

The Society of Virgin Islands Historians

The Society of Virgin islands Historians is an association of professional historians and associate members, located on the island of St. Croix, but serving all of the Virgin Islands. The membership of the Society hails from the Virgin Islands, other Caribbean islands, the United States, Denmark and other countries. The Society promotes the study and advancement of local history through a number of activities, the most prominent among them being the publication of articles and documents, the holding of an annual meeting and conference and the promotion of issues vital to local history and preservation.

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Society of Virgin Islands Historians 27th Annual Conference

Narratives of the Enslaved: Resistance as Seen from Public Records

January 18, 2014

Danish West Indian & Guinea Warehouse
Corner of Company and Hospital Streets
National Park Service
Christiansted Historic District

2014 Program
Narratives of the Enslaved:
Resistance as Seen from Public Records

Registration8:00-8:30 a.m.

State of the Society by President Elizabeth Rezende...
 8:30-8:40 a.m.

Tributes to SVIH Members Deceased in 2013

Pat Murphy by *Wilfredo Geigel* 8:40-8:45 a.m.
 Ken Barta by *Nina York* 8:45-8:50 a.m.
 Robert Merwin by *David Hayes* 8:50-8:55 a.m.
 Jayne Edwards by *Elizabeth Rezende* 8:55-9:00 a.m.

Announcements

VI Department of Education’s Social Studies Standards
 by *Lauren Larsen* 9:05-9:10 a.m.
 Virgin Islands and Caribbean Culture Center by *Chenzira*
Davis Kahina..... 9:10-9:15 a.m.

Introduction of the Presentations by President

Rezende 9:15-9:20 a.m.

Sexual Violence against Enslaved Women by *Gunvor*
Simonsen..... 9:20-9:40 a.m.

UNESCO Teacher Workshops on the Transatlantic Slave
 Trade Project by *Peder Wiben and Duane Howell*
 9:40-10:00 a.m.

Coffee Break..... 10:10-10:30 a.m.

Using Narratives of the Enslaved in Education by *Sheri*
Jackson 10:30-10:50 a.m.

Showing the trailer to the film “The House that Freedom
 Built” by *La Vaughn Belle* 10:50-11:20 a.m.

Questions and Answers Moderated by President Rezende
 11:20-11:45 a.m.

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