

2021 Symposium Speakers

John Allison is a founding partner in the investment management firm of Allison Investment Management. His particular passion is Revolutionary War battlefield archaeology. He is credited with locating many lost battlefields, and also defining known Revolutionary War battlefields.

Brett Bennett is an American Revolution enthusiast and actively involved in a range of historic preservation and related land protection advocacy groups, including the South Carolina Battleground Preservation Trust and the Fort Sumter/Fort Moultrie Historical Trust where he serves as a member of its Board of Directors.

Bill Davies is a retired attorney and now he and his wife split their time between Columbia and Edisto Island. He serves on the South Carolina American Revolution Sestercentennial Commission, South Carolina Historical Society, The Liberty Trail, Santa Elena Advisory Board of the Coastal Discovery Museum, and other boards and societies too numerous to list. He graduated from The Citadel and the University of South Carolina School of Law.

Dan Elliott currently serves as President of the LAMAR Institute in Georgia. He has more than 45 years of experience in archaeology in the United States with diverse expertise in colonial history, settlement patterning, prehistoric exchange networks, Archaic studies, battlefield archaeology, Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) survey, and elemental analysis.

Elaine Rohr has been an archivist at the SC Department of Archives and History for 15 years. She performs research pertaining to the agency's holdings of South Carolina Revolutionary War primary sources, and she aids patrons in the Reference Room. She received an M.A. in American History with a Concentration in Public History from Western Carolina University.

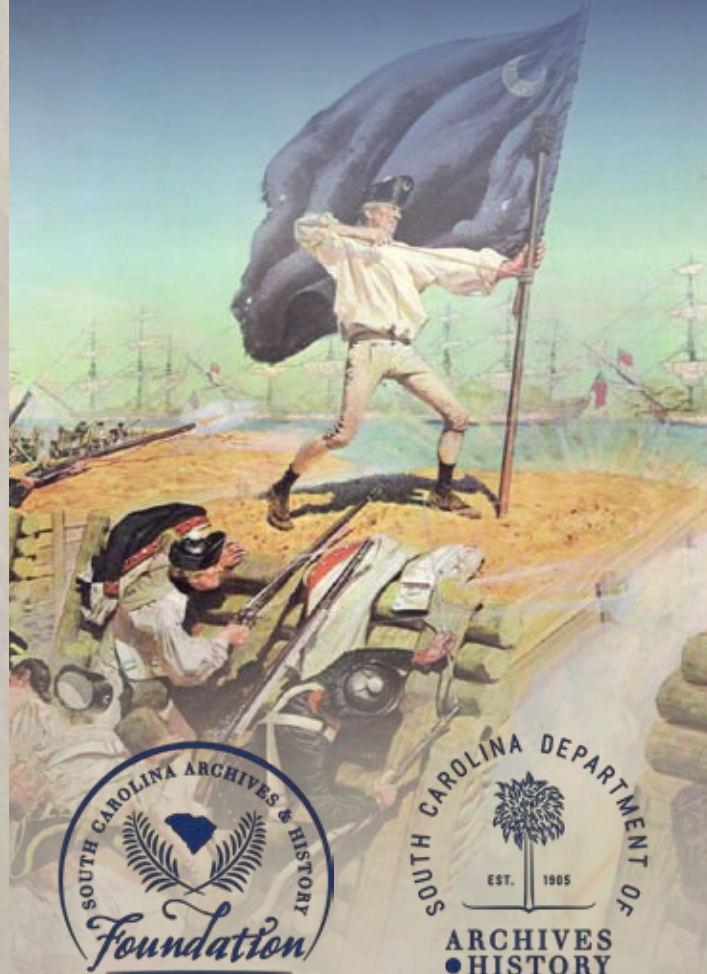
David Reuwer works as an attorney and preservationist. David has been a preservation advocate and history enthusiast for over 50 years. He has served on numerous historic societies and received many awards from preservation and heritage organizations.

Gary Sellick, PhD, is the Editorial Assistant for the Papers of Thomas Jefferson: Retirement Series, Thomas Jefferson Foundation, at Monticello, Charlottesville, VA. He earned his PhD in history from the University of South Carolina. He has earned multiple awards, honors, and fellowships in Britain and the United States.

December 4, 2021

3rd Annual American Revolution Symposium

State of Rebellion: South Carolina's Place in the American Revolution



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Exhibitors

South Carolina Battleground Preservation Trust

USC Press

Zach Lemhouse, Southern Revolutionary War Institute

SC 250th Commission

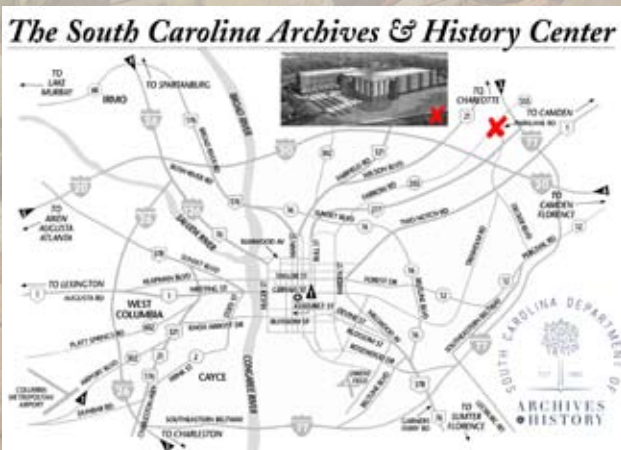
SC Department of Archives & History

Artillery Group

Symposium Location

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8301 Parklane Road
Columbia, SC 29223

Directions: <https://scdah.sc.gov/about-us/how-find-us>



Saturday, December 4, 2021

8:00 AM - Registration Opens (exhibits open)

9:00 – 9:30 - Researching Your American Revolution era Genealogy, *Elaine Rohr, SCDAH*

9:30 – 10:00 - Break

10:00 – 11:00 - Black Men, Red Coats: The Revolutionary History of the Carolina Corps, *Gary Sellick, Monticello*

11:00 – 11:30 - Break

11:30 – 12:00 - "Tear of Trails" - Enhancing Liberty's Landmarks & SC Battleground Preservation Trust Update, *David Reuwer*

Noon – 12:15 - SC 250th Celebration Update, *Bill Davies*

12:15 – 1:30 - Lunch and Visit Exhibits

1:30 – 2:15 - Scotch-Irish Presbyterian Influence on the Revolutionary War in the Southern Backcountry or Don't Ever Kick a Sleeping Dog, *John Allison*

2:15 – 2:45 - Break

2:45 – 3:15 - Archaeological Discoveries at Purysburg from 1984 to Present, *Dan Elliott*

3:15 – 3:30 - Southern Campaigns Scoops, I Bet You Didn't Know, *David Reuwer*

3:30 – 4:00 - The Battle of the Waxhaws: Implications of "A Vindictive Asperity Not Easily Restrained" *Brett Bennett*

Seminars will be held in the auditorium.

Registration Form

\$50 Early Bird Registration (before July 31)
\$75 August 1 – November 19
\$100 November 20 – December 4
\$25 Student/Teacher (copy of current school ID required)

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