### Registration Opens 7:45 AM
Coffee, tea, and light refreshments will be available to all conference attendees.

### Opening Session 8:25–8:40 AM
Riddick Auditorium

Welcoming Remarks: Dr. Jonathan Ocko, History Department Head

### Prospective Student Session 8:45–10:15 AM
Riddick Atrium

**HOST:** Susanna Lee, Director of Graduate Programs, North Carolina State University

Prospective students are invited to engage faculty and current students in an informal environment to learn more about history graduate programs at NCSU. Coffee and light refreshments will be served. The session will immediately be followed by a campus tour.

*This event is limited to pre-registered prospective students only.*

### Session 1 8:45–10:15 AM

**The Sumptuous and the Sumptuary: Histories of Food and Government**

**Room A**

**PRESIDING:** Shaun Bennett, Alumnus, North Carolina State University

“Home Cooking is Our Bridge to the Past”: Food Writing and the Search for Heritage in Late Soviet Russia, 1968-1988

Adriannne Jacobs, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

How to Build a Poultry House during the American Progressive Era

Hannah Weksler, Georgia Institute of Technology

“Eat Plenty, Wisely, Without Waste”: Government Food Control During World War I

James Smith, West Virginia University

**COMMENT:** Charles C. Ludington, North Carolina State University
Religion in the Modern World
Room B

PRESIDING: Robert Roushail, North Carolina State University

The Social Contract in Islam
Nicholas Roberts, Georgetown University

Preserving Heritage through the Church: The Present and Future State of the Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church in North America
Alemayehu Bahta, Duke University

Separated by a Common Religion: Chinese and American Views of Christianity in the Early Cold War
Stephen Harrison, Vanderbilt University

COMMENT: Brent Sirota, North Carolina State University

Negotiating Gender in the Late Eighteenth Century Atlantic World
Room C

PRESIDING: Darby Reiners, North Carolina State University

Redefining Perdita: Mary Robinson’s Reputation as “The Lost One” Refigured
Kelsey Chandler, North Carolina State University

Taverns, Masculinity, and Space in the Early Republic: A History of Taverns in Richmond, VA 1780-1820
Heather Lennon, Virginia Tech

Mary Wollstonecraft—Forerunner of Positive Liberty
Michelle Stanley, University of British Columbia Okanagan

COMMENT: Julia Rudolph, North Carolina State University
Session 2  10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

❖ Writing the “Other” Defining Identity in Literature and Media❖
Room A

PRESIDING: Shaun Bennett, Alumnus, North Carolina State University

The Myth of the Vanishing Martian: Colonial Subtexts in Twentieth Century American Science Fiction
Bradley Dixon, North Carolina State University

Through the Eyes of Memphis Media: Organized Labor in Boss Crump’s Memphis
Troy Hallsell, George Mason University

Maintaining a Moral America: Media Representations of the My Lai Massacre
Caitlin Wolters, George Mason University

COMMENT: Maria G. Rouphail, North Carolina State University

❖ The South as a Historical Creation❖
Room B

PRESIDING: Stacy Roberts, North Carolina State University

Private Paths to Public Places: Local Actors and the Creation of National Parklands in the American South
Chris Eklund, Auburn University

Southern Populism, Race and North Carolina Politics
Jonathan Hennika, Winthrop University
The Black Vomit in Charleston: Dr. David Ramsay and the Reopening of the Slave Trade, 1803-1808
Benjamin Smith, University of Georgia

COMMENT: Katherine Mellen Charron, North Carolina State University
Memento Mori: Commemorations of Death
Room C

PRESIDING: Sarah Wenner, North Carolina State University

Roman Urns and Sarcophagi: The Quest for Postmortem Identity during the Pax Romana
Russell Gentry, North Carolina State University

Establishing a National Memory of Citizen Slaughter: The First Memory Site in US History – Edmond, Oklahoma 1986-1989
Jordan Hill, Virginia Tech

COMMENT: Craig Thompson Friend, North Carolina State University

History, Memory, and Manufactured Identities
Room D

PRESIDING: Jesse Hall, North Carolina State University

Remembering Virginia Dare: The Memorialization Campaign of Sallie Southall Cotton
Jessica Cochran, North Carolina State University

Gendered Firsts: A Site Analysis of Historic Edenton, NC
Krista Sorenson, North Carolina State University

Saints, Strangers and Capitalists: Redefining New England in the Atlantic World
Hilary Goodnow, North Carolina State University

COMMENT: Dean Bruno, North Carolina State University

LUNCH BREAK 12:00 – 12:30 PM
A complimentary lunch will be provided to all participants who pre-registered before February 16, 2013

Keynote Session 12:45 PM – 1:30 PM
Riddick Auditorium

Global Economic Crises: What do Historians Know that Economists Do Not?
Scott Reynolds Nelson, Legum Professor of History, College of William & Mary
Session 3  
1:45 – 3:15 PM

Intellectual Contact Points: Modernity and the Enlightenment
Room A

Presiding: Jamie Burns, North Carolina State University

William Walwyn and the Leveller Defense of Religious Toleration, 1640-1649
Zachary Ferguson, North Carolina State University

The Crisis of American Liberalism and the Making of “Enlightenment Values”
Alexander Jacobs, Vanderbilt University

The British Nation State during the Counterrevolution: The Role of the John Reeves' Association Movement
Robert Super, North Carolina State University

Comment: K. Steven Vincent, North Carolina State University

Well Behaved Women Seldom Make History: Femininity and Warfare
Room B

Presiding: Cara Smelter, North Carolina State University

While We Were Fighting: Worries About Women with Men Away at War in Medieval Spain
Gabrielle Guillon, Ohio University

“A Perfect Amazon”: Violent Women on a Dangerous Frontier
Samantha Smith, North Carolina State University

From Soft Spoken to Outspoken: Front Royal Women in War
Robin Smith, High Point University

Comment: Ariana Vigil, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
**WWII on the Eastern Front**

Room C

PRESIDING: Melanie Burkett, North Carolina State University

“And they fought for their Socialist Motherland”: The Creation of the Multietnic Red Army, 1941-1945

Roberto Carmack, University of Wisconsin - Madison

Failures to Communicate: A Case Study on the Role of Educational Administration in Postwar Thuringia

Andrew Haeberlin, University of North Carolina , Chapel Hill

**COMMENT:** Noah Strote, North Carolina State University

**City of Oaks: A Public History Panel on Raleigh, NC**

Room D

PRESIDING: Kelsey Chandler, North Carolina State University

The Development of Raleigh’s Religious Community in the Antebellum Period

Kathy Gleditsch, North Carolina State University

Raleigh: A Community of Schools

Crystal Unger, North Carolina State University

Tobacco, Taverns, and Matters of State: Economic Development in the Antebellum “City of Oaks”

Leah Brown, North Carolina State University

**COMMENT:** Ernest Dollar, Raleigh City Museum
On Their Own Terms, In Their Own Words: African American Women and Narratives of Empowerment

Room A
PRESIDING: Cara Smelter, North Carolina State University

'Trumpetiste' Clora Bryant: Uncovering a Legend
Angeleisha Rodgers, North Carolina Central University

Court and Color in Carolina: Antebellum Law and Free African Americans in North Carolina
Chrystal Regan, North Carolina State University

Designed Divisions: Oral Histories of SNCC Women
Anna Fowler, Virginia Tech

COMMENT: Sheila Smith McCoy, North Carolina State University

Global Diplomacy in the Cold War

Room B

PRESIDING: Kelsey Zavelo, North Carolina State University

41 Days and 40 Nights: Mossadegh in America
Ian Lear-Nickum, North Carolina State University

Flights to Freedom
Drewry Wofford, North Carolina State University

"The Soul of Our Foreign Policy": Sectarian Volunteerism, Transnational Activism, and the Emergence of Human Rights in U.S. Foreign Policy
Shannon Nix, University of Virginia

COMMENT: Klaus Larres, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
The Indigene Strikes Back: Colonialisms Reconsidered
Room C

PRESIDING: Amanda Jewett, North Carolina State University

Asserting Rights, Reclaiming Space: District of Marshpee versus Phineas Fish, 1833-1843
Nicole Breault, University of Massachusetts, Boston

Colonial Ideology and Public Opinion in Imperial Germany
Jeff Guilford, North Carolina State University

World War I and Indigenous Communities
John Thompson, Georgia State University

COMMENT: Judy Kertész, North Carolina State University

Closing Session 5:05–5:15 PM
Riddick Auditorium

Closing Remarks: Dr. Susanna Lee, Director of Graduate Programs