Conference Agenda

Session Overview

Date: Tuesday, 06/Jan/2026

3:00pm - 6:00pm	**REG-1: SHA Registration** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**

Date: Wednesday, 07/Jan/2026

7:30am - 9:00pm	**REG-2: SHA Registration** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**		
9:00am - 12:00pm	**WKS-5: Reconstructing Past Life from Bones: Introduction to Skeletal Pathology and Trauma Recognition** Location: **Cadillac A** *Instructor: Jaymelee J. Kim, PhD, RPA, D-ABFA, Department of Anthropology, Wayne State University* *3-hour workshop: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.* *Maximum Enrollment: 20* *Cost:* $50 for members, $60 for non-members, $25 for student members, and $35 for student non-members		
9:00am - 1:00pm	**WKS-2: Water, Water, Everywhere: Hey, What's That In The Drink?: Submerged Cultural Resources Awareness Workshop** Location: **Marquette B** *Instructors:* Kendra Kennedy, RPA (Wisconsin Historical Society); Garry Momber (Maritime Archaeology Trust), Joseph Grinnan (AECOM) *Half-Day Workshop:* 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. *Maximum Enrollment:* 25 *Cost:* $50 for SHA members, $60 for non-members, $25 for SHA student members, and $35 for student non-members.		
9:00am - 5:00pm	**SHA BOARD MTG: SHA Board of Directors Meeting** Location: **Joliet A & B**	**WKS-4: Archaeological Illustration** Location: **LaSalle B** *Instructor:* Jack Scott, Jack Scott Archaeological Illustration *Full-day Workshop:* 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. *Maximum Enrollment:* 30 *Cost:* $90 for SHA members, $110 for non-members, $55 for SHA student members, and $75 for student non-members	
10:00am - 12:00pm	**WKS-7A: Conservation Challenges in Archaeological Collections: A Practical Workshop** Location: **Detroit Institute of Arts** *Instructors:* Christina Bisulca and Liz Homberger, Conservation Department, Detroit Institute of Arts *2-hour workshop:* 7A 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; 7B 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. *Maximum enrollment:* 10 per workshop *Cost:* $15		
10:00am - 5:00pm	**BOOK: Book Room: Exhibitor Set-Up** Location: **Ambassador 1**	**T-2: Detroit Military History** Date: Wednesday, January 7, 2026 Time: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Maximum: 50 people Cost: $60 per person	
12:00pm - 4:30pm	**T-3: Detroit Music Heritage** Time: 12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Maximum: 24 people Cost: $71 per person		
12:00pm - 5:00pm	**T-1: Paris of the Midwest Tour** Date: Wednesday, January 7, 2026 Time: 12:00 p.m. –5:00 p.m. Maximum: 40 people Cost: $42 per person		
1:00pm - 3:00pm	**T-4: Walking Tour of Historic Downtown Detroit** Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Maximum: 15 people Cost: $25.00		
1:00pm - 4:00pm	**FOR-409U: Government Maritime Managers Meeting: Batten Down the Hatches** Location: **Duluth A & B** Chair: **Kendra A. Kennedy**, Wisconsin Historical Society Chair: **Amy Borgens**, Texas Historical Commission Chair: **Christopher P. Morris**, EHP		
1:00pm - 5:00pm	**WKS-1: Historic Button Identification** Location: **Marquette A** *Instructor:* Lindsay Bloch, Tempered Archaeological Services, LLC *Half-day Workshop:* 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. *Maximum Enrollment:* 30 *Cost:* $40 for SHA members, $50 for non-members, $25 for SHA student members, and $35 for student non-members	**WKS-3: Everything You Wanted to Know about Archaeometry but Were Afraid to Ask: Tips and Guidelines for Collaborating with the Archaeometry Lab at MURR** Location: **LaSalle A** *Instructors: Matthew C. Greer (Southern Illinois University), Whitney A. Goodwin (University of Missouri Research Reactor), James A. Davenport (University of Missouri Research Reactor), Alejandro J. Figueroa (University of Missouri), Brandi L. MacDonald (University of Missouri Research Reactor), Virginie Renson (University of Missouri Research Reactor), Chad Rankle (University of California, San Diego), Wesley D. Stoner (University of Missouri Research Reactor), Jeffrey R. Ferguson (University of Missouri Research Reactor)* *Half-Day Workshop:* 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. *Maximum Enrollment:* 40 *Cost:* $40 for SHA members, $50 for non-members, $25 for SHA student members, and $35 for student non-members	**WKS-6: An Archaeology of Firearms and Ammunition Components** Location: **Cadillac A** *Instructor: Douglas D. Scott, Applied Anthropology and Geography Program, Colorado Mesa University* *Half-day workshop: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.* *Maximum Enrollment: 25* *Cost:* $80 for SHA members, $100 for non-members, $50 for SHA student members, and $70 for student non-members.

2:00pm - 4:00pm	**WKS-7B: Conservation Challenges in Archaeological Collections: A Practical Workshop** Location: **Detroit Institute of Arts** *Instructors:* Christina Bisulca and Liz Homberger, Conservation Department, Detroit Institute of Arts *2-hour workshop:* 7A 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; 7B 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. *Maximum enrollment:* 10 per workshop *Cost:* $15
6:00pm - 6:30pm	**WELCOME: Welcome and Awards Ceremony** Location: **Columbus** Join us Wednesday evening for the opening session of the SHA 2026 Conference for presentation of the Kathleen Kirk Gilmore Dissertation Award, the James Deetz Book Award, and the SHA Awards of Merit.
6:30pm - 8:00pm	**PLENARY: Celebrating Michigan Archaeology: Tales of Innovation, Movement, and Mobility** Location: **Columbus** Plenary speakers will introduce a range of archaeological projects and community-involved initiatives in Michigan, from the decades-long excavations at Fort Michilimackinac to the recent restoration project at the one-time home of Malcolm X, highlighting connections with the conference theme of mobility.
8:00pm - 10:00pm	**SPECIAL EVENT-1: Opening Reception** Location: **Renaissance Foyer** Following the Plenary Session, meet up with old friends and make new ones at the Opening Reception. Complimentary appetizers and a cash bar.

Date: Thursday, 08/Jan/2026

7:30am - 5:30pm	**REG-3: SHA Registration** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**			
8:30am - 5:00pm	**BOOK 1: SHA Book Room** Location: **Ambassador 1** Hours: Thursday, January 8, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 9, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Saturday, January 10, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.			
9:00am - 10:00am	**GEN 01 T: Drink and Foodways** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Christopher P. Barton**, Chronicle Heritage			
9:00am - 10:30am	**GEN 11 U: Underwater Archaeology in the Southeast** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Allyson G. Ropp**, East Carolina University			
9:00am - 11:00am	**FOR-413U: The Future of Deepwater Archaeology: Emerging Technology and Innovations** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Anne Nunn**, Henry Jackson Foundation Chair: **Hannah P. Fleming**, HJF supporting DPAA			
9:00am - 11:15am	**GEN 10 U: Underwater Archaeology in the Great Lakes and Beyond** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Ben Ford**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania		**SYM-113T: The Potteries: The Heritage, Archaeology, and History of Stoke-on-Trent and the North Staffordshire Ceramics Industry** Location: **Cartier** Chair: **Alasdair Brooks**, Re-Form Heritage Discussant: **Teresita Majewski**, Statistical Research, Inc.	
9:00am - 11:45am	**POS-01 (T/UW): Technological Applications in Archaeology** Location: **Renaissance Foyer**		**SYM-124T: Camp Nelson, Civil War Depot and Emancipation Center for Kentucky** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **W. Stephen McBride**, Greenbrier Valley Archaeology Discussant: **William B. Lees**, University of West Florida (retired)	
9:00am - 12:00pm	**FOR-109T: Traversing Michigan's Historical Archaeology: Places and Stories That Matter in the American Experience, Part 1** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Michael S. Nassaney**, Western Michigan University	**FOR-363T: "What Produced This Feeling?" Marking The Passing Of Mark Leone And His Contributions To Archaeology** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Matthew M. Palus**, University of Maryland Chair: **Christopher N. Matthews**, Montclair State University	**SYM-163T: Remaking the City: Archaeology, Mobility, and the Legacies of Urban Renewal** Location: **Cabot** Chair: **Rebecca Graff**, Lake Forest College Chair: **Krysta Ryzewski**, Wayne State University Discussant: **Kelly Britt**, Brooklyn College	**SYM-378T: The Ambivalence of Emptiness** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Guido Pezzarossi**, Syracuse University Chair: **Alanna Warner-Smith**, American University Discussant: **Michael Roller**, N/A
10:30am - 11:45am	**GEN 09 T: Technical Analysis** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Marco G. Meniketti**, San Jose State University			
11:00am - 11:45am	**SYM-153U: The Conservation of Materials from Underwater Sites** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Chris Dostal**, Texas A&M University			
12:00pm - 1:15pm	**RL-1: Living Museums in the Sea** Location: **Michelangelo** *Host:* Charles Beeker, Indiana University	**RL-2: Publishing for Early Career Researchers and Students** Location: **Michelangelo** *Hosts:* Alasdair Brooks, Editor-in-Chief, *Historical Archaeology*; Sarah Holland, SHA Co-Publications Editor; and Mary Sue Daoud, Publisher, Springer	**RL-3: Words and Things: Textual and Linguistic Methods in Historical Archaeology** Location: **Michelangelo** Host: Stephen Chrisomalis, Wayne State University	
1:30pm - 2:45pm	**GEN 05 T: Managing Collections** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Leah A. Stricker**, Preservation Virginia/Jamestown Rediscovery			
1:30pm - 4:00pm	**SYM-169T: Landscapes of Movement: Research Contributions from the Northeastern U.S.** Location: **Cabot** Chair: **Holly Herbster**, The Public Archaeology Laboratory, Inc.			
1:30pm - 4:15pm	**POS-02 (T/UW): People in Motion** Location: **Renaissance Foyer**			
1:30pm - 4:30pm	**FOR-111T: Traversing Michigan's Historical Archaeology: Places and Stories That Matter in the American Experience, Part 2** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Dean L. Anderson**, State Archaeologist for Michigan (Retired)			
1:30pm - 4:45pm	**SYM-192U: Stories from the Shelves: Novel Approaches to Submerged and Coastal Landscapes** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Eric Rodriguez-Delgado**, UC San Diego Chair: **Loren R. Clark**, Scripps Center for Marine Archaeology			
1:30pm -	**SYM-119U: Recent Findings in Maritime and Terrestrial Archaeology of WWII in the Pacific** Location: **Mackinac West**			

5:00pm	Chair: **Lucas S. Simonds**, International Archaeological Research Institute, Inc. Chair: **Matthew F. Napolitano**, International Archaeology Discussant: **Jennifer McKinnon**, East Carolina University	
1:30pm - **5:15pm**	**SYM-369T: Unearthing Craft and Customs Embedded in Clay: The Archaeology of Locally Made Coarse Earthenwares** Location: **Cartier** Chair: **Elizabeth A. Bollwerk**, Thomas Jefferson's Monticello Chair: **Jillian E. Galle**, None	
1:30pm - **5:30pm**	**FOR-313T: Atlantic Pasts, Caribbean Futures: Honoring the Scholarship, Mentorship and Service of Doug Armstrong** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Matthew Reilly**, City College of New York Chair: **Mark Hauser**, Northwestern University Chair: **Laurie Wilkie**, University of California Berkeley	**SYM-110T: Hearts in Transit: Emotional Journeys in Historical Archaeology** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Tania Casimiro**, University of Stirling Chair: **Susana Pacheco**, CFE-HTC NOVA University of Lisbon
4:30pm - **6:00pm**	**SPECIAL EVENT-2: Past Presidents Student Reception** Location: **42 Degrees North** Time: 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Cost: No fee for student conference registrants.	
6:00pm - **9:00pm**	**SPECIAL EVENT-3: The “Streets of Old Detroit” Reception at the Detroit Historical Museum** Location: **Detroit Historical Museum** Location: 5401 Woodward Ave, Detroit Time: 6:00–9:00 PM Maximum: 150 people Cost: $100.00	

Date: Friday, 09/Jan/2026

7:30am - 5:30pm	**REG-4: SHA Registration** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**			
8:30am - 5:00pm	**BOOK 2: SHA Book Room** Location: **Ambassador 1** Hours: Thursday, January 8, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 9, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Saturday, January 10, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.			
8:45am - 12:00pm	**SYM-121T: Revisiting the Archaeology of Borders** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Misty M. Jackson**, Arbre Croche Cultural Resources LLC Chair: **Mark L. Howe**, International Boundary and Water Commission Discussant: **Russell K. Skowronek**, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley		**SYM-141AT: Archaeologies of Black and Indigenous Sovereignty Part 1** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Matthew Reilly**, City College of New York Chair: **Madison Aubey**, UCLA Discussant: **Wade Campbell**, Boston University	
9:00am - 10:00am	**SYM-123U: Spotlight on Graduate Student Research: Symposium Sponsored by the ACUA** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **River A. Rivera**, Advisory Council on Underwater Archaeology Chair: **Christina M. Giudici**, The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee			
9:00am - 10:30am	**GEN 03 T: The Archaeology of Infrastructure** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Kathryn A. Cross**, AR Consultants, Inc.	**GEN 13 T: Early Mobility** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **Laura M. Bossio**, Central Michigan University	**SYM-129U: Lake Huron Red Tails: Archaeological Investigation of a Tuskegee Aircraft Wreck in Michigan** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Wayne R. Lusardi**, Michigan Department of Natural Resources Discussant: **Wayne R. Lusardi**, Michigan Department of Natural Resources	
9:00am - 11:00am	**FOR-546T: Taking a Byte Out of the Apple: Understanding Challenges and Approaches for Digital Data Stewardship** Location: **LaSalle A & B** Chair: **Lisa E. Fischer**, Historic St. Mary's City		**GEN 15 U: Methodology, Monitoring and Management** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Denise Jaffke**, Far Western Anthropological Research Group, Inc.	
9:00am - 11:30am	**SYM-345T: The Hassanamesit Woods Project: The Next Generation** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Stephen Mrozowski**, University of Massachusetts Boston Discussant: **Stephen Mrozowski**, University of Massachusetts Boston			
9:00am - 11:45am	**POS-03 (T): Forts and Foodways** Location: **Renaissance Foyer**		**SYM-106T: Detroit Historical Archaeology Hustles Harder! Seven Decades of Archaeology in and of the Motor City** Location: **Cabot** Chair: **Samantha M. Ellens**, Michigan State University	
9:00am - 12:00pm	**FOR-184T: Non-Invasive Methods for Identifying Subsurface Resources: Culturally Sensitive & Collaborative Approaches** Location: **Cartier** Chair: **Sarah L. Surface-Evans**, Michigan State Historic Preservation Office Chair: **E.W. Duane Quates**, Q8s Geo Arc, LLC			
10:45am - 11:45am	**GEN 12 U: More Archaeology of WWII in the Pacific** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Matthew Carter**, Inkfish	**GEN 14 T: The Archaeology of Gendered Spaces** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **Chelsea Rose**, Southern Oregon University	**SYM-200U: Archaeology of the Brunswick Town Waterfront** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Jeremy R. Borrelli**, East Carolina University	
12:00pm - 1:15pm	**RL-4: Reforming an Urban Archaeology Network #1** Location: **Michelangelo** Hosts: Urban Archaeology Working Group: Kelly Britt, CUNY - Brooklyn College; Eleanor Breen, City Archaeologist at City of Alexandria, Virginia; Sarah Platt, College of Charleston; and Krysta Ryzewski, Wayne State University	**RL-5: Reforming an Urban Archaeology Network #2** Location: **Michelangelo** Hosts: Urban Archaeology Working Group: Kelly Britt, CUNY - Brooklyn College; Eleanor Breen, City Archaeologist at City of Alexandria, Virginia; Sarah Platt, College of Charleston; and Krysta Ryzewski, Wayne State University	**RL-6: Funding on Fire: Finding Support for Marginalized Archaeologies Under Threat** Location: **Michelangelo** *Host:* Alicia Odewale, Archaeology Rewritten, 2026 Wenner-Gren Hunt Fellow, National Geographic Explorer	**RL-7: Collections and Curation** Location: **Michelangelo** *Host:* Elizabeth Bollwerk, Thomas Jefferson Foundation, Inc./DAACS *Sponsor*: SHA Collections and Curation Committee
1:30pm - 2:45pm	**SYM-420T: Twenty Years and Counting: Michigan State University's Campus Archaeology Program** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Stacey L. Camp**, Michigan State University Discussant: **Stacey L. Camp**, Michigan State University			
1:30pm - 3:00pm	**GEN 06 T: The Wonderful World of Ceramics** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Rebekah L. Planto**, William & Mary		**GEN 07 T: The Archaeology of Soldiers** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **Ericha E. Sappington**, The University of Idaho	
1:30pm - 3:30pm	**FOR-477T: Challenging the Dismantling of Preservation Laws Through Collective Action: A Participatory Forum** Location: **Cabot** Chair: **Ellen L. Chapman**, Cultural Heritage Partners Chair: **Marion F. Werkheiser**, Cultural Heritage Partners		**FOR-493T: In the Trenches Beyond the Shoreline - Confronting Climate Change and Heritage Preservation** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Andrew J. Robinson**, State Historical Society of North Dakota Chair: **Steven J. Filoromo**, TRC Environmental Corporation	
1:30pm - 3:45pm	**SYM-117T: Digital Historical Archaeological Data** Location: **LaSalle A & B** Chair: **Paulina F. Przystupa**, The Alexandria Archive Institute / Open Context Discussant: **James A. Davenport**, University of Missouri		**SYM-207T: Understanding the Overseer** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Terry P. Brock**, Wake Forest University Discussant: **Alison Bell**, Washington and Lee University	

1:30pm - 4:15pm	**POS-04 (T): Race, Indigeneity, and Chinatowns** Location: **Renaissance Foyer** Sponsored in part by the Society of Black Archaeologists		**SYM-198T: Animal Stories: Multispecies Narratives in Zooarchaeology** Location: **Cartier** Chair: **Haylee M. Backs**, Boston University Chair: **Valerie MJ Hall**, University of Maryland College Park	
1:30pm - 4:30pm	**FOR-315T: Archaeology with and of Music—A Forum** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Krysta Ryzewski**, Wayne State University	**SYM-141BT: Archaeologies of Black and Indigenous Sovereignty Part 2** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Matthew Reilly**, City College of New York Chair: **Madison Aubey**, UCLA Discussant: **François G. Richard**, University of Chicago	**SYM-166T: Doomed to Repeat?: Excavating Contemporary Issues in 20th Century Contexts** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Katrina C. L. Eichner**, University of Idaho	
2:00pm - 4:00pm	**ACUA MTG: ACUA Open Meeting** Location: **Columbus**			
3:00pm - 4:30pm	**SYM-318T: Revisiting the Old Socorro Mission State Historic Site, Socorro, Texas** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Bradford M. Jones**, Texas Historical Commission Discussant: **Rick Quezada**, Ysleta del Sur Pueblo			
3:15pm - 4:30pm	**GEN 04 T: Life in an Industrial Setting** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Christopher G. LaMack**, University of Pennsylvania			
3:15pm - 4:45pm	**GEN 02 T: New Lands, New People** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **Albert Dudley Gardner**, Western Anthropological And Archaeological Researc			
5:00pm - 6:00pm	**SHA MTG: SHA Business Meeting** Location: **Columbus** The SHA will hold its annual Business Meeting on Friday, January 9, 2026 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Join the SHA Board and congratulate the winners of the Robert L. Schuyler Student Travel Awards, the Ed and Judy Jelks Student Travel Award, the Harriet Tubman Student Travel Grant, the ACUA George Fischer Student Travel Award, the ACUA and Recon Offshore Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Student Travel Conference Award, the GMAC Diversity Field School Competition, the Jamie Chad Brandon Student Paper Prize, the 2026 Mark E. Mack Community Engagement Award, and the ACUA Annual Photo Competition.			
6:00pm - 8:00pm	**SBA MTG: Society of Black Archaeologists (SBA) Meeting** Location: **LaSalle A & B**			
6:30pm - 7:30pm	**SPECIAL EVENT-4: Pre-Awards Banquet Cocktail Hour** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**			
7:30pm - 8:30pm	**SPECIAL EVENT-5: SHA Awards Banquet** Location: **Ambassador 2 & 3** Cost: $70.00 per person Choice of entrée: Chicken or Braised Beef Short Ribs or Better Made Crusted Cauliflower Steak (vegan/gluten-free)			
8:30pm - 11:59pm	**SPECIAL EVENT-6: SHA Awards Ceremony and Dance** Location: **Ambassador 2 & 3** Cost: No fee for conference registrants; cash bar.			

Date: Saturday, 10/Jan/2026

7:30am - 1:00pm	**REG-5: SHA Registration** Location: **Ambassador Foyer**	
8:30am - 2:00pm	**BOOK 3: SHA Book Room** Location: **Ambassador 1** Hours: Thursday, January 8, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 9, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Saturday, January 10, 2026 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	
8:45am - 12:00pm	**SYM-310T: Unburying Black Towns: Archaeologies of Black Freedom, Erasure, and Mobility Across North America** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Nkem M. Ike**, University of Toronto Discussant: **Alicia D. Odewale**, Archaeology Rewritten	
9:00am - 10:30am	**SYM-125U: Investigations of 15th-16th century Shipwrecks in the Americas** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Charles Beeker**, Indiana University	
9:00am - 10:45am	**SYM-269T: Artifacts are Enough: Interpretative Approaches to Historic Material Culture** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Richard Veit**, Monmouth University	
9:00am - 11:00am	**FOR-608U: Science in the Sanctuary: Protecting UCH in our Great Lakes National Marine Sanctuaries** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Stephanie Gandulla**, NOAA Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary	**GEN 17 T: Global Archaeology** Location: **Richard A & B** Chair: **Rachel J. Feit**, Acacia Heritage Consulting
9:00am - 11:30am	**SYM-247T: Storied Landscapes: Co-Producing Meaningful Knowledge about Pasts, Presents, and Futures** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Meredith S. Chesson**, University of Notre Dame Chair: **Ian Kuijt**, Univ. of Notre Dame Discussant: **Stephen Silliman**, University of Massachusetts Boston Discussant: **Maria Franklin**, University of Texas	**SYM-338T: Archaeology in the Public Realm: A Decade of Work at the Harlem African Burial Ground** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Elizabeth D. Meade**, AKRF Chair: **A. Michael Pappalardo**, AKRF, Inc.
9:00am - 11:45am	**POS-05 (T): Sensing Place** Location: **Renaissance Foyer**	**SYM-138T: Deep Mapping and Archaeological Knowledge: Current and Emergent Approaches** Location: **Cabot** Chair: **Dan Trepal**, Michigan Technological University Chair: **Don Lafreniere**, Michigan Technological University Discussant: **Sarah F. Scarlett**, Michigan Technological University
9:00am - 12:00pm	**FOR-208T: Section 106 and a City on the Move: Archaeological Methodology in Detroit** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Samuel R. Burns**, City of Detroit	
10:00am - 4:00pm	**SPECIAL EVENT-7: Public Archaeology Day** Location: **Wayne State University, G.L. Grosscup Museum of Anthropology** *Sponsored by the Michigan History Center and the Gordon L. Grosscup Museum of Anthropology* Date: Saturday, January 10, 2026 Time: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Location: Wayne State University, G.L. Grosscup Museum of Anthropology, Old Main Building, 4841 Cass Avenue, Detroit Cost: Free	
10:45am - 11:45am	**GEN 19 U: Underwater Archaeology at Lake Champlain** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Carolyn Kennedy**, Texas A&M University	
1:30pm - 2:45pm	**GEN 18 T: The Archaeology of Cemeteries** Location: **Cadillac A & B** Chair: **Melissa A. Timo**, NC Office of State Archaeology	**SYM-185T: Predicaments and Progress in Public Archaeology** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Sara Ayers-Rigsby**, Florida Public Archaeology Network Chair: **Audrey B. Andrews**, University of Nevada, Reno
1:30pm - 3:45pm	**SYM-114T: Decoding the Washington Landscape: Recent Research at George Washington Birthplace National Monument.** Location: **Mackinac West** Chair: **Kerry S. Gonzalez**, National Park Service Discussant: **Philip Levy**, University of South Florida Discussant: **Julia A. King**, St. Mary's College of Maryland	
1:30pm - 4:30pm	**GEN 16 T: The Archaeology of the Black American Experience** Location: **Ontario East** Chair: **Zoe I. Brown**, The University of Akron	**SYM-145U: 250 Years of U.S. Navy History Through the Lens of Maritime Archaeology** Location: **Mackinac East** Chair: **Alexis Catsambis**, Naval History and Heritage Command Chair: **George Schwarz**, Naval History and Heritage Command
1:30pm - 5:15pm	**SYM-107T: Mobility in French America** Location: **Ontario West** Chair: **Erika Hartley**, Western Michigan University Chair: **Andrew Beaupre**, Maine State Museum Discussant: **Michael S. Nassaney**, Western Michigan University	**SYM-220T: Mobility, Borderlands, and the Commons: Archaeological Perspectives** Location: **Nicolet A & B** Chair: **Jodi A. Barnes**, South Carolina Department of Natural Resources Chair: **Kendy Altizer**, University of North Georgia
3:00pm - 4:15pm	**GEN 08 T: Oral History and Community Memory** Location: **Brule A & B** Chair: **Eleanor Breen**, Alexandria Archaeology	
6:30pm -	**T-5: Detroit "Bar"chaeology with Mickey Lyons**	

9:30pm

Time: 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
Maximum: 35 people
Cost: $83 per person