

**Society for Military History – Tentative agenda  
2025 Mobile, AL**

**The Renaissance Mobile Riverview Plaza Hotel and The Battle House Renaissance Mobile Hotel and Spa**

*\*All functions are at the Renaissance Mobile Riverview Plaza unless indicated below.*

<b>Thursday, March 27</b>			
12:00PM	5:00PM	Registration	Baypointe
8:30AM	5:00PM	Chinese Military History Meeting	Windjammer
11:00PM	5:00PM	SMH Trustee Luncheon/Meeting	Riverboat/Schooner
6:00PM	9:00PM	SMH Annual Meeting Welcome Reception (Pre-registration)	Bon Secour Bay Foyer
<b>Friday, March 28</b>			
7:00AM	8:00AM	JMH Editorial Meeting	The Commodore
8:00AM	5:00PM	Registration	Baypointe
8:30AM	10:00AM	Morning Session I	*12 rooms
8:30AM	5:30PM	Exhibit Hall Open	PreConvene 2 Center
10:00AM	10:30AM	AM Beverage Break	PreConvene 2 Center
10:30AM	12:00PM	Morning Session II	**Concurrent sessions
12:00PM	1:30PM	Lunch Break	On own
12:00PM	1:30PM	Society of Military History Awards Luncheon (Ticketed Event)	Crystal Ballroom - <b>The Battle House Renaissance Mobile Hotel and Spa</b>
1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Afternoon Session I	**Concurrent sessions
3:00PM	3:30PM	PM Beverage Break	PreConvene 2 Center
3:30 PM	5:00 PM	Afternoon Session II	**Concurrent sessions
5:00 PM	7:00 PM	General Session/annual Members Meeting	Bon Secour 1-2
5:15PM	6:15PM	Robert H. Berlin Graduate Student Reception	Harbor Room
6:15PM	7:15PM	Women's Happy Hour	Jubilee Suite
7:00PM	9:30PM	SMH Staff Appreciation Dinner (Invitation Only- off site)	OFF SITE
7:30PM	9:30PM	Reception – member band	Crystal Ballroom - <b>The Battle House Renaissance Mobile Hotel</b>
<b>Saturday, March 29</b>			
7:00AM	8:00AM	Regional Coordinators Meeting	The Commodore
8:00AM	5:00PM	Registration	Baypointe
8:30AM	10:00AM	Morning Session I	**Concurrent sessions
8:30AM	5:30PM	Expo Hall Open	Pre-convene Center 2
10:00AM	10:30AM	AM Beverage Break	Pre-Convene Center 2
10:30AM	12:00PM	Morning Session II	**Concurrent sessions

12:00PM	1:30PM	Lunch Break	On own
12:00PM	1:30PM	Presidential Panel: Dr. Richard Overy, University of Exeter. Title of talk, "To the Bitter End: Germany, Japan and Surrender, 1945"	Bon Secour 3
1:30PM	3:00PM	Afternoon Session I	** Concurrent sessions
3:00PM	3:30PM	PM Beverage Break	Pre-Convene Center 2
3:30PM	5:00PM	Afternoon Session II	** Concurrent sessions
6:00PM	7:30PM	Keynote Address by Henry Sledge entitled "The Old Breed: The Complete Story Revealed: A Father, A Son, and How World War II in the Pacific Shaped Their Lives" / Reception	Crystal Ballroom - <b>The Battle House Renaissance Mobile Hotel</b>
<b>Sunday, March 30</b>			
8:00AM	11:00AM	Registration	Baypointe
8:00AM	12:00PM	Expo Hall Open	Pre-convene Center 2
8:00AM	8:30AM	AM Beverage Break	Pre-Convene Center 2
8:30AM	10:00 AM	Morning Session I	**Concurrent sessions
10:00AM	10:30AM	Beverage Break	Pre-Convene Center 2
10:30AM	12:00PM	Morning Session II	**Concurrent sessions