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CHESTER COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Summer Workshop

Locations in Time: Geography and Genealogy

Saturday, June 22, 2013
8:45 am-1:30
225 N. High Street
West Chester, PA 19380

ChesterCoHistorical.org
(610) 692-4800

Come Learn with Us!

Effectively placing your ancestors in time and location using alternative methods can be an invaluable skill for family researchers. Join us for a morning workshop and learn how to use maps, timelines and underutilized records to solve family mysteries. While the subject of this workshop is best suited for those with intermediate-level experience in genealogy and basic computer skills, we welcome those of all skill levels.

Speakers

Shamele Jordon is a genealogical researcher, lecturer, writer and podcaster (*Genealogy On Demand*). Her biographical highlights include: researcher for the PBS series *Oprah's Roots: African American Lives* and *African American Lives II*, former president of the African American Genealogy Group in Philadelphia, PA, faculty at the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research in Birmingham, AL, and workshop volunteer at the Family History Center in Cherry Hill, NJ.

Kim Bucklaw has over 10 years of research experience. She is the Assistant Archivist and the primary genealogical researcher for the Chester County Archives and Chester County Historical Society. Kim has a master's degree in American History and holds certification from the Academy of Certified Archivists.

Schedule of Events

Registration and Continental Breakfast: 8:45-9:15

Session 1: 9:15-10:15
Special Guest Speaker Shamele Jordon
Visualizing the Past: Maps and Genealogy
Maps and related records are a great resource. They can help you to visualize your ancestor in a particular place and time, as well as solve research problems. Learn how to locate and make use of a variety of maps.

Session 2: 10:30-11:30
Kim Bucklaw
Geographic Timelines Part I: 18th Century Rural Genealogy
Learn how to use timelines and geographic clues from a variety of records (taxes, deeds, court records etc.) to overcome research obstacles pertaining to early rural families.

Session 3: 11:45-12:45
Kim Bucklaw
Geographic Timelines Part II: 19th and 20th Century Urban Genealogy
Learn how to use timelines and maps with census records and city directories to solve mysteries involving otherwise "invisible" ancestors in bigger cities.

Q/A Session: 1:00-1:30
Attendees are welcome to bring a bag lunch.

Registration

1. Contact Information

Name

Address

City State Zip

Phone

Email

2. If not a member, would you like to join CCHS?

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- ☐ Family membership ~~$55~~ $50
- ☐ Senior (65 or older) membership ~~$40~~ $35
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- ☐ No, thank you. I'm not interested at this time.

Total $____

3. Workshop registration fees

CCHS member: ____x $20 = $____
Non-member: ____x $35 = $____
Total $____

4. Payment information

Membership fee (if applicable) $ ____
Workshop fees (section 3) $ ____
Total fees enclosed $ ____

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- ☐ Check (made payable to CCHS)
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- ☐ MasterCard

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