Southern Studies Showcase September 15-16, 2017

Hosted by Old Edgefield District Genealogical Society and Edgefield Civic League

D. A. Tompkins Library, Edgefield, South Carolina

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Friday, September 15, 2017 9:30 - Until Registration at the Tompkins Library - Coffee & Pastries 10:00 - 1:00 Research in the OEDGS Archives. Lunch on your own. 10:00 - 11:00Session One **Peter Hughes** Henry Schultz of Hamburg, SC **Carol Thompson** Discovering Scottish Heritage through DNA and Genealogical Research 11:00 - 12:45Lunch 12:45 Welcome, Announcements 1:00 - 2:15**General Session** George Wingard Reconstructing Hawthorne Documentary 2:30 - 3:30Session Three Aliene Shields Timeline and Importance of SC in the American Revolutionary War **John Smith** A User's Guide to the National Archives Southeast Branch -Morrow GA Session Four 3:45 - 4:45**Chris Thomas** Dr. Benjamin Mays **Grahame Long** Stolen Charleston 6:30 – 8:30 "Block Party" on the Edgefield Courthouse Square, with music and dining. CHECK THE **BOX IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO ATTEND!!!** Saturday, September 16, 2017 8:30 - 9:30Registration - Coffee & Pastries Session One 9:45 - 10:45**Robert Scott Davis** Military Records for Before the Civil War for Family Information **Grahame Long Dueling in Charleston** 11:00 - 12:15Session Two

Military Monuments in SC

Edgefield County

What's at the National Archives Southeast Branch for

12:15 – 2:00	Lunch – On your own.	
2:00 - 3:00	Session Three	
	Robert Scott Davis	Red, White, and Black: Native American Research in the Southeast
	Bernice Bennett	DNA and Genealogy: Without A Hint - There Is No Story!
3:15-4:15	Session Four	
	Patricia G. McNeely	Sherman's Flame & Blame Campaign through Georgia and the Carolinas and the burning of Columbia
	Joyce Law	West African Adinkra Symbols

PLEASE PUT A CHECK MARK BY EACH CLASS WITHIN EACH SESSION YOU WISH TO ATTEND AND RETURN BOTH THE COMPLETED AGENDA AND YOUR REGISTRATION PAGE TOGETHER.

WE NEED THE INFORMATION FROM BOTH PAGES IN ORDER TO REGISTER YOU AND MAKE SURE WE HAVE ROOM FOR ALL. THANK YOU!

Registration Fee: \$35.00 ---- Includes all sessions and "Block Party" meal on Friday evening. Please remit check to: OEDGS, P. O. Box 546, Edgefield, SC 29824. **RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2017. If you register after this date, the fee will be \$45.00 and there is no guarantee of a Friday night meal.**

Name				
Street Addres	s		City	
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☐ Please check here if you would like to receive notice by e-mail that your registration was received.				
For additional information, e-mail Tonya Guy at OEDGS85@gmail.com.				

PLACES TO STAY IN EDGEFIELD

Edgefield Inn, 702 Augusta Road, P O Box 420, Edgefield, SC 29824, 803-637-2001, 866-637-2001 (toll free), edgefieldinn@bellsouth.net, www.edgefieldinn.com. The entire hotel (44 rooms) are blocked for this event. The special rate is \$60.00 a room per night and includes continental breakfast. Please tell them you are with the Southern Studies Showcase or with the Old Edgefield District Genealogical Society workshop to receive the discount.

Pleasant Lane Acres Bed & Breakfast, Inc., 318 Pleasant Lane Road, Edgefield, SC 29824, 803-637-9387, 888-771-3161 (toll free), innonpleasantlane@gmail.com, www.PleasantLaneAcres.com. The four rooms available are blocked for this event. The rate is \$150.00 for a couple or \$125.00 for a single, and includes a full breakfast. Please tell them you are with the Southern Studies Showcase or with the Old Edgefield District Genealogical Society workshop to receive the discount.

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