

### Summary Schedule

#### **Monday, April 9**

8:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Park Tower Suite 8212*  
 US Forest Service Heritage Program Meeting

#### **Tuesday, April 10**

8:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Coolidge*  
 US Forest Service Heritage Program Meeting (con't)

6:00 pm–9:00 pm  
 Executive Committee Meeting

#### **Wednesday, April 11**

**2:00 pm–8:00 pm**  
**Atrium**  
**Meeting Registration**

7:00 am–7:30 am  
*Washington Room 4*  
 Government Affairs Briefing for those Visiting Capitol Hill

7:00 am–8:00 am  
*Congressional*  
 SAA Board of Directors New Board Member Orientation

8:00 am–4:45 pm  
*Congressional*  
 SAA Board of Directors Meeting

8:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Coolidge*  
 US Forest Service Heritage Program Meeting (con't)

9:00 am–4:00 pm  
*McKinley*  
 Association of Transportation Archaeologists (ATA) Annual Meeting

9:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Madison A*  
 Project Archaeology Annual Coordinators and Friends Meeting

9:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Taft*  
 National Park Service Archaeologists Meeting

9:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Park Tower Suite 8209*  
 Press Office

1:00 pm–5:00 pm  
*Harding*  
 National Association of State Archaeologists Annual Meeting

1:00 pm–5:00 pm  
*Madison B*  
 Workshop Best Practices for Digital Data Management and Curation

1:00 pm–5:00 pm  
*Excursion* Perishable Fibers Study Tour

5:00 pm–6:00 pm  
 Past President's Advisory Board Reception (by invitation)

5:30–6:00 pm  
*Hoover*  
 First-time Attendees Meeting Orientation

6:30 pm–8:30 pm  
*Marriott Salon 2*  
 President's Forum/Opening Session

9:00 pm–10:30 pm  
*Washington Room 4*  
 Student Member Welcome Reception (No fee; pre-registration required)

**Thursday, April 12****7:00 am–8:00 pm****Atrium****Meeting Registration**

7:00 am–7:30 am

*Washington Room 4*Government Affairs Briefing for those  
Visiting Capitol Hill

7:00 am–7:50 am

*Coolidge*Board of Directors and Interest Group  
Organizer Breakfast (by invitation)

7:30 am–12:00 pm

*Park Tower Suite 8206 and Park Tower  
Suite 8212*

Ethics Bowl Preliminary Rounds

8:00 am–10:00 am

*Virginia A*

Council of Councils Meeting

8:00 am–10:00 am

*Virginia B*

Publications Committee Meeting

8:00 am–12:00 pm

Symposia

8:30 am–12:30 pm

*Excursion* Repatriation Tour of the  
Smithsonian National Museum of the  
American Indian and National Museum  
of Natural History in Suitland, MD

8:30 am–3:30 pm

*Excursion* Mt. Vernon Archaeology Tour

9:00 am–5:00 pm

*Park Tower Suite 8209*

Press Office

10:00\* am–5:00 pm

*Exhibit Hall A*

Exhibits

\*Note: one hour later than usual start  
time today

12:00 pm–1:00 pm

*Virginia B*

Heritage Values Interest Group Meeting

12:00 pm–1:00 pm

*Virginia A*Queer Archaeology Interest Group  
Meeting

1:00 pm–3:00 pm

*Lincoln 2*

Ethics Bowl

1:00 pm–5:00 pm

Symposia

2:00 pm–3:00 pm

*Park Tower Suite 8211*

Fundraising Committee Meeting

3:00 pm–5:00 pm

*Virginia B*Meeting of *Latin American Antiquity*  
Editorial Board

3:00 pm–5:00 pm

*Virginia C**Workshop* Navigating the Grant Process

3:00 pm–5:00 pm

*Park Tower Suite 8209*

Media Relations Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Virginia A*Council of Affiliated Societies Annual  
Business Meeting

4:00 pm–5:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and  
West*

Book Awards Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and  
West*Amity Pueblo MOA Compliance Task  
Force Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and  
West*

Committee on Curriculum Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and  
West*

Ethics Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm  
*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Government Affairs Committee Meeting  
4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Investment Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Minority Scholarships Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Committee on Museums, Collections, and Curation Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Committee on Native American Relations Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Native American Scholarships Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Fred Plog Memorial Fellowship Committee

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Public Education Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Committee on the Status of Women in Archaeology Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Student Affairs Committee Meeting

4:00 pm–6:00 pm

*Thurgood Marshall Ballroom North and West*

Task Force for Valuing Archaeology Meeting

**5:00 pm–7:00 pm**

***Exhibit Hall B South***

**Posters After Hours**

5:30 pm–7:30 pm

*Congressional*

Society for Archaeological Sciences

Business Meeting

5:30 pm–7:00 pm

*Coolidge*

Women's Networking Reception

6:00 pm–7:00 pm

*Park Tower Suite 8206*

Indigenous Populations Interest Group Meeting

6:00 pm–10:00 pm

Symposia

7:00 pm–7:30 pm

*Coolidge*

Women in Archaeology Interest Group

Business Meeting

***Friday, April 13***

**7:00 am–4:00 pm**

**Atrium**

**Meeting Registration**

7:00 am–7:30 am

*Washington Room 4*

Government Affairs Briefing for those

Visiting Capitol Hill

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| 8:00 am–10:00 am<br><i>Virginia A</i><br>International Government Affairs<br>Committee Meeting                                    | 12:00 pm–1:00 pm<br><i>Virginia C</i><br>Zooarchaeology Interest Group Meeting   |
| 8:00 am–12:00 pm<br>Symposia  | 12:00 pm–1:30 pm<br><i>Virginia A</i><br>International Association for Obsidian<br>Studies (IAOS) Annual Meeting             |
| 8:30 pm–12:30 pm<br><i>Excursion</i> Smithsonian Collections Tour,<br>National Museum of the American<br>Indian                   | 1:00 pm–3:00 pm<br><i>Park Tower Suite 8223</i><br>Repatriation Committee Meeting  |
| 8:30 pm–12:30 pm<br><i>Excursion</i> Smithsonian Collections Tour,<br>National Museum of Natural History                          | 1:00 pm–3:00 pm<br><i>Maryland B</i><br>Meeting of <i>American Antiquity</i> Editorial<br>Board                              |
| 9:00 am–11:00 am<br><i>Maryland A</i><br>Committee on the Americas Meeting  | 1:00 pm–3:00 pm<br><i>Maryland C</i><br>PEC State Network Coordinators<br>Meeting  |
| 9:00 am–12:00 pm<br><i>Park Tower Suite 8211</i><br>Executive Board Meeting of AAA-AD   | 1:00 pm–5:00 pm<br>Symposia  |
| 9:00 am–5:00 pm<br><i>Park Tower Suite 8209</i><br>Press Office   | 2:00 pm–4:00 pm<br><i>Maryland A</i><br>The Heritage Education Network<br>Business Meeting                                   |
| 9:00 am–5:00 pm<br><i>Exhibit Hall A</i><br>Exhibits  | 3:00 pm–4:00 pm<br><i>Virginia C</i><br>Public Archaeology Interest Group<br>Meeting   |
| 12:00 pm–1:00 pm<br><i>Maryland A</i><br>Fiber Perishables Interest Group<br>Meeting  | 3:00 pm–4:30 pm<br><i>Congressional</i><br>Forensic Archaeology Recovery Annual<br>Meeting                                   |
| 12:00 pm–1:00 pm<br><i>Congressional</i><br>History of Archaeology Interest Group<br>Meeting                                      | 3:30 pm–4:30 pm<br><i>Maryland C</i><br>Island and Coastal Archaeology Interest<br>Group Meeting                             |
| 12:00 pm–1:00 pm<br><i>Park Tower Suite 8212</i><br>Military Archaeology Resource<br>Stewardship (MARS) Interest Group<br>Meeting | <b>5:00 pm–6:30 pm</b><br><b><i>Marriott Salon 2</i></b><br><b>Annual Business Meeting and</b><br><b>Awards Presentation</b> |
| 12:00 pm–1:00 pm<br><i>Virginia B</i><br>Prehistoric Quarries and Early Mines<br>Interest Group Meeting                           | 6:45 pm–8:45 pm<br><i>Virginia B</i><br>Society of Africanist Archaeologists<br>Reception                                    |

6:45 pm–8:45 pm  
*Maryland B*  
 Native American Welcome Reception

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Taft*  
 Afro-Latin American Archaeology  
 Interest Group Meeting

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Taylor*  
 Archaeologist-Collector Collaboration  
 Interest Group Meeting

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Jefferson*  
 Repatriation Interest Group Exploratory  
 Meeting

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Johnson*  
 Curation Interest Group Exploratory  
 Meeting

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Harding*  
 Bioarchaeology Interest Group  
 Exploratory Meeting

7:00 pm–8:00 pm  
*Jackson*  
 Quantitative Methods and Statistical  
 Computing in Archaeology Interest  
 Group Meeting

7:00 pm–8:30 pm  
*Truman*  
 Teaching Archaeology Interest Group  
 Meeting and Third Annual Teaching  
 Slam

7:00 pm–8:30 pm  
*Madison B*  
 Rock Art Interest Group Meeting

7:00 pm–9:00 pm  
*Tyler*  
 Geoarchaeology Interest Group Meeting

7:00 pm–9:00 pm  
*Hoover*  
 Digital Data Interest Group and Open  
 Science in Archaeology Interest Group  
 Joint Meeting

7:00 pm–9:00 pm  
*Madison A*  
 Committee on Climate Change  
 Strategies and Archaeological  
 Resources Meeting

**Saturday, April 14**

**7:00 am–4:00 pm**  
**Atrium**  
**Meeting Registration**

7:00 am–8:00 am  
*Coolidge*  
 Committee and Task Force Chair  
 Breakfast with the Board of Directors (by  
 invitation)

8:00 am–12:00 pm  
 Symposia

8:15 am–5:00 pm  
*McKinley*  
 SAA Board of Directors Meeting

9:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Park Tower Suite 8209*  
 Press Office

9:00 am–10:30 am  
*Madison A*  
*Workshop* Using tDAR: A Workshop for  
 SAA Members Benefitting from the  
 SAA–Center for Digital Antiquity Good  
 Digital Curation Agreement

9:00 am–11:00 am  
*Coolidge*  
 Hands-On Teaching II: New Activities to  
 Get Students Active and Engaged

9:00 am–5:00 pm  
*Exhibit Hall A*  
 Exhibits

10:00 am–12:00 pm  
*Congressional  
Advances in Archaeological Practice*  
Editorial Board Meeting

1:00 pm–4:00 pm  
*Exhibit Hall B South*  
CRM Expo

1:00 pm–5:00 pm  
Symposia

5:30 pm–7:00 pm  
*Coolidge*  
Get-Together for Archaeologists of East  
and Southeast Asia

***Sunday, April 2***

**7:00 am–8:00 am**  
***Park Tower Suite 8228***  
**Meeting Registration**

8:00 am–12:00 pm  
Symposia

9:00 am–12:00 pm  
*Park Tower Suite 8209*  
Press Office

## A WORD ABOUT THE SESSIONS

The sessions that make up the bulk of the program fall within seven categories:

**Forum**—An interactive format organized around a tightly focused theme. Formal presentations are kept to a minimum to encourage discussion between presenters and audience. Forums are two hours.

**General Session**—Consists of Posters and Contributed Papers (15 minutes), each submitted individually by its author(s). Presentations are grouped together by the program chair around a particular theme, usually geographic or methodological. Session chairs are designated by the program chair.

**Symposium**—A group of 15-minute presentations on a well-defined theme submitted together by a chair. Also includes poster presentations submitted as a group and organized around a single theme.

**Electronic Symposium**—A discussion format in which the organizer posts the papers on the web at least one month before the meeting. No papers are read at electronic symposium as it is assumed that attendees will have read the material beforehand. Generally a few minutes' summary of the papers are the introduction to the two-hour discussion session.

**Debate**—A Debate is a format designed to encourage debate and discussion of current issues. A Debate consists of a moderator and discussants representing at least two different perspectives. No papers are listed with the session. Debate sessions may have no fewer than 4 discussants and no more than 6 discussants. Debates are two hours long.

**Lightning Rounds**—A Lightning Round is analogous to a forum format (there will be a moderator, perhaps a co-moderator, and discussants). Each Lightning Round will be organized around a topic or an area. The second hour will be for discussion in groups with individual presenters or discussion with the group as a whole. Each Lightning Round will be two-hours long with the first hour consisting of three-minute presentations (with three slides maximum; 10–15 discussants).

**Posters After Hours**— This session will feature 100 posters. With a relaxed atmosphere and a cash bar, this session serves as the perfect venue to connect with colleagues and discuss current research.

Any of these sessions may be “sponsored” and/or “invited.” The designation “sponsored” indicates the support of an SAA committee or interest group, or an organization outside SAA. The designation “invited” reflects a special status and role within the meeting, as defined by the Program Committee Chair. All sponsored and invited sessions are subject to review by the Program Committee, as are all other submissions, and are subject to the three-role rule. Because numerous groups wish to sponsor sessions, the Program Committee must balance such requests with other program goals; as a result, in some circumstances, requests for sponsored sessions may be rejected. The only exceptions to the review process and three-role rule are the opening and plenary sessions.

*Note: All poster sessions are two hours in duration. Please check the schedule for these sessions in Sessions at a Glance.*

### SAA's 84th Annual Meeting in 2019!

Plan now to attend the SAA 84th Annual Meeting in Albuquerque, New Mexico April 10–14, 2019. Guidelines for contributors (Call for Submissions) who wish to submit papers, posters, or forums for consideration are posted on SAAweb ([www.saa.org](http://www.saa.org)). The Online Submissions System for Albuquerque will open May 1, 2018.