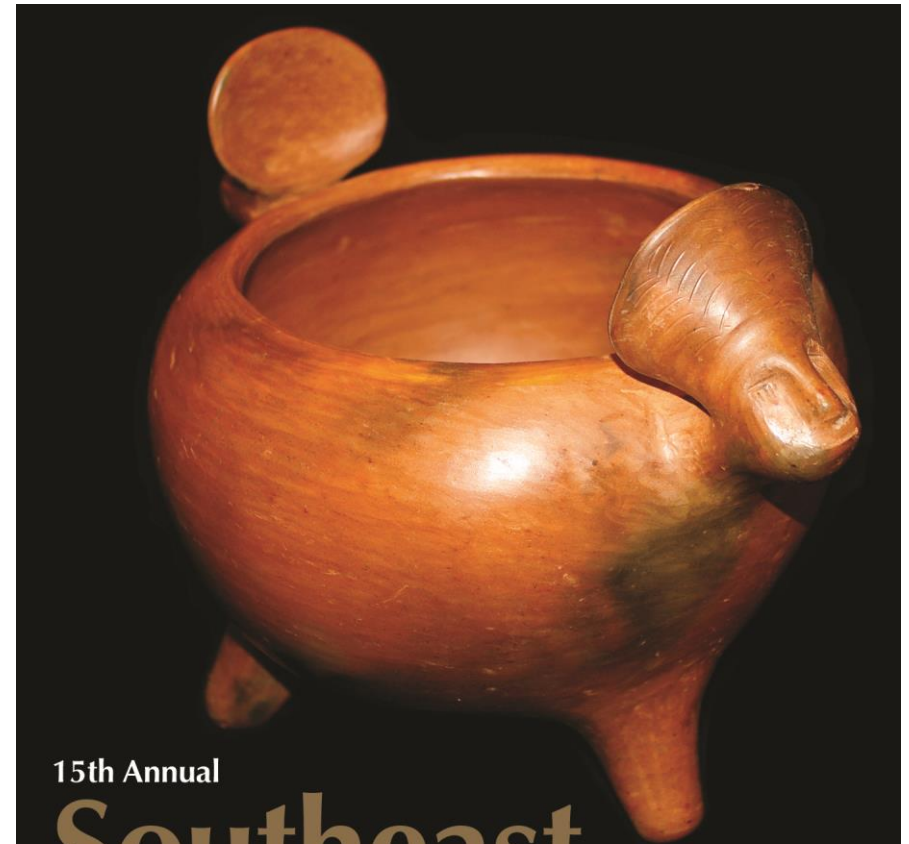


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- The Southeast American Indian Studies Program was established in 2012 with a goal for UNCP to become the premiere institute for the study of Southeastern American Indians.

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March 21-22, 2019



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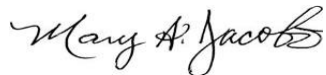
Thank you for attending the 15th Annual Southeast Indian Studies Conference (SISC). The SISC was created to provide a forum for discussion of the cultures, histories, art, health and contemporary issues of Native Americans in the Southeast. The conference serves as a critical venue for scholars, students and all persons interested in Southeast American Indian Studies. We welcome your participation and hope that you will feel free to join in during the discussions.

This year's keynote speaker is Stacey Halfmoon, a citizen of the Caddo Nation and a Choctaw Nation and Delaware Nation descendent. Stacey will share her experiences as the Ohio History Connection's Director of American Indian Relations working on what she calls "21st Century American Indian Relations." She will also describe her background and family and how they motivated her career and share her views on the importance of museums working alongside American Indian people. Please join us in making her feel welcome.

At the end of each day you will have an opportunity to share with us your thoughts and suggestions for next year's conference March 19-20, 2020 (tentative) by completing an evaluation and returning it to the registration desk. Additionally, as you are listening and thinking about this year's presentations, please consider presenting your research or scholarship at next year's SISC. You will find our 2020 call for papers inserted in your packet.

The SISC is made possible with your support and the Office of the Provost and Academic Affairs, the Museum of the Southeast American Indian and the Southeast American Indian Studies Program. Thank you for attending and we hope you will tell your friends and colleagues about this event.

Sincerely,



Mary Ann Jacobs, Ph.D.
Associate Professor and Chair
Department of American Indian Studies

About the Southeast Indian Studies Conference

Held annually since 2005, the Southeast Indian Studies Conference (SISC) is the only national conference dedicated solely to the unique histories and cultures of Southeastern American Indians. Past keynote speakers include Dr. Charles Hudson, Dr. Melanie Benson-Taylor (Herring Pond Wampanoag), Dr. Donald Fixico (Shawnee, Sac and Fox, Muscogee Creek, and Seminole) and Dr. Arlinda Locklear (Lumbee).



The symbol for the conference is the sassafras leaf. Sassafras is the most commonly used medicinal plant among eastern North Carolina Indians. It is used as an effective treatment for a variety of things, from cuts and bruises to reduction of fevers and even purifying blood (Knick, Stan. 2001. "Diet, Sassafras and Isolation: Understanding from Native America." *New Life Journal* [Vol 3, #1]).

To learn more about the conference, visit uncp.edu/ais/sisc.

About The University of North Carolina at Pembroke

UNC Pembroke is situated in the heart of the Lumbee community. The university, with its unique designation as "North Carolina's Historically American Indian University" and Southeast American Indian Studies (SAIS) Program, Department of American Indian Studies (AIS) and Museum of the Southeast American Indian (MSAI), makes an ideal setting for the SISC.

SAIS, an administrative unit that links AIS, MSAI and other Native-related UNCP programs, was established with the goal of becoming the premiere teaching and research program for the study of Indians of the Southeast.

UNCP, established in 1887 to train Lumbee Indian teachers, today confers more undergraduate degrees to Indians than any institution east of the Mississippi River and is in the top 10 nationally. The student body was all-Indian until 1952. Between 1939 and 1953, the institution was the only state-supported four-year college for American Indians in the United States.

On the Cover

Catawba tripod pot with effigy heads (1984) by Catawba potter Sara Ayers (1919-2002). Permanent collection of the MSAI.

Thursday, March 21, 2019

8-8:45 a.m. REFRESHMENTS AND REGISTRATION
Museum of the Southeast American Indian, Old Main

8:45-9 a.m. INTRODUCTIONS
Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, Chair, American Indian Studies

OPENING CEREMONY AND INVOCATION
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WELCOME TO UNCP
Dr. David M. Ward, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Dr. Scott Billingsley, Associate Provost

GREETINGS FROM LUMBEE TRIBE
Harvey Godwin Jr., Tribal Chair

9-10 a.m. SESSION I

Dr. Jay Hansford C. Vest, Session Chair

- Dr. Troy A. Richardson, Cornell University, *The Brafferton Indian School and the Question of Students as Native Captives: The School of Fort Christ Anna as a Case Study*
- Dr. Jeff Frederick, UNC Pembroke, *What Might Have Been: Charlie Rose, Jesse Helms and Lumbee Recognition*

10:15-11:15 a.m. SESSION II

Dr. Jane Haladay, Session Chair

- Ms. Taylor Strickland, Ms. Cindy Paul, Ms. Nicholette Locklear, and Ms. Tonya Locklear, UNC Pembroke, *International Indigenous Exchange Consortium: Canada*

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. LUNCH (DINING HALL)

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Museum of the Southeast American Indian

The Museum of the Southeast American Indian is a multi-faceted museum and resource for scholarly research and community outreach. While the Museum contains exhibits of artifacts and artwork from Indian communities all over the Americas, our primary focus is on tribes from the American Southeast, particularly the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina.

Southeast American Indian Studies Program

SAIS is an administrative unit that links the Department of American Indian Studies, the Museum of the Southeast American Indian and UNCP's other Native-related programs. SAIS is committed to becoming the premier teaching and research center for the study of Indians in the Southeastern United States. UNCP's goal is that SAIS will become a stand-alone school alongside the institution's other schools of Business, Education and Graduate Studies and Research. Most importantly, SAIS research will support the self-determination, self-sufficiency and sovereignty of the indigenous nations of the southeastern United States.



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4:15-5:15 p.m.

POSTER SESSION XI

Dr. Jay Hansford C. Vest, Session Chair

- Dr. Ryan E. Emanuel, Ms. Justine Neville, and Mr. Theo Jass, NC State University; and Dr. Diego Riveros-Iregui, UNC-CH, *Lingering Impacts of Hurricanes on Water Quality in the Lumbee River Basin*
- Dr. Jamie Mize, Mr. Matthew Hancock, and Ms. Hannah Goins, UNC Pembroke; and Mr. Nathan McMenamin, UNCP graduate, *The Southeast Indian Slave Trade: Causes, Consequences, & Legacies*
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- Dr. Mae Hey, Virginia Tech, *Conscientizing Our Approach to Engaging Allies*

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12:45-1:45 p.m.

SESSION III

Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, Session Chair

- Dr. Jamie Mize, UNC Pembroke, *“a trader took a young Indian girl against her Will for his wife”*: *Native Women in the Southeast Indian Slave Trade*; Mr. Arlen Hanson, UNC Greensboro, *Christian Choctaws and Indian Removal: The Case of David Folsom*; and Dr. Brooke Bauer, USC-Lancaster, *The Catawba Indian Nation: A Political Rollercoaster of Nation (Re)Building, 1900-2018*

2-3 p.m.

SESSION IV

Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, Session Chair

- Dr. Nancy Palm Puchner, UNC Pembroke, *The Importance of Place in Contemporary Lumbee Art*
- Dr. Jay Hansford C. Vest, UNC Pembroke, *A Reading of Creative Nonfiction Manifesting the Southeast Cosmogony*

3:15-4:15 p.m.

SESSION V

Dr. Jamie Mize, Session Chair

- Dr. Rita Hagevik, UNC Pembroke, *Connecting to STEM Through Food Justice at the UNCP Campus Garden & Apiary*
- Dr. Gary Padgett, University of North Alabama, *Vultures, Ravens, and Condors: Analyzing Indigenous Creation Stories Through an Ecopedagogical Lens*

4:30-5:30 p.m.

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8:45-9 a.m. WELCOME

Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, Chair, American Indian Studies

9-10 a.m. SESSION VII

Dr. Jane Haladay, Session Chair

- Ms. Michelle McIntyre-Brewer, University of Nebraska, Omaha, *Cherokee Self-Reliance: Examining the Differentiating Effects of Intergenerational Trauma on Cherokee Tribes*
- Ms. Natalie Welch, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and Dr. Jessica Siegele, UNC Pembroke, *Making Herstory: Cherokee Women's Stickball*

10:15-11:15 a.m. SESSION VIII

Dr. Jamie Mize, Session Chair

- Dr. Conner Sandefur, Dr. Cherry Beasley, Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, and Dr. Jane Haladay, UNC Pembroke, *Faculty Interdisciplinary Teaching and Research Collaboration on American Indian Food Sovereignty at UNCP*

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. LUNCH (DINING HALL)

12:45-1:45 p.m. KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Stacey Halfmoon is a citizen of the Caddo Nation and is also a Choctaw Nation and Delaware Nation descendent. She holds a bachelor's degree in anthropology from the University of Oklahoma and over her 20 year career has completed innumerable trainings and courses in museum studies, cultural resource management, tribal consultation, and American Indian Federal Law.

Since 2015, Halfmoon has served as the Director of American Indian Relations for the Ohio History Connection. At the Ohio History Connection, she promotes knowledge and understanding of American Indians history in Ohio and fosters collaborative relationships with the many federally-recognized tribes who hold deep connections to Ohio. Under her leadership, the organization has established an annual Tribal Nations Conference, implemented a guidance document for the American Indian sites managed by the Ohio History Connection, and is developing its first American Indian policy.

Halfmoon worked for the Caddo Nation in Binger, Oklahoma, in the Cultural Preservation Department from 1994 to 2004. In 2001, she served on assignment to the U.S. Department of Defense in the role of the Senior Tribal Liaison in the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations and Environment). Halfmoon returned to Oklahoma and served as Director of Community Outreach and Museum Programs at The American Indian Cultural Center and Museum until 2015. Located in downtown Oklahoma City and envisioned as the premier destination for sharing the histories and cultures of the thirty-nine Tribal Nations in Oklahoma, Stacey revitalized the project's tribal outreach efforts.

2-3 p.m. SESSION IX

Dr. Jamie Mize, Session Chair

- Dr. Victoria Sutton, Texas Tech University School of Law, *Paper Genocide of Indians in North Carolina*
- Ms. Lena E. Brooker, *Affirming the Past-Addressing the Future*

3:15-4:15 p.m. SESSION X

Dr. Jamie Mize, Session Chair

- Dr. Sam Cook, Virginia Tech; Dr. Gina M. Caison, Georgia State University; Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs and Dr. Alfred Bryant, UNC Pembroke; and Dr. Malinda M. Lowery, UNC-CH, *The State and Significance of Southeast American Indian Studies: A Roundtable Dialogue*