HWW-AHA Faculty Institute Syllabus & Bibliography
July 25–26, 2019 • Chicago, Illinois

Where

All HWW-AHA Faculty Institute events will be held at the Genevieve and Wayne Gratz Center at Fourth Presbyterian Church, 126 E. Chestnut St, Chicago, Illinois (at N. Michigan Ave.).

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“INTRODUCTION TO NATIONAL CAREER DIVERSITY PROJECTS, GRADUATE STUDENT OUTCOMES, & BRAINSTORMING PHD PROGRAMMING DEVELOPMENT”

1. Welcome from Antoinette Burton, 8:30–9:00am
   • Coffee & Breakfast

2. Session 1—Why the Data Matters: Introduction to the American Historical Association’s Career Diversity for Historians Initiative, 9:15–10:45am
   • James Grossman, Executive Director, AHA
   • Emily Swafford, Director of Academic and Professional Affairs, AHA
   • Dylan Ruediger, Coordinator, Career Diversity for Historians and Institutional Research, AHA

   Coffee Break, 10:45–11am

3. Session 2—Career Diversity and the Graduate Student Experience, 11–12:30pm
   • Jason Mierek, Director of Operations, Humanities Without Walls
   • Maggie Nettesheim Hoffmann, PhD Candidate at Marquette University, Project Director for Humanities Without Walls & HWW 2017 Fellow
   • Olivia Hagedorn, PhD Candidate at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and 2019 MLA Career Development Bootcamp Fellow
   • Matthew Reeves, PhD Candidate at the University of Missouri at Kansas City, HWW 2017 Fellow, and AHA Career Diversity Fellow

4. Working Lunch at the Gratz Center, Getting Honest: What is the Purpose of a PhD?
   12:30–1:30pm

   Afternoon Break: 1:30–2pm

5. Session 3—Small Group Conversation #1: Changing Hats, 2–3:15pm
   • Coffee Break, 3:15–3:30pm

6. Session 4—Small Group Conversation #2: Strategies for Using the Whole University, Group Design Project, 3:30–5pm
Day 2: Friday, July 26, 2019 — Gratz Anderson Hall

“CAREER DIVERSITY WITH THE MELLON FOUNDATION”

1. Breakfast—8–9am

2. Session 1—Humanities Without Walls Fellowship Alums, 9–10:30am
   • Emily Lacy, University of Illinois at Chicago, HWW 2017 Fellow
   • Robert Smith III, The Surdna Foundation, HWW 2015 Fellow
   • Sara Thiel, Chicago Shakespeare Theater, HWW 2016 Fellow

   Coffee Break, 10:45–11am

3. Session 2: History of Career Diversity Projects, 10:45am–Noon
   • Antoinette Burton, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and PI, Humanities Without Walls
   • James Grossman, Executive Director, American Historical Association
   • Eugene Tobin, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

4. Lunch: Noon–1pm

5. Session 3—Graduate Lab Practicum and HWW Research Challenge, 1:15–2:15pm
   • Sara Černe, PhD Candidate, Northwestern University
   • Bonnie Etherington, PhD Candidate, Northwestern University
   • Tara Hatfield, PhD Candidate, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

   Coffee Break, 2:15–2:30pm

6. Session 4: Humanities for the Public Good, 2:30–3:30pm
   • Teresa Mangum, Director, Obermann Center for Advanced Studies, University of Iowa

7. Session 5: How the Humanities Can Inform STEM, 3:45–5pm
   • Holly Falk-Krzenski, Vice President for Research Intelligence, Elsevier
2019 Career Diversity Bibliography

This bibliography categorizes current research and best practices within career diversity discourses to help justify the structure of the 2019 HWW predoctoral fellowship workshop and faculty institutes. We have constructed themes and sub-categories within this bibliography to further distinguish the literature.

Career Advising


__________. “How to feel less alone when reconsidering your career goals,” Inside Higher Ed, September 25, 2017.


Bartha, Miriam. “Skill,” Keywords for American Cultural Studies. https://keywords.nyupress.org/american-cultural-studies/essay/skill/


Career Diversity Critiques & Responses


Career Stories


Faculty Training


Faculty Training (Cont.)


Graduate Student Agency / Value of Collaboration


Podcasts

McCarthy, Monica. The Happier Hour: Life Outside Academia.

Public Humanities and Research Projects


Public Humanities and Research Projects (Cont.)


Values


Websites: General Advice and National Projects

AHA's The Career Diversity Five Skills -
https://www.historians.org/jobs-and-professional-development/career-diversity-for-historians/career-diversity-resources/five-skills

AHA's Career Diversity for Historians initiative -
https://www.historians.org/jobs-and-professional-development/career-diversity-for-historians

Connected Academics - https://connect.mla.hcommons.org/

Carpe Careers - https://www.insidehighered.com/career-advice/carpe-career

Career Exploration Tools & Resources for Medievalists & Other Humanities PhDs -
https://katiehodgeskluck.wordpress.com/2019/03/27/career-exploration-tools-resources-for-medievalists-other-humanities-phds/

ImaginePhD - https://www.imaginephd.com/

MLA's Guide for PhD Programs and Faculty Members in English and Other Modern Languages -
https://connect.mla.hcommons.org/doctoral-student-career-planning-faculty-toolkit/

MLA's Doctoral Student Career Planning Toolkit Download -
MLA's Transferable Skills and How to Talk About Them -
https://connect.mla.hcommons.org/resource-transferable-skills-and-how-to-talk-about-them/

Helping Students Prepare for Humanities Careers: Recommendations for Faculty Members -
https://connect.mla.hcommons.org/helping-students-prepare-for-humanities-careers-recommendations-for-faculty-members/

What can you do with that PhD?: FAQs about non-academic jobs -

Talks about translating PhD skills into non-academic settings -

Information on the Foundation Field, Foundation Center - http://foundationcenter.org/

Non-Academic Career Options for PhDs in the Humanities and Social Sciences -
https://www.careereducation.columbia.edu/tips-resources

Created for PhDs in history, but broadly applicable information - http://beyondacademe.com/index.html

10 Tips for Developing an Alternate Career While in Graduate School -
https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/career-transitions/201110/10-tips-developing-alternate-career-while-in-graduate-school

Questions to ask yourself when deciding on a career direction -


Uptowork: Resume Writing - https://uptowork.com/blog/resume-writing

Humanities for the Public Good, University of Iowa - https://uihumanitiesforthepublicgood.com