

**SOCIETY FOR MILITARY HISTORY 2009 ANNUAL MEETING PROGRAM  
APRIL 2-5, 2009 – EMBASSY SUITES AND CONFERENCE CENTER, MURFREESBORO, TN  
ROOM LOCATIONS TBA**

**SESSION #1:**

**Friday 8:00am – 9:45am**

**1-1**

**Quelling Treason and Preventing Crime:  
Union Military Occupation in the Slave States during the American Civil War**

Chair: Susannah Bruce, Sam Houston State University

*“A Revengeful and Vindictive Spirit”: Baltimore City Clashes with the Middle Department*  
Timothy Orr, Pennsylvania State University

*“Beneath the Gloomy Shadows of Federal Despotism”:  
A Social Historical View of Military Occupation in Eastern North Carolina*  
Judkin Browning, Appalachian State University

*Drunks, Prostitutes, and Traitors: Crime in Vicksburg under Union Occupation*  
Alfred Wallace, Pennsylvania State University

Comments: Kenneth Noe, Auburn University

**1-2**

**Joint Coalition Warfare in Afghanistan**

Chair: Lisa Munday, University of St. Thomas, Houston

*Transforming Aerial Warfare: The Use of Strategic Bombers and the Joint Direct Attack  
Munition (JDAM) during Operation Enduring Freedom*  
Robert Kane, University of Texas, Austin

*Time to Pass the Guidon: Transferring Command of American PRTS in Afghanistan to  
Civilian Control*  
Frank Hughlett, National Defense University

*Task Force Phoenix and the Training of the Afghan National Army, 2002-2005*  
Christopher Koontz, U.S. Army Center of Military History

Comments: Lisa Munday, University of St. Thomas, Houston

**1-3**

**Constructing Cultural Agency in the US Military, 1890-1930**

Chair: John F. Votaw, Sr., Dominican University

*Vice and the Soldier:*

*The Army Medical Department and Public Health as Morality, 1890-1910*

Bobby A. Wintermute, Queens College-CUNY

*Louis Marshall and the Fight Against 'The Psychology of War'*

Frederic J. Krome, University of Cincinnati-Clermont College

*Sabotaging the Experiment: The Controversy over the Performance of Black Military Personnel and Black Units in the Great War*

James E. Westheider, University of Cincinnati-Clermont College

*Control vs. Disruption:*

*The U.S.M.C. and Voodoo and Witchcraft Trials in Haiti, 1927-1930*

David J. Ulbrich, Ohio University

Comments: John Broom, Norwich University

**1-4**

**Perceptions of War and Warriors**

Chair: Stephen A. Bourque, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*The Vicarious War: Public Perceptions of the Mexican American War*

Gregory S. Hospodor, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*"The Heart Of An Indian": Arikara Perceptions of George Armstrong Custer*

Mark van de Logt, Benedictine College

*Remembering Vietnam: Vietnam War Memorialization, 1965-2004.*

Deborah C. Kidwell, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Comments: Harry S. Laver, Southeastern Louisiana University

1-5

**PRESIDENTIAL PANEL**

**Co-Sponsored by the Minerva Society for the Study of Women and War**

**Major Issues in the Study of Women and War**

Chair: Linda Grant De Pauw, The Minerva Center

*Situational Awareness: Contextual Feeling in American Women Soldiers' War Stories*  
Maureen Phillips, Oregon Tech University

*Women as Leaders: Military Officers and Peace Activists*  
Judith Hicks Stiehm, Florida International University

*Violence in War: Rape and Murder of American Women Soldiers*  
COL Anne Wright, U.S. Army (Retired)

Comment: The Audience

1-6

**Steam to Flight Decks: Naval Transformations**

Chair: TBA

*The Royal Navy, Education, and Officer Competence:  
The Challenges of the Mid-Nineteenth Century*  
John Beeler, The University of Alabama

*Alfred Thayer Mahan and the Hague Conference of 1899:  
Preventing the United States Commission from "Any Lapse into Sentimentality"*  
Alan Anderson, Norwich University

*Ernst von Halle and the U.S. Navy in German Naval Propaganda, 1897-1907*  
Gregory Zieren, Austin Peay State University

*Cultural Conflict or Conformity? The First 20 Years of Naval Aviation*  
Laurence Burke, Carnegie Mellon University

Comments: TBA

1-7

**Teaching Vietnam: A Roundtable Discussion on the Opportunities and Pitfalls of Teaching America's Most Controversial War**

Chair: Andrew Wiest, The University of Southern Mississippi

James Willbanks  
U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

John Milam  
Texas Tech University

Hal Wert  
Kansas City Art Institute

**SESSION #2:**

**Friday 10:00am – 11:45am**

2-1

**Trans-Mississippi Theater in the Civil War**

Chair: Jeff Prushankin, Penn State University – Abington College

*The Disintegration of an Army:  
The Breakup of the Confederate Trans-Mississippi Army in Texas, 1865*  
Bradley R. Clappitt, East Central University

*Tom Green and the Texas Cavalry in the Red River Campaign*  
Gary D. Joiner, Louisiana State University in Shreveport

*Rip Ford: Confederate or Texan?*  
Richard B. McCaslin, University of North Texas

Comments: Richard Lowe, University of North Texas

2-2

**Cross-Cultural Dimensions of the Afghanistan War**

Chair: George Eaton, U.S. Army Sustainment Command

*Afghanistan, the Limits of Western War-Making, and Challenges to Military History*  
Colonel Gary M. Bowman, U.S. Army Center of Military History

*Texture and Cultural Complexity: The Experience of a Rogue Historian in Afghanistan*  
Sean M. Maloney, Royal Military College of Canada

*Official Military History within NATO: An Examination of Purposes, Techniques, and Accessibility of Official Military Records Collected During the Global War on Terror*  
Major Kenneth R. Foulks, Jr., U.S. Army Center of Military History

Comments: Chris S. DeRosa, Monmouth University

**2-3**

**New Perspectives on the Canadian Army in Europe, 1943-46**

Chair: David Zimmerman, University of Victoria

*'An Enemy More Dangerous than the German':  
Causes and Consequences of the Malaria Epidemic in the Canadian First Division during  
the Allied Campaigns on Sicily and Italy, 1943-44*  
Denis Dubard, Capilano University

*From Non-Fraternization to Rape: Canadian Soldiers' Relations with Civilians in  
Germany, 1945-46*  
Hugh Gordon, University of Victoria

*"Credit Where Credit is Due:" Canadian Army War News, PR and Alliance Relations,  
1942-1945*  
Tim Balzer, University of Victoria

Comments: Marc Milner, University of New Brunswick

**2-4**

**War and Culture in World War II: The Axis Perspective**

Chair: Robert Davis, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute

*Life and Death in the German General Staff Officer Corps in World War II*  
John McGrath, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute

*Brothels, 'Vampire camps,' and 'Dying Camps':  
The Wehrmacht's Sites of Internment*  
Geoffrey P. Megargee, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

*Nothing to Do with 'National Character': Italian Military Failure in the  
First Libyan Campaign, 1940-41*  
Craig Stockings, Australian Defence Force Academy

Comments: Kendall Gott, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute

**2-5**

**Dominion Troops in British Foreign Service in the Early Twentieth Century**

Chair: Mark Sheftall, Duke University

*"Call of the Blood":*

*Race, Identity, and Dominion Contributions to Imperial Defense, 1899-1914*

John C. Mitcham, The University of Alabama

*"Fighting for Democracy" -- Canadian Soldier Culture in the First World War: The Case of the 236th Overseas Battalion (New Brunswick Kilties -- Sir Sam's Own)*

Brent Wilson, The University of New Brunswick

*Culture and National Character on the Great War Battlefield: The Experience of the Australian, British, and Canadian Armies during the Battle of Arras, 1917*

Mike Bechtold, Wilfrid Laurier University

Comments: Mark Sheftall, Duke University

**2-6**

**PRESIDENTIAL PANEL**

**Co-Sponsored by the Hemingway Society**

**New Directions in the Literary-Historical Study of War**

Chair: Pearl James, University of Kentucky

*The Lost and Found Generation:*

*How Hemingway, Fitzgerald, and Dos Passos Learned to Write about the Great War*

James Meredith, The Hemingway Society

*A "True but Dangerous" Book:*

*Mary Lee's It's a Great War! and the 1929 War Novel Competition*

Steve Trout, Fort Hays State University

*Why the Vietnam Antiwar Uprising?: The Confluence of Scholastic Meritocracy and Cold War Mobilization in a New Student Class*

Keith Gandal, North Illinois University

Comments: Pearl James, University of Kentucky

**2-7**

**The Uses and Abuses of "Ways of War" - A Roundtable**

Chair: Brian Neumann, Newman University

Adrian Lewis, University of Kansas

Wayne Lee, University of North Carolina

Antulio Echevarria, Strategic Studies Institute

Kenneth Swope, Ball State University

Comments: Audience

**SOCIETY OF MILITARY HISTORY AWARDS LUNCHEON**

**11:45am – 1:15pm**

**BALLROOM**

**SESSION #3:**

**Friday 1:30pm – 3:30pm**

**3-1**

**Building Sites of Memory:**

**Constructing Remembrance and Meaning of the American Civil War**

Chair: Christopher R. Mortenson, Ouachita Baptist University

*"History Hides the Lies of Our Civil War:" The Forgotten Battle of Pickett's Mill"*

Angela M. Zombek, University of Florida

*Preserving the Lost Cause: The Establishment of Stratford Hall, 1929-1938*

Laura Lawfer, Stratford Hall Historical Site

*"A Would-be Destroyer:"*

*Pennsylvania Veteran Recollections of Robert E. Lee and the Limits of Reunion*

J. Adam Rogers, Pennsylvania State University

Commentator: Aaron Sheehan-Dean, University of North Florida

**3-2**

**The 1930s: Cultural Origins of the World War II Fighting Machine**

Chair: Gregory S. Hospodor, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Model Ts, Wright Flyers, and Shadetree Mechanics:*

*The Cultural Origins of the American GI*

Robert P. Wettemann, Jr., U.S. Air Force Academy

*An Airline Executive at War: C.R. Smith and the Roots of Air Transport Command*

John Plating, U.S. Air Force Academy

*The German Military Mission to China: The Effects of Cultural Exchange on Policy*

Robyn Rodriguez, Ohio State University

Comments: Allan R. Millett, University of New Orleans

**3-3**

**Iconography and Hagiography in the Memory of War**

Chair: TBA

*These Symbols of Fraternity: Flags and Ceremony in the Parisian National Guard*

Dale Clifford, University of North Florida

*"Duty, Honor, Country?" Confederate Memory in West Point Culture*

COL Ty Seidule, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*Before They Were Great: The Boys of '41*

Maureen Moore, Palomar Community College

Comments: TBA

**3-4**

**Caribbean Culture in War and Peace**

Chair: TBA

*Extending the Olive Branch to Toussaint Louverture:*

*Napoleon and Saint-Domingue, 1801-02*

Kenneth Johnson, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*Cultural Conflict:*

*Voodoo in American military memoirs from the*

*Haitian Occupation (1915-1934)*

Louise Fenton, University of Wolverhampton

*The Puerto Rican Soldier: America's Foreign Legionnaire*

Miguel Hernandez, American Military University

Comments: TBA



**3-5**

**New Perspectives on the Republic of Vietnam Armed Forces**

Chair: Andrew Wiest, University of Southern Mississippi

*The Formative Years of the Republic of Viet Nam Armed Forces, 1954-1963*  
Triet Nguyen, University of Ottawa

*Military and Political Roles of Weapons Systems in the RVNAF, 1967-1972*  
Martin Loicano, University of Southern Mississippi

*Black April: The Defeat of South Vietnam, 1973-1975*  
George J. Veith, Independent Scholar

Comments: Andrew Wiest, University of Southern Mississippi

**3-6**

**Brains, Planes, and Chilblains:  
Intelligence, Technology, and Physiology in the USAAF at Mid-Century**

Chair: John Guilmartin, The Ohio State University

TBA  
LTC John Terino, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

TBA  
COL Robert Ehlers, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

*The Problem with Pilots:  
How Physicians and Engineers Transformed the Human Role in Airpower before 1945*  
LTC Tim Schultz, U.S. Air Force Research Institute

Comment: John Guilmartin, The Ohio State University

**3-7**

**Race and Gender in Military History**

Chair: Russell A. Hart, Hawai'i Pacific University

*Women, the Military, and U.S. Foreign Relations During the Cold War*  
Heather Stur, University of Southern Mississippi

*An Analysis of the Role of Gender in the Historiography of the Napoleonic Wars*  
Kirsty Montgomery, Oakton Community College

*Male Soldiers Have Genders, Too*  
David Ulbrich, Ohio University

*Racial and Gender Ideologies as a Neglected Aspect of Military History*  
Bob Wintermute, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Queens College, SUNY

*If They Don't Ask, Should We Tell? Arguments for Integrating Discussions of Gay, Lesbian, and Transgender Histories into Military History Courses*  
Allison Gough, Hawai'i Pacific University

Comment: The Audience

**SESSION #4**

**Saturday 8:00am – 9:45am**

**4-1**

**Conscription, Mobilization, and the Transformation of Confederate Political Culture**

Chair: TBA

*A Negotiated Federalism: Confederate Governors and the Central Government*  
Michael A. Powell, Frederick Community College

*"Required by the Exigencies of the Times": The 1862 Confederate Conscription Act*  
John M. Sacher, University of Central Florida

*Conscripting and Constituting:  
Military Conscription and the Development of a Confederate Constitutional Order*  
Donald L. Stelluto, Jr., University of Notre Dame

Comment: TBA

**4-2**

**New Perspectives on World War II at Sea**

Chair: Richard Muller, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

*Was There Something Inherently Japanese about Operation MI (Midway)?*  
James Levy, Hofstra University

*The Forgotten World War II Theater: The Allies in the Persian Gulf*  
Jeffery Macris, U.S. Naval Academy

*OP-16-Z: The Special Activities Branch of the Office of Naval Intelligence, 1942-45*  
Randy Carol Balano, Office of Naval Intelligence

Comments: Richard Muller, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

**4-3**

**PRESIDENTIAL PANEL**

**Co-Sponsored by the American Schools of Oriental Research**

**The Evidence for Ancient Wars: Conflict on the Issus Plain**

Chair: Amanda Iacobelli, Pennsylvania State University

*New Thoughts on the Location of the Issus Battlefield:  
A Historical Assessment and Archaeological Proposal*  
Brandon R. Olsen, Pennsylvania State University

*The Significance of Greek Mercenaries at the Battle of Issus*  
Jeffrey A. Rop, Pennsylvania State University

*Archaeology and Ancient Propaganda: Cicero's Cilician Campaign of 51 BC*  
Thaddeus Olsen, Pennsylvania State University

*The Historical Sources for the Severan Battle of Issus and their Limitations*  
Jeffrey T. Herrick, Pennsylvania State University

Comments: William Caraher, University of North Dakota

**4-4**

**The U.S. Army in Open Ended Wars**

Chair: Edgar F. Raines, U.S. Army Center of Military History

*A Damn Hard Job: James A. Van Fleet and the Combat Effectiveness of Eighth Army, July 1951-February 1953*

William M. Donnelly, U.S. Army Center of Military History

*Last Among the Services:*

*Images and Attitudes toward the U.S. Army, 1960-1969*

Lisa Munday, University of St. Thomas

*Recruiting, Retaining, and Rotating: The Effects of Long Wars on the U.S. Army*

Stephen J. Lofgren, U.S. Army Center of Military History

Comment: Henry G. Gole, U.S. Army War College

**4-5**

**Politics, Culture, and Empire:**

**Understanding Military Strategy and Deployments at the Close of Empire**

Chair: Frederick Dotolo, St. John Fisher College

“A Cromwell without character, a Danton devoid of decision: Mirza Kuchek Khan and the rise of anti-British populism in Iran.”

Tova Abosch, The University of Texas at Austin

*Plowshares into Swords: British Counter-Insurgency Efforts in Palestine, 1936-1948*

Sara Abosch, North Carolina State University

“Swimming against the tide: British propaganda efforts at the end of empire.”

Dougie Bicket, St. John Fisher College

*Western European Defense Spending and Force Structure – To What Ends?*

Robert J. Bird, Jr., St. John Fisher College

Comments: Frederick Dotolo, St. John Fisher College

**4-6**

**Dirigibles, Dresses, and Disasters: Case Studies in British Intelligence, 1912-1951**

Chair: David Johnson Silbey, Alvernia College

*"I See You Have Copied Everything-Including Our Mistakes": The Role of Technological Intelligence in the Failure of the British Rigid Airship Programme 1912-1931*  
Guy Finch, Joint Services Command and Staff College (U.K.)

*Was She a Treasure? Lily Sergueiew, British Intelligence, and a Relationship Failure*  
Mary Kathryn Barbier, Mississippi State University

*A Failure of Intelligence? The 29th British Infantry Brigade on the Imjin, 1951*  
S. P. MacKenzie, University of South Carolina

Comments: Dennis Showalter, Colorado College

**4-7**

**Education for the Complex Threat Environment:  
Professional Military Education and the "Long War"**

Chair: Paul Gelpi, U.S. Marine Corps Command and Staff College

Bruce E. Bechtol Jr., U.S. Marine Corps Command and Staff College

Paul Rexton Kan, U.S. Army War College

Mark A. Moyer, U.S. Marine Corps University

Douglas E. Streusand, U.S. Marine Corps Command and Staff College

Comment: The Audience

**SESSION #5**

**Saturday 10:00am – 11:45am**

**5-1**

**African American Soldiers and Society in the American Civil War**

Chair: Minoa Uffelman, Austin Peay State University

*Identity and Motivation: Black Civil War Recruits from British North America*  
Richard M. Reid, University of Guelph

*African American Soldiers Communities in Civil War Era Memphis*  
Andrew L. Slap, East Tennessee State University

*Where Separate Grand Army Posts are Unknown . . . As Colored and White are United":  
Integration in the Grand Army of the Republic*  
Barbara A. Gannon, U.S. Government Accountability Office

Comments: Gregory J. W. Urwin, Temple University

**5-2**

**Winning and Losing the Hundred Days:  
Cultural Contributions and Operational Factors in 1918**

Chair: Gary Armstrong, William Jewell College

*Connecting Culture and the Battlefield: Britain and the Empire Fight the Hundred Days*  
David Silbey, Alvernia College

*Turning Points: OHL's Fatally Flawed Decisions on the Road to the Hundred Days*  
Major General David T. Zabecki, U.S. Army (Retired)

*Key AEF Contributions to the Hundred Days*  
LTC Mark Grotelueschen, U.S. Air Force Academy

Comments: Michael Neiberg, University of Southern Mississippi

**5-3**

**War in the Ancient World**

Chair: TBA

*A New Look at the Fall of the Assyrian Empire*  
Sarah C. Melville, Clarkson University

*The Archaic Phalanx and the Rise of the Greek Polis Reconsidered*  
Joseph Frechette, University of Maryland

TBD  
Everett Wheeler, Duke University

Comment: TBA

**5-4**

**Compelled to Act: The Effects of Masculinity Codes on Soldier Behavior**

Chair: Joe Guilmartin, The Ohio State University

*Manhood, Acceptance, and Exclusion:  
The Realities of Combat, Primary Group Dynamics, and the Behavior of Men under Fire*  
Dr. Edward J. Coss, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Too Much Humiliation Destroys the Morale of Men:  
German-American Soldiers' Conceptions of Honor, Manhood, and Justice in the  
Aftermath of the Chancellorsville Campaign*  
Dr. Christian B. Keller, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Pistol-Packing Padres: Chaplains, Weapons, and Military Masculinity*  
Bradley L. Carter, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

Comment: Chair: Joe Guilmartin, The Ohio State University

**5-5**

**New Interpretations of French Irregular Warfare**

Chair: Lt Colonel Winfield Scott, Air Command and Staff College

*French Partisan Warfare: From Matchlock to Flintlock (1670-1750)*  
George Satterfield, Hawai'i Pacific University

*French Colonial Military Intelligence in Africa and Asia in the 19th and 20th Centuries*  
William T. Dean III, Air Command and Staff College (USAF)

*French Approaches to the Problems of Sanctuary and External Support in Counterinsurgency (1945-1962)*  
Colin F. Jackson, U.S. Naval War College

Comments: Marc Genest, U.S. Naval War College, Newport RI

**5-6**

**Current History and the Iraq War: A Panel Consideration**

Chair: Theodore A. Wilson, University of Kansas

*Current History and Iraq: Historians or Journalist?*  
Alexander S. Cochran, Office of the U.S. Army Chief of Staff

*The Pitfalls of Writing Current Histories of the Iraq War*  
Gian P. Gentile, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*Thoughts on the Emerging History of the Iraq War*  
Peter Mansoor, The Ohio State University

*Seeking Clarity during Conflict: On Point II and the US Army's Search for a Usable Past*  
Donald Wright, Combat Studies Institute

Comments: Theodore A. Wilson, University of Kansas

**5-7**

**Conquest and Culture in Colonial Latin America**

Chair: James Williams, Middle Tennessee State University

*To Annihilate or Annex: Changing Perceptions by Spaniards of Maroon Communities in Colonial Mexico, 1580-1750*

Matthew Padron, Pennsylvania State University

*Enemies and Allies: Pedro Menéndez de Avilés and his Interactions with Florida's Indians during the First Ten Years of Spanish Florida*

Erin Woodruff, Vanderbilt University

*Body of Conquest:*

*A Corporal (Re) Construction of the Conquest and Colonization of Yucatán*

Spencer Delbridge, Pennsylvania State University

Comment: James Williams, Middle Tennessee State University

**S1**

**LUNCH ROUNDTABLE:**

**Saturday 12:00pm – 1:15pm**

**Teaching Military History to Soldiers in a Time of War- A Roundtable**

Chair: Reina Pennington, Norwich University

Mark Grimsley, Ohio State University

Robert M. Citino, Eastern Michigan University

Comments: The Audience

**SESSION #6**

**Saturday 1:30pm – 3:15pm**

**6-1**

**Combat Operations and Civilian Culture: Armies in the South during the Civil War**

Chair: Edmund Drago, College of Charleston

*They Fought Side by Side:*

*Black and Native American Union Soldiers in Eastern North Carolina during the Civil War*

Arwin Smallwood, University of Memphis

“Without System or Organization:” Union Soldiers in Louisiana in 1863

Peter Luebke, University of Virginia

TBD

Derek W. Frisby, Middle Tennessee State University

Comment: Joan Cashin, The Ohio State University



**6-2**

**New Perspectives on American Naval Technology in the Gilded Age and Progressive Era**

Chair: Gary E. Weir, University of Maryland

*No Longer an 'Alphabet of Floating Washtubs':  
American Naval Modernization during the Gilded Age*  
Timothy Wolters, Utah State University

*Early American Development of the Whitehead Torpedo:  
Technology, Industry, and Tactics*  
Kate Epstein, Ohio State University

*Before the Aircraft Carrier: The First Years of U.S. Naval Aviation*  
Stephen Stein, University of Memphis

Comment: Gary E. Weir, University of Maryland

**6-3**

**Changing Patterns in Medieval Warfare**

Chair: John Hosler, Morgan State University

*Changing Patterns of Nomadic Warfare during the Middle Ages*  
John France, University of Wales, Swansea

*Naval Warfare: The Crucial Global Shift*  
Stephen Morillo, Wasbash College

*The Sieges of Rhodes (1480 and 1522) as a Laboratory for  
Studying Late Medieval Military Change*  
Kelly DeVries, Loyola College

Comment: John Hosler, Morgan State University

**6-4**

**Race and Ethnicity in American Military Institutions**

Chair: TBA

*Take your Place Among the Soldiers of your Country, A Man Among Men:  
Military Training at Black Colleges in the Late Nineteenth Century*  
Marcus Cox, The Citadel

*'All Differences...Were Forgotten':  
The Origins and Effects of the World War II U.S. Army Multi-Ethnic Platoon*  
Thomas Bruscano, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Bonds Built in Combat: Changing Perceptions of Race in the U.S. Armed Forces*  
Julia Stahl, Harvard University

Comment: TBA

**6-5**

**Where Worlds Collide: The US Army and the Cultural Nexus of the American Empire**

Chair: Conrad Crane, U.S. Army Military History Institute

*The Right Way, the Wrong Way, and the Army Way:  
Democracy Building in Cuba, 1898-1902*  
James H. Pruett, Texas A&M University

*"A Search for Order:" Military Culture in the Phillipine Constabulary*  
CPT Robert Mihara, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*An Unexpected Occupation: The U.S. Army in Northern Mexico, 1846-1848*  
MAJ Thomas Spahr, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*The Use of Indiginous Forces to Negotiate Cultural Terrain in Stability Operations:  
The Phillipine Constabulary, 1901-1917*  
Robert Angevine, George Washington University

Comment: Conrad Crane, U.S. Army Military History Institute

**6-6**

**Misremembering Vietnam?**

Chair: TBA

*Victory in I Corps:  
USMC Combat and Pacification Efforts in I Corps of South Vietnam, 1965*  
Jason M. Sokiera, University of Southern Mississippi

*The Myths of the Tet Offensive*  
Edwin Moïse, Clemson University

*South Korea's "Forgotten War":  
Wartime Atrocities and the Social and Cultural Impact of the Vietnam War  
on the Republic of Korea*  
Christos G. Frentzos, Austin Peay State University

Comment: TBA

**6-7**

**Teaching Military History at the Service Academies – A Roundtable**

Chair: Gordon Rudd, School for Advanced Warfighting (USMC)

COL Matt Moten, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

CPT Mark R. Hagerott, U.S. Naval Academy

COL Mark Wells, U.S. Air Force Academy

Comments: The Audience

**SESSION #7**

**Saturday 3:30pm – 4:45pm**

**7-1**

**Culture and Politics in the American Civil War**

Chair: Derek W. Frisby, Middle Tennessee State University

*In Order To Conquer, What We Need Is To Dare: The Republican Revolution in Civil War West Virginia*

Stephen Smoot, West Virginia University

*"Miserable Demagogues:" Union Soldiers and Perceived Enemies in the North*

Steven J. Ramold, Eastern Michigan University

*Dying in the Face of Death: Attitudes toward Death and Dying in the American Civil War*

Debra Sheffer, Park University

Comment: Derek W. Frisby, Middle Tennessee State University

**7-2**

**Doctrine, Culture, and American Airpower**

Chair: Alex Roland, Duke University

*The United States Air Force in Bosnia, 1992-1995*

Daniel L. Haulman, U.S. Air Force Historical Research Agency

*The U.S. Air Force Confronts Counterinsurgency:*

*Sixty Years of Conflict between Official and Unofficial Doctrine*

James S. Corum, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

*Antiaircraft Artillery: The Missing Cultural Thread in Fabric of Airpower History*

Bryon Greenwald, National Defense University

Comment: Alex Roland, Duke University

**7-3**

**War and Culture in the Age of the Two Napoleons**

Chair: Michael V. Leggiere, University of North Texas

*Culture and War in the Habsburg Monarchy:  
The Archduke Carl and the Long Reaction to the Wars of Napoleon*  
Lee W. Eysturild, Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy

*Clash of Cultures: The Army of Westphalia, 1807-1813*  
Michael F. Pavković, U.S. Naval War College

*The French Culture of War and the Debacle of 1870-71*  
Geoffrey Wawro, University of North Texas

Comment: John A. Lynn, University of Illinois

**7-4**

**A Transnational Look at Cultures of Troop Morale Building Efforts**

Chair: Janet Valentine, U.S. Air National Guard History Office

*Perfume and Lipstick in the Boonies: Red Cross SRAO and the Vietnam War*  
Heather Stur, University of Southern Mississippi

*Women as Morale Boosters in the German Federal Armed Forces (Bundeswehr)*  
Fabian Virchow, Philipps University – Marburg

*Fighting for European Culture?  
Raising the Morale of Western European Officers in the German Waffen-SS*  
Martin Guttman, Syracuse University

*The Importance of Personal Communication in Maintaining the Morale of  
Women Soldiers in Iraq*  
Jeanne Christie, Manhattanville College and Western Connecticut State University

Comment: Janet Valentine, U.S. Air National Guard History Office

**7-5**

**Law, Education, and Experience in South Africa**

Chair: TBA

*British Soldiers, Military Law and the South Africa, 1899-1902*  
Stephen Miller, University of Maine

*The Anglo-Boer War and the First World War – A Comparison of Experiences*  
Fransjohan Pretorius, University of Pretoria

*The Role of Organisational Culture in the Development of the  
South African Military Academy, 1950 to the present*  
Deon Visser and Gielie van Dyk, Stellenbosch University

Comments: TBA

**7-6**

**Changing Role of the Militia and National Guard**

Chair: Jeff Roberts, Tennessee Technology University

*Helmets in the Halls: The Arkansas National Guard at Little Rock Central High*  
Shawn Fisher, University of Memphis

*In Defense of Our City and Our Nation: Military Preparations by the Citizens of Philadelphia following the Burning of Washington, 1814-1815*  
Eric Jarvis, King's University College

*The National Guard as Community, 1906 – 2008*  
Robert Cook, Independent Scholar

Comment: Jeff Roberts, Tennessee Technology University

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**SPEAKER: CONRAD CRANE, U.S. MILITARY HISTORY INSTITUTE**

**RECEPTION 6PM**

**DINNER 7PM**

**BALLROOM**

**SESSION #8**

**Sunday 8:00am – 9:45am**

**8-1**

**Exporting War in the Early Republic**

Chair: TBA

*The Creation of the Orleans Militia:  
Establishing Democracy in a Foreign Land, Not So Far Away*  
Joseph Stoltz, University of New Orleans

*The Barbary Pirates*  
Angela Sutton, Vanderbilt University

*External Contexts and Consequences for Institutional Development  
in the U.S. Army during the Jacksonian Era*  
Samuel Watson, U.S Military Academy – West Point

Comment: TBA

**8-2**

**One of Us is not Like the Other? Reconciling and Shaping Identity in Military Institutions**

Chair: Augustine Meaher, University of Melbourne

*Girls, Ladies, or Women Marines?:*

*Incorporating the First Females into the Identity of the Marine Corps, 1918-1919*

Heather Marshall, Duke University

*Combat Experience and Doughboy Identity in the Great War:*

*A Transnational Perspective*

Sebastian Lukasik, Duke University

*Padres and Sawbones: Dual-Professionals and Approaches to Identity Formation in the Twentieth Century American Military*

Jacqueline Whitt, United States Military Academy

Comments: Daniel Krebs, University of Louisville

**8-3**

**Re-examining the American Revolution**

Chair: Wayne Lee, University of North Carolina

*"This cruel unjust & wicked Indian War": The 1776 Cherokee Expedition in North Carolina*

James MacDonald, Northwestern State University

*Provincial to Potential:*

*The Early Cultural Transformation in the American Artillery of the Revolutionary War*

MAJ W. Cochran Pruett, U.S. Military Academy – West Point

*Revolutionary Justice & the Asgill Affair*

Jayne E. Smith, Eastern New Mexico State at Roswell

*British Counter-Insurgency and the Character of the American Rebellion*

Harold Selesky, The University of Alabama

Comment: Wayne Lee, University of North Carolina

**8-4**

**Race, Repatriation, and Indoctrination in the American POW Experience**

Chair: David J. Fitzpatrick, University of Michigan

*Enemy Combatants: African American Soldiers in Confederate Prisons*  
Dr. Tom Ward, Spring Hill College

*Operation Big Switch: The ICRC, Neutral Powers, and the Repatriation Question in the Korean War Armistice Negotiations*  
Paul Springer, United States Military Academy

*The McCain Thesis:  
American Prisoners of War in Vietnam and Resistance to Propaganda Indoctrination*  
Glenn Robins, Georgia Southwestern State University

Comment: Mary Kathryn Barbier, Mississippi State University

**8-5**

**Collapse of the Central Powers 1918**

Chair: John Steinberg, Georgia Southern

*The Collapse of the Bulgarian Army 1918*  
Richard Hall, University, Georgia Southwestern University

*The Collapse of the Austro-Hungarian Army*  
Graydon Tunstall, University of South Florida

*Cultural Factors in the Defeat of the Central Powers 1918*  
Mark Karau, University of Wisconsin - Sheboygan

Comment: John Steinberg, Georgia Southern

**8-6**

**War and Remembrance**

Chair: James Corum, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

*The Grant Memorial: A Magnificent and often Ignored Commemoration*  
Stephen I. Schwab, The University of Alabama

*Remembering World War II and Korea in the Long 1950s*  
Andrew J. Huebner, The University of Alabama

*Rambo and the Dixie Chicks:  
Vietnam War Movies and the Public Discourse on Patriotism During Wartime*  
Mark Boulton, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Comments: Kurt Piehler, University of Tennessee

**SESSION #9**

**Sunday 10:00am – 11:45am**

**9-1**

**Order and Disorder: Warfighting and US Army Culture in the 18th and 19th Centuries**

Chair: James H. Willbanks, Director, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Regulating Chaos: The Role of Army Doctrine in Shaping a U.S. Army Warfighting Culture in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries*

Walter E. Kretchik, Western Illinois University

*The Influence of Constabulary Operations on Army Culture: Policing Territorial Kansas, 1854-1861*

Tony R. Mullis, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*The Culture of Indiscipline:*

*Discontent within the Army of the Potomac during the Eastern Campaigns of 1864*

Steven E. Sodergren, Norwich University

Comment: John M. Curatola, U.S. Marine Corps

**9-2**

**Small States and Air Power**

Chair: William Dean, Air Command and Staff College (USAF)

*Between Scylla and Charybdis: The Hellenic Air Force and Greek Strategy since 1945*

James Tucci, School of Advanced Air and Space Power Studies (USAF)

*Ghost Stories: The Attack of the H.M.S. Invincible as Integrative Myth*

James Forsyth, Air Command and Staff College (USAF)

*Giving Wings to the White Eagle:*

*Brigadier General Ludomil Rayski and the Rise of the Polish Air Force, 1922-1932*

Matthew Schwonek, Air Command and Staff College (USAF)

Comment: Mark J. Conversino, Air War College (USAF)



**9-3**

**The French Army at War from Louis XIV to Napoleon III**

Chair: Geoffrey Wawro, University of North Texas

*Vauban's Enduring Influence:*

*The French Defense of the Eastern Frontier in 1813 and 1814*

Michael V. Leggiere, University of North Texas

*Italian Railroads and French Rifles:*

*The Strategic Employment of Railroads during the Second War of Italian Unification*

Frederick C. Schneid, High Point University

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Comment: Michael Pavkovic, U.S. Naval War College

**9-4**

**PRESIDENTIAL PANEL**

**CO-Sponsored by the U.S. Naval Historical Center**

**The State of Naval History: A Roundtable Discussion**

Chair: Randy Papadopoulos, U.S. Naval Historical Center

RADM Jay A. Deloach, U.S. Naval Historical Center

Michael Crawford, U.S. Naval Historical Center

CDR C.C. Felker, U.S. Naval Academy

John Hattendorf, U.S. Naval War College

Charles Neimeyer, U.S. Marine Corps History Division

Comment: The Audience

**9-5**

**The Future of Military Culture**

Chair: Adrian Lewis, University of Kansas

*The Origins of the IDF's Military Culture*

Gil-li Vardi, University of Oxford

*Going Blackwater: The Influence of Privatization Ideology in the Rise of Blackwater, USA*

Jeremy Spahr, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

*History, Memory, and the American Military's Battle over Future Warfare*

Jonathan F. Phillips, Old Dominion University

Comment: Adrian Lewis, University of Kansas

**9-6**

**Enlistment, Recruitment, and Motivation**

Chair: TBA

*General Lewis B. Hershey and Conscientious Objection:  
Alternative Service, CPS, and the Concept of the Citizen Soldier during World War II*  
Nicholas A. Krehbiel, Kansas State University

*Fighting for European Culture?  
Raising the Morale of Western European Officers in the German Waffen-SS*  
Martin Gutmann, Syracuse University

*Criticism and Self-Criticism:  
The Tension of Socialist Ideology on the Development of the East German Army*  
Daniel Jordan, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College

*Tapping into the US Cultural Shift:  
Revising Enlistment Standards Today to Avoid Conscription Tomorrow*  
MAJ Jennifer S. Walkawicz, U.S. Joint Forces Staff College

Comment: TBA