

CHSA

Construction History Society of America

HISTORY OF CONSTRUCTION IN THE AMERICAS

SECOND BIENNIAL MEETING

When?

May 20th to 22nd, 2010

Where?

Meyerson Hall, School of Design
University of Pennsylvania, PA

Hosted By:

Construction History Society of America
The Graduate Program in Historic Preservation, School of Design

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Program Schedule

Thursday May 20

6:30 pm *Opening Reception*

Architecture Archives, Fisher Fine Arts Library

Friday May 21

8:00 am *Registration Opens- Meyerson Hall*

8:30 am *Opening Session*

Welcome: Marilyn Jordan Taylor, Dean of School of Design

Welcome: Randall F. Mason, Department Chair, Graduate Program in Historic Preservation

Construction History, A New Discipline in Field of Research: Brian Bowen, Chair, Construction History Society of America

9:00 am *Keynote Speaker*

David Billington, Professor, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, Princeton University

Subject: TBA

9:45 am *Break*

10:15 am *Technical Sessions 1A & B*

Two Sessions running concurrently each with three papers

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12 Noon

Lunch on your own- Houston Hall



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Friday May 21

1:00 pm *Second Keynote Speaker*

Dr. Donna Rilling, Associate Professor, SUNY, Stony Brook, NY

Author, "Everyman a speculator: House builders in Jacksonian Philadelphia"

2:00 pm *Technical Sessions 2A & B*

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3:30 pm *Break*

3:45 pm *Technical Sessions 3A & B*

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5:15 pm *Adjourn*

Evening Social Hour

Dinner on your own



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Saturday May 22

8:30 am *CHSA General Meeting (members only)*

9:15 am *Third Keynote Speaker*

Labor History- A forgotten Corner of Construction History: Dr. Grace Palladino, Co-director, Samuel Gompers Papers, University of Maryland, College Park, MD . Author: *Skilled Hands, Strong Spirits- A Century of Building Trades History*

10: 00 am *Technical Sessions 4A & B*

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11:30 am *Summing up/ General Session*

Chair: Dr. John Ochsendorf, CHSA

12:30 pm *Adjourn & Lunch on Your Own*

1:30 pm *Tours (optional)*

Carpenters Hall

Benjamin Franklin Bridge

Fairmount Water Works

Eastern State Penitentiary

Architectural Archives, University of Pennsylvania

4:30 pm *Adjourn*

