NYSAA 2018 Conference April 27-29, 2018
Comfort Inn & Suites, Syracuse, NY

Preliminary Program

**Friday**
1:00 Tour Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum
5:00-6:00 Fellows Meeting
7:30 NYSAA Business Meeting

**Saturday Morning**

7:30-9:00 Chapter Officers breakfast meeting

Two concurrent sessions: 9:00-10:20

**Session One – New York City Archaeology**

9:00  Christopher Ricciardi
Recent Archaeology of New York City's South Street Seaport Area

9:20  Alyssa Loorya
The Archaeology of City Hall Park

9:40  Leah Mollin-Kling
Smoking Pipes from the Fort Greene section of Brooklyn in the late Nineteenth Century

10:00  Caitlin Welks
Buying Local in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries

**Session Two - General Statewide Historical Archaeology**

9:00  Diana O. Carter
The Community Archaeology Program at SUNY Schenectady County Community College

9:20  Matthew Lesniak
Tapestry of Daily Life: Late Nineteenth-century Quotidian Existence in Schenectady, New York

9:40  Michael T. Lucas, Kristin O'Connell, and Susan Winchell-Sweeney
Revisiting and Revising the History of Van Schaick Mansion through Archaeology

10:00  Denis Foley
Salt, Power and Innovation: Archeological, Engineering and Restoration Relating to the Eastern Section of the Erie Canal: 1999-2018
Coffee Break: 10:20-10:40

Two concurrent sessions: 10:40-noon

Session Three: Historical Archaeology
10:40  Matthew Kirk
A New Settlement: The Florence Farming Association circa 1849 to 1855

11:00  Adam Luscier
“They’re Not There When You’re Looking; But Sometimes They Are When You’re Not”

11:20  David Staley
The Closing of Privyland - November 1887: Backyard Privies at 1026-1028 Lincoln Avenue along the Abandoned Chenango Canal, Utica, New York

11:40  Stephanie Benson and Jim Turner
From Boarders to Borscht and Back: A Summary of the Archaeological Investigations of the Concord Resort Redevelopment

Session Four: Pre-Contact Native American
10:40  Mark Clymer
Farley's Point – A New Window on the Archaic Occupation of Central New York State

11:00  Derrick (Dirk) J. Marcucci
Amy's Kitchen Archaeology: Late Archaic Occupations in Central Orange County, New York

11:20  Samuel M. Bourcy
Reshaping the Past: A Reanalysis of the Biface Collection from Lamoka Lake

11:40  Edward V. Curtin
The Question of Late Archaic Villages

Posters in Bookroom: 9:00 to noon and 1:30 to 5:00
1. Chelsea Cunico, Jacqueline Thiry, and Maria O'Donovan
   “Three Days of Peace and Music: The role of ephemerality at the Woodstock Festival Grounds”

2. Kasey Heiser and Brian R. Grills
   Stone Points to Data Points: Revealing the Secrets of the Yager Collection

3. Amber J. Laubach
   Mapping Queen Esther's Town Preserve: Geophysical Research in Athens, PA

4. SUNY Schenectady County Community College Community Archaeology
   How Wide is a Fifty-foot House Lot in Schenectady?

Bookroom: 9:00 to noon and 1:30 to 5:00
Lunch buffet at the hotel 12:00 to 1:30

Saturday afternoon sessions: 1:30-5:00

Session Five: Historic sites, house museums, and underwater archaeology
1:30 Joseph E. Diamond
Why Don’t We Do It in the Road?: Excavations Within the c. 1680 Redoubt on Huguenot Street, New Paltz, New York

1:50 David Starbuck
New Research on Rogers Island in the Hudson River

2:10 Brian R. Grills and Nina M. Versaggi
“Obliged to Change Their Ground …”: Archaeological Investigations and Preservation of Battle Hill, Fort Anne

2:30 Michael “Bodhi” Rogers
Using Laser Scanning and 3D Printing to Create a Replica of the in-situ 1750s Papier-mâché Decorative Rococo Ceiling at Philipse Manor Hall State Historic Site, New York

2:50 Joseph W. Zarzynski
Reinvestigating ALPHA, an Unidentified Newport Harbor Shipwreck

Coffee break 3:10 to 3:30

Session Six: Native American Archaeology
3:30 Jonathan C. Lothrop, Susan Winchell-Sweeney, Meredith H. Younge
Late Pleistocene Peoples in Western New York

3:50 Michael Beardsley
Puffin’ on a Drumlin: the E.J. O’Neil Site You Never Knew

4:10 John P. Hart
Resetting the Radiocarbon Chronology for the Late Prehistoric Mohawk Valley

4:30 Marie-Lorraine Pipes
Onondaga Foodways: Adaptations in Dietary Traditions

Saturday Evening
6:00 Reception
7:00 Banquet

Banquet speaker: James Bradley
Onondaga and Empire: An Iroquoian People in an Imperial Era, 1650 to 1711; a Preview

9:00 Awards
**Sunday Morning**
Special two thematic sessions on Iroquoian archaeology

**Session Seven: Haudenosaunee/Iroquois Archaeology Part I**

8:40  Jennifer Birch, Sturt Manning, Samantha Sanft, Megan Conger  
High-Precision Radiocarbon Chronology of Iroquoian Occupations in New York and Ontario: Preliminary Results and Implications

9:00  Samantha M. Sanft  
Modeling a Seneca Site Sequence

9:20  Andrew J. Myers  
The Cold Spring Pot: An Allegheny Valley Iroquois Vessel found in the Upper Allegheny Drainage

9:40  Timothy J. Abel  
Radiocarbon Dating the Iroquoian Occupation of Northern New York

**Coffee Break 10:00 to 10:20**

**Session Eight: Haudenosaunee/Iroquois Archaeology Part II**

10:20  William Engelbrecht  
Iroquois Chunkey

10:40  Dolores N. Elliott  
Iroquois Beadwork, Niagara Falls, and the Erie Canal

11:00  Kurt Jordan  
The Cornell University Project at the circa 1688-1715 Seneca White Springs Site: An Update

11:20  Liam C. Murphy  
A Preliminary Examination of the Ceramic Smoking Pipe Assemblage from the White Springs Site

11:40  Dusti Bridges  
Translating Archaeology into Stories: the Townley-Read and White Springs Sites

**12:00 lunch**

**1:00 Tour of the Erie Canal Museum/Weighlock Museum**