

Mississippi Historical Society

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ANNUAL  
MEETING  
MARCH 5-7  
CORINTH

MISSISSIPPI HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
ANNUAL MEETING

North Mississippi  
in the Civil War

CORINTH  
MARCH 5-7, 2015

As the sesquicentennial of the Civil War draws to a close, the Mississippi Historical Society's 2015 annual meeting will examine the role north Mississippi played in the conflict. Presentation topics will include the Battle of Corinth, Unionism, life on the homefront, and slavery. The keynote address will be delivered by John F. Marszalek, executive director and managing editor of the Ulysses S. Grant Association and Giles Distinguished Professor Emeritus at Mississippi State University.

Registration is \$35 for MHS members and \$60 for non-members. Reservations for the Friday luncheon and banquet and Saturday awards brunch should be made by February 27. Call 601-576-6849 or email [mhs@mdah.state.ms.us](mailto:mhs@mdah.state.ms.us) for more information.

Rooms are reserved at the Hampton Inn, 2107 Highway 72 West, in Corinth (662-286-5949) until February 23, 2015; when making reservations, be sure to request the MHS rate of \$89 plus tax per night.

*If using this form for more than one person, please list the full name of each individual as he or she wishes it to appear on a nametag.*

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# Mississippi Historical Society

## 2015 ANNUAL MEETING SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise indicated, all events will take place  
in the Weaver Center, 101 W. Linden Street

	COST	No.	TOTAL
MHS member	\$35	_____	_____
Non-member	\$60	_____	_____
Students	free	_____	_____

### March 5

Federation of Mississippi Historical Societies	free	_____	_____
Welcoming Reception	free	_____	_____

### March 6

Luncheon	\$18	_____	_____
Civil War Corinth Tour	free	_____	_____
President's Reception	free	_____	_____
Banquet	\$45	_____	_____

### March 7

Awards Luncheon	\$20	_____	_____
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### TOTAL

Please indicate all events you plan to attend so that we can provide caterers with an accurate count.

Make checks payable to the Mississippi Historical Society and return with this completed registration form by February 27 to:

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### THURSDAY, MARCH 5

3–5 p.m. REGISTRATION, Hampton Inn  
2107 Highway 72 West, Corinth

3 p.m. Federation of Mississippi Historical Societies,  
Hampton Inn

5–6:30 p.m. WELCOMING RECEPTION, Coliseum Civic  
Center, 404 Taylor Street, Corinth

7 p.m. BOARD OF DIRECTORS DINNER MEETING,  
Vicari, 514 Cruise Street, Corinth

12:15 p.m. LUNCHEON

#### The Beauvoir Veteran Project

Susannah J. Ural, *University of Southern Mississippi*

1:30 p.m. ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

3 p.m. Civil War Corinth Tour - maximum 55 people

6 p.m. PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION, Oak Home,  
808 Filmore Street

7:30 p.m. BANQUET, The Chop House, 3303 Shiloh Ridge Road  
**Ulysses S. Grant and His Place in Mississippi -  
Then and Now**  
John F. Marszalek, *Ulysses S. Grant Association*

### FRIDAY, MARCH 6

8–10 a.m. REGISTRATION

8 a.m. EDITORIAL STAFF & BOARD OF  
PUBLICATIONS, *JOURNAL OF MISSISSIPPI  
HISTORY*, Hampton Inn

9 a.m. **The Architecture of a Mississippi Boom Town:  
Corinth in 1860**

Todd Sanders, *Department of Archives and  
History*

#### Corinth Civilians in the Civil War

Thomas E. Parson, *Shiloh National Military  
Park*

10:45 a.m. **The Grant–Rosecrans Feud: Origins and  
Aftermath**

Michael B. Ballard, *Mississippi State University*

#### “Perfectly Satisfied to Die”: Capt. Absalom Dantzler and the Battle of Corinth

Jim Woodrick, *Department of Archives and  
History*

#### Unionism in Civil War North Mississippi

Thomas E. Cockrell, *Northeast Mississippi  
Community College*

### SATURDAY, MARCH 7

9 a.m. **Behind the Big House: Coming to Terms with  
Slavery in North Mississippi**

Justin Rogers, *graduate student, University of  
Mississippi*

#### Beyond The Civil War: Buffalo Soldiers and the Rise of Mobile Street

Eve Wade, *graduate student, University of  
Southern Mississippi*

10:30 a.m. **Local History Matters  
Siege and Battle of Corinth Commission**

Rosemary Taylor Williams

#### Corinth Black History Museum

Freida Miller

#### Brice's Crossroads Battlefield Visitor and Interpretive Center

Edwina Carpenter

12 noon AWARDS LUNCHEON

#### Presentation of Awards

#### Introduction of president-elect Adjournment