

2016 GEN-FED PROGRAM • WASHINGTON, D.C. • 11–15 JULY 2016 (8 July 2016)

MONDAY, 11 JULY, ALL CLASSES AT ARCHIVES I in D.C., INNOVATION HUB (except THURSDAY)

9:00–9:45	A Federal Family Tree	Malissa Ruffner, JD, CG
9:45–10:00	Greeting from The Archivist of the United States	David S. Ferriero
10:15–12:00	Using NARA Finding Aids for Archival Research	Katherine Vollen
12:00–2:15	GROUP LUNCH, Welcome from the Alumni Association & Tours	
2:15–3:15	The National Archives Catalog	Jason Clingerman
3:30–4:30	NARA's Records - Coast to Coast	Trevor Plante
*7:00–9:00	Introduction to Local History and Genealogy, Library of Congress (at LC)	Main Reading Room, James Sweany

TUESDAY, 12 JULY

9:30–10:30	Basic Military Records at the National Archives	Jonathan Webb Deiss
10:45–11:45	Pension Records at the National Archives	Jonathan Webb Deiss
11:45–1:00	LUNCH/RESEARCH	
1:00–2:00	Mining Land Entry Records for Family History	Angela Packer McGhie, CG
2:15–3:15	Reward for Service: Bounty Land Records	Angela Packer McGhie, CG
*5:00–8:00	Introduction to Daughters of the American Revolution Library (at DAR)	Darryn Lickliter

WEDNESDAY, 13 JULY

9:00–10:00	Family History in Congressional Records	Adam Berenbak
10:15–11:15	Genealogy and New Deal Relief	John Deeben
11:15–1:15	LUNCH/RESEARCH/ ALSO: Navy/Maritime Records Reference Roundtable, 11:00–12:00 in G25	
1:15–2:15	Immigration & Nationality: Beyond the Basic Documents, Part I	Marian L. Smith (USCIS)
2:30–3:30	Immigration & Nationality: Beyond the Basic Documents, Part II	Marian L. Smith (USCIS)
*6:45–8:15	“Stories on the Mall” Walking Tour [Rain Date: Thursday]	Bart Smith

THURSDAY, 14 JULY CLASSES IN LECTURE ROOM D AT ARCHIVES II, COLLEGE PARK, MD

8:15	DEPART by bus from Holiday Inn for Archives II, College Park, MD	
9:30–9:45	Welcome to Archives II	Richard Peuser
9:45–10:45	Ancestors Abroad: State Department Correspondence Files	Kenneth W. Heger, PH.D.
11:00–12:00	Recent Images: Still and Moving Picture Research	Richard Green
	LUNCH/RESEARCH	
1:15	DEPART for Archives I (1st bus)	
4:00	DEPART for Holiday Inn (2nd bus)	

FRIDAY, 15 JULY

9:00–10:00	The Dawn of Freedom: Researching Records of the Freedmen's Bureau	Reginald Washington
10:15–11:15	Court Records: Making a Federal Case Out of It	Judy G. Russell, JD, CG, CGL
11:15–2:15	LUNCH/RESEARCH	
*2:15–2:45	Board Certification: Your Questions Answered (BCG)	Judy G. Russell, JD, CG, CGL
3:00–4:00	Spread the Word: More Family in Federal Records	Judy G. Russell, JD, CG, CGL
4:15–4:45	Closing Session	
*Evening	Alumni Dinner: Cash bar (6:00 p.m.) and Dinner (7:00 p.m.) Holiday Inn-Rosslyn, Arlington, Virginia Banquet Speaker, LaBrenda Garrett-Nelson, JD, LLM, CG: <i>Including African American Genealogy in the American Mosaic</i>	

SATURDAY, 16 JULY

NO DOCUMENT PULLS on SATURDAY. Order in advance.

*9:00–5:00	<i>Free for Research; Archives I and II close at 5:00 p.m.</i>	
*2:00–3:00	APG-NCAC Chapter Meeting; Attendees Welcome! Speaker, Judy G. Russell, JD, CG, CGL: <i>Inventing America: Records of the US Patent Office</i>	

***OPTIONAL SESSIONS**