THE REBELS ARE OUR COUNTRYMEN AGAIN”: THE OCCUPATION OF THE SOUTH AND THE LONG CIVIL WAR

Chair: John Reese, Air Command and Staff College
Shadow Warriors: Counterinsurgency, the Civil-Military Relationship, and Unionists during the Occupation of West Tennessee
Derek Frisby, Middle Tennessee State University

Christopher DeRosa, Monmouth University

The Southern Civil War 1865-1877: When did the Civil War End?
John Daly, Brockport University

Comments: Margaret Storey, DePaul University

PANEL 9-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
THE U.S. MILITARY AND CYBERSPACE: COMMAND, CONTROL, AND STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS IN THE PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

Chair: Greg Miller, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

New Domains Past and Present: What Will U.S. Cyber Strategy Be?
John Witte, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

The Future of Cyberspace: The Recent History of U.S. Cyber Operations
Sean Kern, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

The Myth of the Strategic Corporal
Thomas Feltey, Joint Advanced Warfighting School

Comments: Keith Dickson, Joint Forces Staff College

PANEL 9-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
TRAINING AND EDUCATION IN THE U.S. MILITARY

Chair: Michael Grumelli, Air Command and Staff College

Revolution in the Wasteland? Stansfield Turner and Curricular Change at the U.S. Naval War College
Brad Carter, Naval War College

**J. Lawton Collins and the Value of Leavenworth**
Jared Dockery, Harding University

“**I Thought I Was Back in Route Pack 6**: Red Flag, Realistic Training, and the U.S. Air Force’s Way of War after Vietnam
Brian Laslie, U.S. Northern Command

**Comments:** Gordon Rudd, U.S. Marine School of Advanced Warfighting

**PANEL 9-H**
**ROOM: RIVER 7**
**GERMAN ARMIES IN DICTATORSHIP, WAR, AND PEACE**

**Chair:** Kathleen Nawyn, Center of Military History

Interpreting *Götterdämmerung*: Historical Experience and the Evolution of Early-Cold War West German Civil Defense Policy, 1950-1957
Nicholas J. Steneck, Wesleyan College

General Kurt von Schleicher’s *Annus Horribilis*: The Long 1932
Robert Kirchubel, Purdue University

The Influence of a Cold War on a Socialist Society
Daniel W. Jordan III, University of Cincinnati

**Comments:** Mary Kathryn Barbier, Mississippi State University

**BREAK: 0945-1000**

**SESSION 10: 1000-1130**

**PANEL 10-A**
**ROOM: MONTGOMERY 1**
**MEMORY, MEANING, AND THE GREAT WAR IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA**

**Chair:** Kara Smith, Middle Georgia State College
“We Too Should Lay Down Our Lives for Our Brothers”: The Material Culture of Memory in WWI Germans
Brian Feltman, Georgia Southern University

Brothers in Arms: Republican Paramilitary Groups in Germany and Austria, 1918-1934
Erin Hochman, Southern Methodist University

Memory and Masculinity: Contested Images of Manliness in German Soldiers’ Writing on the Great War
Jason Crouthamel, Grand Valley State University

Comments: Robert Weldon Whalen, Queens University of Charlotte

PANEL 10-B
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 5
MILITARY LEADERSHIP AND THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR

Chair: Brooks D. Simpson, Arizona State University

Unlikely Civil Warriors: George Henry Thomas and Nathan Bedford Forrest
Brian Steel Wills, Kennesaw State University

“Such Then Is The Decision”: George Gordon Meade and Gettysburg’s Councils of War
Jennifer Murray, University of Virginia’s College at Wise

A Gray Ghost, a Bad Old Man, and Little Phil: Hybrid Warfare and the Challenge of Leadership in Shenandoah Valley in 1864
Ethan S. Rafuse, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Comments: Kenneth W. Noe, Auburn University

PANEL 10-C
ROOM: MONTGOMERY 7
TURNING POINTS IN AIR MOBILITY

Chair: James Lacey, U.S. Marine Corps War College

Operation Sagebrush: Atomic Warfare Was Good for Military Airlift
Robert Owen, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

**Manna From Heaven: Development of Aerial Supply in China-Burma-India in WW II**
Gerald A. White, Jr., 99th Air Base Wing Historian

**Comments:** James Lacey, U.S. Marine Corps War College

**PANEL 10-D**
**ROOM: MONTGOMERY 9**
**SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ISSUES IN THE U.S. MILITARY FROM WORLD WAR II THROUGH THE 1990S**

**Chair:** Kyle Longley, Arizona State University

  Sarah Barksdale, Vietnam War Commemoration Commission

- **Les Aspin, Bill Clinton, and the Inside Story of “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell”**
  Joel Christenson, Office of the Secretary of Defense Historical Office

- **Las “Bee-jays”: Recruiting WWII Latina WACs during the Era of Good Neighborism**
  Valerie Martinez, University of Texas

**Comments:** Charissa Threat, Spelman College

**PANEL 10-E**
**ROOM: RIVER 1**
**WORLD WAR I BEYOND THE WESTERN FRONT**

**Chair:** Greg Hospodor, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

- **War Winners: Allied Reframing of the Salonika Campaign in Postwar Memoirs**
  Robert L. Nelson and Justin Fantauzzo, University of Windsor

- **Rise and Fall of the Austro-Hungarian Navy, 1900-1918**
  Stanley D. M. Carpenter, Naval War College
War and the Unravelling of the State in the Ottoman Empire, 1912-1919
James M. Tallon, Lewis University

Comments: Sebastian Lukasik, Air Command and Staff College

PANEL 10-F
ROOM: RIVER 3
HOMEFronts IN EARLY AMERICAN WARFARe

Chair: Lon Strauss, Appalachian State University

From Rebellion to Revolution: The Anatomy of Popular Participation in Massachusetts during the War for American Independence
Harold Selesky, University of Alabama

Preserving Mitchelville as a Wartime Experiment in Civil Society”
Kevin Dougherty, The Citadel

Iron Fever: The 1862 Charleston Ladies Gunboat Fund
Charles Wexler, Auburn University”

Comments: Glenn Robins, Georgia Southwestern University

PANEL 10-G
ROOM: RIVER 5
PRESIDENTS AND GENERALS: PROBLEMS IN AMERICAN POLITICAL-MILITARY RELATIONS

Chair: John Terino, Air Command and Staff College

Political-Military Relations in the Age of Counterinsurgency
Thomas A. Keaney, Johns Hopkins University

Presidents and Their Generals
Matthew Moten, Independent Scholar

Comments: Richard H. Kohn, University of North Carolina

PANEL 10-H
ROOM: RIVER 7
PERSPECTIVES ON WARFARE: CULTURAL AND GENDER STUDIES

Chair: Michael Allsep, Air Command and Staff College

Yusef Komunyakaa’s ‘Donut Dollies’ and ‘Saigon Bar Girls’: Rethinking Gender, War and the Commodification of Sex Forty Years after Vietnam
Isadora Wagner, University of Mississippi

Old War, New Deal: The Transformation of Civil War Battlefields as Commemorative Spaces in 1930s America
Rebecca Oakes, West Virginia University

When The Green Berets Met The Gay Deceivers: Converging Masculinities in Vietnam Draft and War Film
Anna Zuschlag, Western University

Comments: Ryan Wadle, Air Command and Staff College