



# NATIONAL HUMANITIES CONFERENCE

Salt Lake City - 2016

Thursday, November 10th- Sunday, November 13th

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## The NHC Daily

Welcome to the 2016 *National Humanities Conference Daily*, a daily recap of news and images from the conference. In addition, please check out the [National Humanities Conference Facebook Page](#) and the [conference website event page](#). To follow the conversation on social media, please use #NHCSLC.

## Wednesday Pre-Conference

### Welcome

We are very pleased to welcome you to the 2016 National Humanities Conference! We are especially excited this year as we embark on the series of three joint conferences between the National Humanities Alliance and the Federation of State Humanities Councils. These three days will provide a wealth of stimulating and illuminating conversations as we focus on how we can achieve broader public impact and showcase the fundamental role humanities partnerships play in addressing both local and global challenges. We hope you will enjoy connecting with old friends, meeting new colleagues, and exchanging information and ideas about the important work we are engaged in together.

**Esther Mackintosh**  
*Federation President*

**& Stephen Kidd**  
*NHA Executive Director*

## Registration Desk & Welcome Table

Enhance your visit to Salt Lake City and the conference with information about Utah from Utah Humanities! Check out the Utah Welcome Table located in the Hotel Lobby today and Thursday, 8:00 am to 6:00 pm.

Beginning tomorrow, head to the Grand Foyer to pick up your registration packets, NEW conference lanyards, hotel map, and nametags. The Registration Desk is open from 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm Thursday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm Friday, and 8:00

## Thank You!



Routledge for its sponsorship of the 2016 National Humanities Conference.

## Registration Desk

**Thursday, Nov. 9th**  
12:00 to 5:00pm.

**Friday, Nov. 10th**  
8:00am to 4:00pm.

**Sat. Nov. 11th** 8:00  
am to 5:30 pm

## Utah Welcome Table

Weds. Nov. 9th  
8:00 am to 6:00 pm

Thurs. Nov. 10th  
8:00 am to 6:00 pm

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am to 5:30 pm on Saturday. We look forward to seeing you there!

## Booksellers & Book Signings

This year, we are pleased to feature two booksellers and multiple book signing opportunities throughout the conference. Kings English and the University of Utah Press will be selling books, including those by Danielle Allan and Elizabeth Fenn, the two major conference speakers, who will sign books after their events. The booksellers will be located near the Registration Desk and will be open both Friday and Saturday during the conference.

### Book Signings:

- **Friday:** 6:15 to 6:45 pm with Danielle Allen, Capps Lecturer, at the Jeanne Wagner Theater
- **Saturday:** 11:30 am to 12:30 pm with Utah Humanities for *Hope, Heart, and the Humanities*; and from 6:30 to 7:00 pm with Elizabeth Fenn, closing speaker, at the Closing Event and Reception

## Video Opportunities

**New this year!** The National Humanities Conference is now offering opportunities to capture the meeting and attendees on video.

### Tune in LIVE:

Three events, the Schwartz Prize Presentation, Bridging Troubled Waters Concurrent Session, and the Breakfast with NEH Chairman will be live streamed on the [conference Facebook page](#).

### Help Build the NEH Video Library:

Jesse Moss, digital communications strategist at NEH, will be filming selected sessions as well as conducting interviews featuring council directors, NEH grantees, and select programs throughout the conference to build the NEH social media and video content for 2017. She will also be interviewing the 2016 Schwartz Prize nominees and will show a highlights video of their conversations just prior to the Schwartz Prize Awards Presentation on Friday, Nov. 11 at 4:45 pm at the Jeanne Wagner Theater.

### Share Your Thoughts!

Throughout the conference, there will be opportunities to share thoughts and impressions via short video interviews conducted by NHA and Federation staff members. These short videos will be compiled and shared online following the conference.

## Ways to Connect / Contribute

Whether you are attending the conference this year, or not, there are ample opportunities to enrich your experience or to stay connected.

### **The NHC Daily - Recommended**

Stay in the know regarding important sessions and events featured at the conference by [signing up for the NHC Daily](#). Distributed via email each evening of the conference, the *NHC Daily* recaps the day's events through summaries, quotes, and images, and previews the next. Wednesday is the only day the *NHC Daily* is being distributed also to HumTalk and on Facebook, in addition to the conference attendees. Therefore, if you didn't sign up to receive the daily through registration (or are not attending the conference and will wish to receive the daily), [please sign up here](#).

### **Social Media**

**Facebook** - The National Humanities Conference has its own [Facebook page](#)! Be sure to like the page and share your thoughts. Additionally, check out the [National Humanities Alliance](#) and the [Federation of State Humanities Councils](#) Facebook pages for member-specific announcements and updates. You can also follow #NHCSLC to see all conference-related conversations.

**Twitter** - Follow [@HumanitiesAll](#) (NHA) and [@HumFed](#) (Federation) or use #NHCSLC to stay connected to the conversation as it happens during the conference.

**Instagram** - Use #NHCSLC to visually experience the conference in beautiful Salt Lake City, Utah. Both the [Federation \(@HumFed\)](#) and the [National Endowment for the Humanities \(@NEHgov\)](#) have handles and will be posting from the conference - be sure to check it out!

## THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS!



Thank you to Routledge for its sponsorship of the 2016 National Humanities Conference. In addition to their generous donation, Routledge [curated a collection](#) specific to themes addressed in the conference.

A special thank you to Utah Humanities, the University of Utah, College of Humanities, and the Natural History Museum of Utah for their generous contributions to the Opening Reception, and to Jo-Ann Wong for donating her photography services to the conference.

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Submit Content to *The NHC Daily*!

Your thoughts and images could be featured on the next NHC Daily. Select sessions will be requesting volunteers to draft content for the NHC Daily. To submit content, [click here](#) or pick up a form at the Registration Desk.

**Alternatively, tag us on Facebook and Twitter or use #NHCSLC when posting on social media.**

### **Upcoming Events (Thursday, Nov. 10)**

- 8:00 AM - Utah Welcome Table Opens (closes at 6:00 pm)
- 9:30 AM - Humanities in the Wild (offsite session)
- 10:00 AM - FSHC Board Meeting (Canyon B)
- 12:00 PM - Registration Desk Opens (closes at 5:00 pm)
- 1:00 PM - MoMS Forum (Canyon C)
- 1:00 PM - Foundant Users Group (Seminar)
- 3:30 PM - Kickoff Orientation (Grand Ballroom)
- 6:30 PM - Opening Reception (Natural History Museum of Utah)
- 8:30 PM - FSHC Board Dinner (Canyon B)

*Thank you for being a part of the 2016 National Humanities Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah. We'd like to say a special thank you to Utah Humanities for hosting, the 2016 Conference Planning Committee for their ideas, organization and leadership, and to those who are working to support and promote the value and the importance of the humanities across the nation and globe.*

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