

2024 Annual Symposium Genealogical Program

Augusta
Genealogical Society
Augusta, Georgia

Saturday, August 24, 2024

8:30 am - 3:30 pm EDT



Wesley United
Methodist Church

825 N. Belair Road
Evans, Georgia

Registration: online at
www.augustagensociety.org
or by mail by 12 August 2024.

In-person Registration Fee: AGS Members: 47.00 Non-Members \$57.00

Virtual Registration Fee: AGS Members: \$25.00 Non-Members \$35.00

GENEALOGY GUIDES

Join us for a day long in-person or virtual symposium
to learn how to navigate genealogical resources

Four Sessions will include:

Session 1: Mistakes I Have Made—Confessions of a Repentant Genealogist

Let's face it. We all make mistakes when we are doing something new. True confessions: as a beginning and not-so-beginning genealogist, I made them all. I still do if I am not careful. This session shares examples of the most common genealogy errors with examples from my own experiences. Learn what NOT to do and how to avoid making these mistakes with your research.

Session 2: Someone to Watch Over Me: Guardianship Records

An often-overlooked record within a probate package, guardianship records for underage children—even when their mother was still living—and for those deemed unable to care for themselves, can contain important clues to family, living conditions, and so much more!

Session 3: Evidence: Direct, Indirect, or Negative? It Depends!

Do you know the difference between Direct, Indirect, and Negative evidence? Are you confused about why it matters? In this session, examples of each of the three types of genealogy evidence will be presented, along with explanations on how to recognize and use each to climb your family tree.

Session 4: Collateral Research—The Secret Sauce to Finding Family Records

Your ancestors didn't live and have experiences alone. Researching collateral lines may be the secret sauce you need to find clues that will answer genealogy questions. What is Collateral Research? Research family members of whom you are not a descendant to find clue to your own lineage.



Cheri Hudson
Passey

Featured Speaker

Cheri Hudson Passey

Cheri Hudson Passey is a professional genealogist, instructor, writer, speaker, and owner of Carolina Girl Genealogy, LLC. She is the host of the YouTube genealogy chat show GenFriends and is a genealogical researcher, subcontracted by Eagle Investigative Services, Inc., for the US Army Past Conflict Repatriations Branch. She is involved in many genealogy societies and organizations and currently serves as National Genealogical Society Vice President of Society and Organization Management.

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2024 AGS Symposium Registration Form

SELECT IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING IN PERSON OR VIRTUAL BELOW

Please use one form per person or you may register online at AugustaGenSociety.org

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