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CONGRÈS

CONGRÈS DE LA SOCIÉTÉ HISTORIQUE DU CANADA, VANCOUVER, 1983

Le congrès de la Société historique du Canada se tiendra en 1983 à Vancouver, à l'Université de la Colombie-Britannique. Le Comité du Programme invite les membres, les historiens et les collègues d'autres disciplines à proposer des sujets de communication ou de séances. Trois thèmes ont été privilégiés pour ce congrès : l'histoire de la famille, *la géographie historique canadienne* et l'histoire sociale de l'Europe moderne. On a de plus prévu des séances conjointes avec l'Association canadienne de Science politique et la Société canadienne d'Histoire de la Médecine. Comme d'habitude, des communications dans des domaines de l'histoire canadienne, américaine, européenne, asiatique, africaine ou dans d'autres secteurs historiques seront aussi présentées. Les personnes intéressées à proposer un sujet de communication en français sont priées d'écrire à Yvan Lamonde, Centre d'Études canadiennes-françaises, Université McGill, 3475 Peel, Montréal, H3A 1W7 (514-392-5210). Le Comité du Programme est composé de Peter Ward (Histoire, UBC), président; de Robin Fisher (Histoire, SFU); de Douglas Owsram (Histoire, Alberta); de Joy Parr (Histoire, Queen's); d'Allan Smith (Histoire, UBC); de Donald Sutherland (Histoire, Brock); de John Warkentin (Géographie, Brock); et de Yvan Lamonde (McGill).

Date limite pour les propositions : 15 SEPTEMBRE 1982.

THE ATLANTIC WORKSHOP, CARAQUET, 1983

The Atlantic Workshop is an informal, interdisciplinary group of scholars with an interest in Atlantic Canada (broadly defined). The Workshop originated in 1977 when a group of graduate students at McGill University organized a workshop to which they invited historians, geographers, and anthropologists working on the "Gulf of St. Lawrence region". Subsequent meetings of the group have been held in St. John's, Newfoundland (1978) in conjunction with the annual conference of the Maritime History Group, and, with financial assistance from the SSHRC, at Mount Allison University in Sackville, New Brunswick (1979) and at the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic in Halifax (1981). In St. John's, the focus was upon entrepreneurship in the Atlantic Provinces in the 19th century; in Sackville, papers dealt with aspects of "Land, Sea, and Livelihood" in the region; in Halifax, industrialization provided an organizing theme. Taken together the conferences have provided occasion for historians, geographers, sociologists, anthropologists, economists, folklorists, museum curators, and archivists to engage in discussion and exchange.

The next meeting of the Atlantic workshop is scheduled for Caraquet, New Brunswick in October 1983, where proceedings will be held at the Village Historique Acadien. Tentative programme plans call for a handful of plenary sessions—in which recent work on particular facets of the region will be assessed and future lines of inquiry suggested—alongside several more informal workshops on selected themes—in which moderators will identify central questions and co-ordinate discussion of precirculated papers.

Prospective contributors of papers for plenary sessions or workshops should indicate their interest to programme organizer, Dr. Graeme Wynn, Department of Geography, University of British Columbia, 1984 West Mall, Vancouver, B.C. V6T 1W5, or to host and co-ordinator of local arrangements M. Clarence Le Breton, Historien, conservateur en chef, Village Historique Acadien, C.P. 820 Caraquet, Nouveau-Brunswick E0B 1K0 by *October 1, 1982*. Among possible workshop topics are: Community; Material Culture; Regionalism; Workers; and Underdevelopment. Further suggestions would be most welcome. It is anticipated that facilities for simultaneous translation will be available at the Village Historique Acadien.

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