

Turning Points in American History: The American Revolution

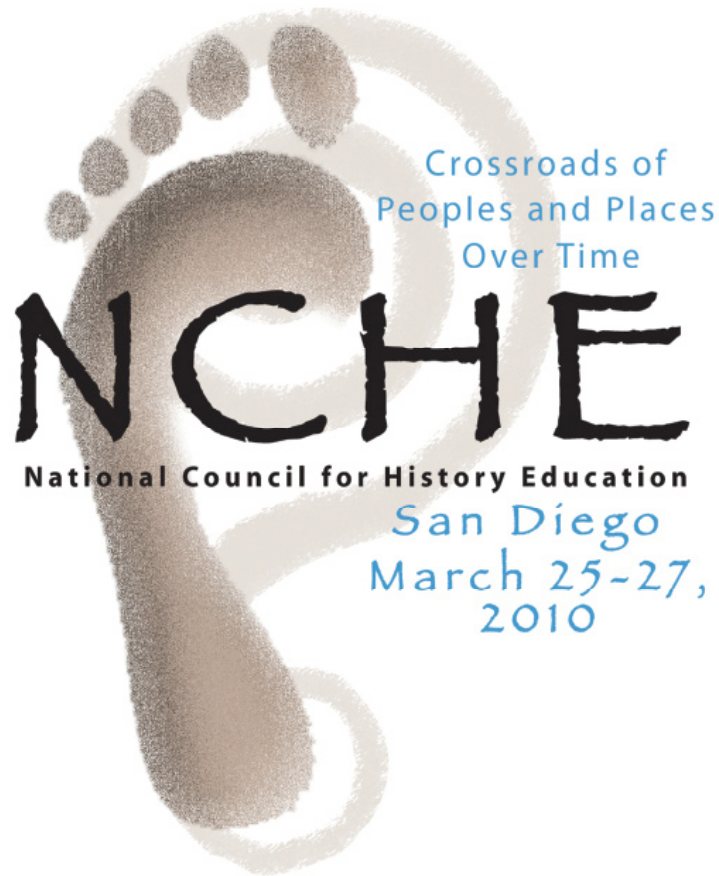
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Colloquium Goals

- ♦ Explore the work of historians.
- ♦ Expand knowledge of at least one historical episode.
- ♦ Demonstrate effective ways of presenting historical knowledge.
- ♦ Enhance skills in identifying, analyzing and evaluating print and non-print resources.
- ♦ Develop History's Habits of the Mind and demonstrate how to use History's Vital Themes and Narratives as principles for selection of content.
- ♦ Involve participants in sharing ideas and information that they can apply in their classrooms to improve the teaching of American history.

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Images:

(Front) *Battle of Lexington* by **William Barnes Wollen**, courtesy of Cranston Fine Arts

(Front) *Delegates at the Constitutional Convention* by **Howard Chandler Christy**

(Inside) *Paul Revere's Ride* by **Hy Hintermeister**

~Special Thanks to~

All the participants whose dedication to history education made this colloquium possible!

Friday, November 6, 2009

8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
8:30 am	Welcome and Introductions	Laura Russ
9:00 am	What is Revolution? The Ideological Background	Stuart
10:30 am	Break	
10:45 am	Utilizing Primary Sources in the Classroom	Scott
11:45 am	Lunch	
12:45 pm	Declaring Independence	Stuart
1:30 pm	Historical Causation	Scott
2:15 pm	Break	
2:25 pm	Paul Revere's Ride	Team
3:30 pm	Adjourn	



Saturday, November 7, 2009

8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
8:30 am	Welcome Back and Moving Forward	Russ
8:45 am	How the British Lost an Unlosable War	Stuart
9:45 am	Conducting Historical Research: The Battle of Lexington with Art Analysis	Scott
11:00 am	Break	
11:15 am	Miracle at Philadelphia: The 1787 Constitutional Convention	Stuart
12:00 pm	Lunch	
12:45 pm	Thirteen Contests: Ratifying the Constitution	Stuart
1:30 pm	Using Web Resources in the Classroom	Scott
2:30 pm	The Duel	Team
3:15 pm	Wrap-Up and Evaluations	Russ
3:30 pm	Adjourn	

