

Association for Great Lakes Maritime History
2018 Annual Conference – September 6-8, 2018 – Toledo, Ohio
Hosted by the National Museum of the Great Lakes
Schedule of Events

Thursday – September 6 – National Museum of the Great Lakes – 1701 Front St.

5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Welcome Reception and Registration

It wasn't open the last time you were at AGLMH in Toledo, so spend some time with your fellow members at the National Museum of the Great Lakes. Check out the many interactive exhibits, images, artifacts, and stories that they are telling.



Friday – September 7 – National Museum of the Great Lakes – 1701 Front St.

- 9:00 a.m. Registration
- 9:30 a.m. **Association Business Meeting**
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. **2018 Museum Members' Round Table**
- 3:00 p.m. **Guided tour of the *Col. James M. Schoonmaker* Museum Ship**
- 5:00 p.m. **Dinner on Your Own**



Saturday – September 8 – Promedica Steam Plant – 100 Madison Ave.

- 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Registration and Welcome
- 9:00 – 12:00 p.m. **History Programs**
 - "Discovery of the *Argo*: The Great Lakes' Top Environmental Hazard"
by Tom Kowalczyk of the Cleveland Underwater Explorers
 - "The Journey of the *Leroy Brooks*, Toledo, 1891"
by Dan Welsh
 - "James Fraser Paige and the Rise of the Port Arthur Shipbuilding Company, 1917-1919"
by Michael Moir, University Archivist, York University, Toronto, Ontario
- 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. **History Program**
 - "Solving the Mystery of the SS *Lakeland*"
by Tamara Thomsen, Maritime Archaeologist, Wisconsin Historical Society

- 2:00 – 3:30 p.m. **2018 Great Lakes Maritime History Research Roundtable –**
“The Archives of NW Ohio and SE Michigan”
Featuring:
Jill Clever, Local History & Genealogy, Toledo-Lucas County Public Library
Matthew Daley, Associate Professor of History, Grand Valley State University
(Dowling Collection – University of Detroit Mercy)
Julie Mayle, Associate Curator of Manuscripts, Hayes Presidential Center
Mark Sprang, Archivist, Historical Collection of the Great Lakes, Bowling Green State
University
Joel Stone, Curator, Detroit Historical Society / Dossin Museum
- 6:00 p.m. **Association for Great Lakes Maritime History’s Annual Dinner and Awards Program**
Reception (cash bar) and Dinner at Promedica Steam Plant – 100 Madison Ave in Toledo
- Keynote Speaker:** David R. Bush, Ph.D., Professor of Anthropology, Chair, Friends and
Descendants of Johnson’s Island Civil War Prison

“The Role of Lake Erie at the Johnson’s Island Civil War Military Prison: View from the Bottom of a Latrine”

The United States chose western Lake Erie as the location to house captured Prisoners of War. Escape from Johnson’s Island was complicated, in no part due to its location in Sandusky Bay of Lake Erie. Archaeological and historical evidence traces the perils of escape from the bottom of a latrine to crossing Lake Erie to Canada.



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Lodging Information

The Toledo area offers a wide range of lodging and accommodations. A special conference rate of \$91 plus tax and parking (\$10/night) is available through **August 6** at:

Park Inn by Radisson
101 N. Summit St.
Tel. (419) 241-3000
Block code: 1809AGLMHN



You can use this direct web address to get this rate –

<https://www.parkinn.com/toledooh/hotel-deals/toledoaglmh>

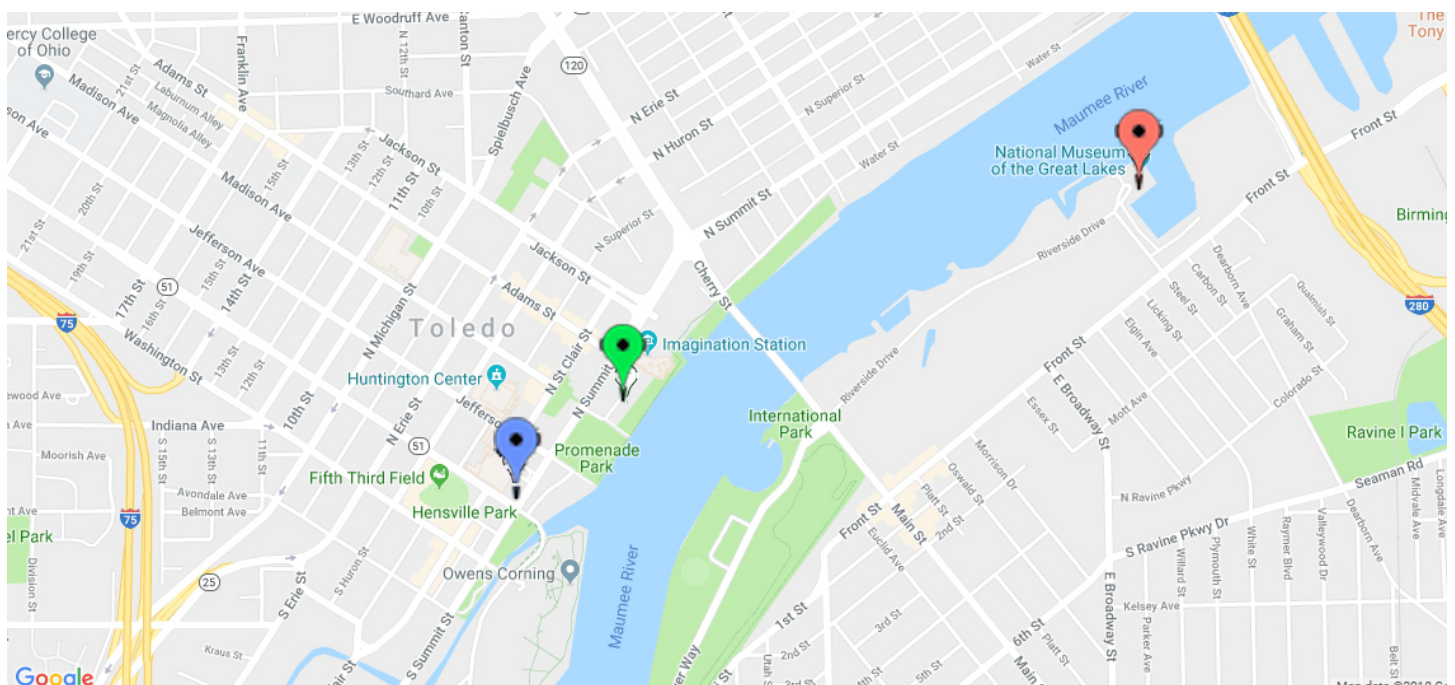
The hotel does offer a complimentary shuttle, based on availability, within a two-mile radius including the National Museum of the Great Lakes as well as the Hollywood Casino Toledo, 2:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m. For more information on area accommodations and attractions, see the web site of the Toledo Convention and Visitor's Bureau at www.dotoledo.org.

Lodging & Meeting Locations

RED – National Museum of the Great Lakes – 1701 Front Street (Thursday reception, Friday)

GREEN – Promedica Steam Plant – 100 Madison Ave. (Saturday Meetings and Dinner Program)

BLUE – Park Inn – 101 N. Summit St. (Conference Hotel)



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2018 Registration Form

Name(s): _____

Institution (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Prov: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Registration Option #1 – Full Conference	Cost Per Person	Number of People	Subtotal
Full Conference includes registration fees, continental breakfasts, breaks, lunches, and annual awards dinner.	\$145		
Registration Option #2 – A La Carte			
Thursday – September 6th			
Welcome Reception at NMGL	N/C		
Friday – September 7th			
One-Day Conference Registration Fee (Includes Continental Breakfast and Breaks)	\$24		
Lunch Buffet from Tony Packo's	\$20		
Guided Tour of the <i>Col. James M. Schoonmaker</i>	\$5		
Saturday – September 8th			
One-Day Conference Registration Fee (Includes Continental Breakfast and Breaks)	\$34		
Box Lunch	\$17		
Annual Dinner and Awards Program (buffet)	\$45		
TOTAL			

Registration Deadline is August 31, 2018

Payment: NEW THIS YEAR! Register Online: <http://aglmh2018.eventbrite.com> – additional fees apply

OR: Make checks payable to the “National Museum of the Great Lakes” and mail with completed form

OR: call NMGL at (419) 214-5000 to register and pay with credit card.

Mail Registration Form To: NMGL, 1701 Front Street, Toledo, OH 43605

For Questions About the 2018 Annual Conference: contact Carrie Sowden of the National Museum of the Great Lakes at (419)-214-5000 x 201 or e-mail: shipwreck@inlandseas.org.