

**Roster of Presentations and
Programs Available from the
South Dakota State Historical Society
Department of Education**

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The staff of the South Dakota State Historical Society is available to present the following presentations and programs, pending program and individual workloads and scheduling considerations. If you are interested in having one of the presentations, please contact the presenter directly (regular mail, e-mail, or telephone). All e-mail addresses may be accessed through the SDSHS Web site, <http://www.history.sd.gov> For programs marked with an asterisk (*) pertaining to archaeology, contact the Archaeological Research Center. For all other SDSHS programs, contact the Cultural Heritage Center. The staff from the five programs of the State Historical Society -- archaeology, archives, historic preservation, museum, and research and publishing -- are interested in sharing their expertise and individual history topics with the people of South Dakota. This roster is subject to change without notice.

HISTORY TOPICS

Title	Presenter	Presentation Length	Special Considerations
An Overview: Early South Dakota History	Jay D. Vogt	20 minutes	None
Lewis' and Clark's Journey Through South Dakota	Jay D. Vogt	30-50 minutes	PowerPoint
Politics of the Capitol	Jay D. Vogt	20 minutes	PowerPoint
Architectural History in South Dakota	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie, Jennifer Brosz or Kate Nelson	20-45 minutes	PowerPoint
Historic Barns in South Dakota	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie, Jennifer Brosz, Jay D. Vogt	30 minutes	PowerPoint
SD Courthouses	Liz Almlie or Jennifer Brosz	50 minutes	PowerPoint

Archaeology in South Dakota	Jim Haug or Mike Fosha*	45-60 minutes	PowerPoint
Early Human Occupation of the New World	Mike Fosha*	30-60 minutes	None
Early Archaic Period of South Dakota	Mike Fosha*	30-60 minutes	None
Mammoth Hunters of the Plains	Mike Fosha*	30-60 minutes	None
Artifact Caches (aimed primarily at biface caches)	Mike Fosha*	30 minutes	PowerPoint

PROJECT TOPICS

Title	Presenter	Presentation Length	Special Considerations
Excavations at Fort Pierre Chouteau	Mike Fosha*	30-40 minutes	PowerPoint
The Hartford Beach Investigations	Jim Haug or Mike Fosha*	30-40 minutes	PowerPoint
Recent Archaeological Projects	Archaeological staff*	Varies from 20-40 minutes	PowerPoint
The Licking Site: An Ancient Bison Kill in Northwest South Dakota	Mike Fosha*		PowerPoint
Movie Draw Rock Shelter	Mike Fosha*	30 minutes	PowerPoint
Treasure Cave	Mike Fosha*	30 minutes	PowerPoint
2010 Deadwood Reburial	Katie Lamie*	30 minutes	PowerPoint
South Dakota Mortuary Feature Surveys	Katie Lamie*	30 minutes	PowerPoint
Finding Jakob Kinna, Civil War Veteran	Virginia Hanson	30 minutes	Overhead Transparencies

TECHNICAL TOPICS

Title	Presenter	Presentation Length	Special Considerations
Disaster Planning and Recovery for Archives	Chelle Somsen	½ day	Workshop format
The Basics of Archives	Archives Staff	1 day	Workshop format
Care of Documents and Photographs	Matthew Reitzel or Virginia Hanson	1 hour	PowerPoint
The Process of Accessioning Archival Materials	Matthew Reitzel	45 minutes	PowerPoint
On-Site Archives Consultation	Archives Staff	Dependent upon information requested	Dependent upon information requested
Beginners Guide to Identifying Old Photos	Virginia Hanson	45 minutes	PowerPoint
Introduction to Digital Preservation	Sara Casper	½ day to 1 day	Workshop format
Basics of Managing Electronic Records	Sara Casper or Chelle Somsen	1 hour	PowerPoint
Issues Relating to the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act	Katie Lamie*	45 minutes	PowerPoint
Handling and Conservation of Archaeological Materials	Katie Lamie*	45 minutes/ 60-120 minutes	PowerPoint/ Hands-on activities upon request
Museum Administration	Jay Smith	1-2 hours	Workshop format
Museum Planning: Starting/Building a New Museum	Jay Smith	1-4 hours	Workshop format
Fundraising for Museums	Jay Smith	30 minutes	PowerPoint
Basic Collections Care for Museums	Dan Brosz	1-2 hours	Slide presentation Workshop format
Museum Collections Registration Systems	Dan Brosz	1-2 hours	Workshop format

Developing Education Programs for Historical Societies and Museums	Ronette Rumpca	1-2 hours	Workshop format
Exhibits for the Small Museum	Kathryn Vandel	1-4 hours	Slide presentation Workshop format
Organizing and Operating a Small Museum	Jay Smith	1-2 hours	Workshop format
What's Your Story? Interpretive Exhibits	Ronette Rumpca	1-4 hours	Workshop format
On-Site Museum Consultation	Museum Staff	Dependant upon information requested	Dependant upon information requested
Tax Incentives for Historic Property Owners	Kate Nelson	30 minutes	PowerPoint
Funding Opportunities for Historic Properties – Deadwood Fund Grants	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie, or Jennifer Brosz	20-30 minutes	PowerPoint
Considering Historic Properties When Working in SD, Federal & State Laws	Paige Hoskinson Olson or Amy Rubingh	30 minutes – 2 hours	PowerPoint
Why You Should Preserve Historic Properties	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie, Jennifer Brosz, Kate Nelson or Ted Spencer	15 – 20 minutes	PowerPoint
How to Get Your Property Listed on the National Register of Historic Places	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie or Jennifer Brosz	20-60 minutes	PowerPoint
Why Your Community Should Become a Certified Local Government (CLG)	Chris B. Nelson, Liz Almlie, or Jennifer Brosz	20-30 minutes	PowerPoint
Secretary of Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties	Kate Nelson	60 minutes	PowerPoint
Numbering Museum Artifacts	Dan Brosz	1 ½ - 2 hours	Workshop format

The Economic Benefits of Historic Preservation in South Dakota	Ted Spencer	20 – 30 minutes	PowerPoint
Benefits of Preserving Historic Wood Windows	Jennifer Brosz	45 minutes	PowerPoint
Building a Durable Historic Preservation Commission	Jennifer Brosz	30 minutes	PowerPoint
The Benefits of National Register Listing	Jennifer Brosz	60 minutes	PowerPoint
Maintaining Certified Local Government Status	Jennifer Brosz	45 minutes	PowerPoint
History Works: How Preserving Historic Places is Benefiting Local Economics	Jennifer Brosz	45-60 minutes	PowerPoint and DVD highlights
Identifying and Evaluating Potential Adverse Effects on Historic Properties	Jennifer Brosz or Kate Nelson	30 minutes	PowerPoint
Evaluating Substitute Materials for Use in Historic Buildings	Kate Nelson	30 minutes	PowerPoint
The Land and Its People: Documenting and Preserving Cultural Landscapes	Liz Almlie	30 minutes	PowerPoint

RESOURCE TOPICS

Title	Presenter	Presentation Length	Special Considerations
Introduction to the SD State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO)	SHPO staff	15 minutes	PowerPoint
Introduction to the State Archives	Chelle Somsen	30-60 minutes	PowerPoint ; College history classes
SD State Archives Genealogy Resources	Virginia Hanson	45-60 minutes	Overhead transparencies
Beginning Genealogy Research Using the Library	Virginia Hanson	1 to 2 hours	Overhead transparencies
Can't Find Great Grandpa? Unique Sources at the SD State Archives	Virginia Hanson	1 ½ hours	Overhead transparencies
Those Old Stone Memories: Cemetery Research and Sources	Virginia Hanson	1 to 2 hours	Overhead transparencies
Land Records for Genealogy Research	Virginia Hanson	1 to 2 hours	Overhead transparencies
Native American Genealogy and Sources at the State Archives	Virginia Hanson	1 ½ hours	Overhead transparencies
The Human Side of Genealogy: Quirks and Coincidences of Genealogy Research	Virginia Hanson	45 minutes to 1 ½ hours	Overhead Transparencies
What to Keep, What to Throw: Protecting your family history	Virginia Hanson	1 hour	Overhead Transparencies
Newspapers, Newsletters & Newsworthy: Using periodical resources for genealogy research	Virginia Hanson	1 hour	Overhead Transparencies

Early Dakota Territorial Records for Genealogical Research	Virginia Hanson	1 ½ hours	Overhead Transparencies
Irish (Norwegian, Danish, German) Resources at the SD State Archives	Virginia Hanson	30 minutes to 1 hour	Overhead transparencies
Resources Available at the State Archives Rare Book Library	Kimberly Smith	30-40 minutes	Can be geared toward New England research, family histories, serials, or SD or regional materials
Hands-On History: Education Kits from the South Dakota State Historical Society	Ronette Rumpca	1-2 hours	Tables
Hands-On History: Traveling Exhibits from the South Dakota State Historical Society	Kathryn Vandel	1-2 hours	
Hands-On History: Using Primary Sources in the classroom	Ronette Rumpca and Chelle Somsen	3 hours, Dependent upon information requested	Tables, PowerPoint

CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTER-BASED PROGRAMS

Title	Presenter	Presentation Length	Special Considerations
Indians and the Environment: Living on the Land	Volunteer staff/ Dorinda Daniel	45 minutes	3 rd grade, October/November
The Buffalo and the Plains Indians	Volunteer staff/ Dorinda Daniel	45 minutes	2 nd grade, October
Lewis and Clark's South Dakota Adventure	Docent volunteers/ Dorinda Daniel	45 minutes	4 th grade, April