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### IN THE COMMUNITY

**Esyllt Jones** will speak of her book *Imagining Winnipeg* on Thursday, January 17, 7:00 pm, Asper Jewish Community Campus (123 Doncaster Street). Admission is \$5 for members of the Centre and \$7.50 for non-members. Refreshments will be served after the lecture.

### SUMMER FIELD SCHOOL

**Ethnohistory & Archaeology Field School** on the Northern Sunshine Coast of BC. Graduate & senior undergraduate students in History, Archaeology, Anthropology, Native Studies, or Geography might be interested in taking this June course offered by the University of Saskatchewan and Simon Fraser University. The course will consist of community-based ethnohistorical and archaeological fieldwork with Tla'amin First Nation that will contribute to the Tla'amin Historical Atlas. More info contact: Dana Lepofsky ([dlepofsk@sfu.ca](mailto:dlepofsk@sfu.ca))

# HISTORY

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### UM DISCUSSION SERIES VISIONARY CONVERSATIONS

*The New West: Economic and Political Rise of Western Canada.* Featured speakers: **Adele Perry**, History, CRC in Western Canadian Social History, Paul Vogt, Alumnus & Clerk of the Executive Council, Prov. of Manitoba, Paul Thomes, Prof. Emeritus, Political Studies, and Ian Hudson, Assoc. Prof., Economics. Wednesday, January 16, 7:00-8:30 pm, Robert Schultz Theatre, St. John's College. (There is a reception at 6:30 in the galleria outside the lecture hall.) RSVP to: [Visionary\\_Conversations@umanitoba.ca](mailto:Visionary_Conversations@umanitoba.ca).

### BURSARY OPPORTUNITY

The **Canadian Battlefields Foundation** is again offering bursaries to Canadian university students who want to take the **Battlefield Study Tour**. The tour visits European battlefields of the World Wars with professors from UWO. The bursaries cover the cost of the tour (air & ground travel from Toronto, accommodation, meals, and study materials) but requires the student to also contribute \$1000 towards the cost. Outstanding undergraduates, grad students, and very recent grads are encouraged to apply. Send 5 copies of the application form (at [www.cbf-fccb.ca](http://www.cbf-fccb.ca)) by **February 25** along with official university transcripts and 2 academic letters of reference to: Prof. Graham Broad, History, King's University College, UWO, 266 Epworth Ave., London, ON N6A 2M3.

### PUBLIC HISTORY PRIZE

The **Canadian Committee on Public History** seeks nominations for this award (to be presented at the CHA annual meeting in Victoria) which will recognize work that achieves high standards of original research, scholarship, and presentation; provides an innovative contribution on public history; and

### CALLS FOR PAPERS

The **Keewatin Country Graduate Student History Conference** is organized by the graduate students of the History Departments at the University of Manitoba, the University of Saskatchewan, and the University of Winnipeg. The 2013 Keewatin Conference will be held at Wanuskewin Heritage Park outside Saskatoon from April 25-27. The Keewatin Country Conference offers graduate students and top undergraduate students an opportunity to present their research in a collegial, scholarly environment. It also serves as an opportunity to build relationships and networks with students and faculty from nearby institutions. Organizers welcome papers from a variety of disciplinary perspectives, including all periods and topics in history, historical geography, archival studies, and related disciplines. Possible topics: creation and contestation of historical memory, oral history, digital humanities; public outreach activities; open access publication in the humanities; and teaching historical and archival practice. Submit abstracts of up to 300 words or full panel abstracts (max. 4 papers) to [jozic.j@usask.ca](mailto:jozic.j@usask.ca) before **January 30**. Website: <http://artsandscience.usask.ca/history/keewatin/>

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The graduate students of the Department of History, **Carleton University**, present the interdisciplinary **Underhill Graduate Student Conference**, March 7-9, 2013. This Ottawa conference will focus on the craft and practice of history and historiography, with a special emphasis on digital history. The keynote address

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## AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE

~ *UM Research Life*, journal, Undergraduate Research issue

~ *The Newsletter* of the International Institute for Asian Studies, Winter 2012

~ *Perspectives on History*, the magazine of the AHA, October 2012

~ Info pamphlets – Univ. of Western Ontario's M.A. in American Studies

~ Info book – Sotheby's Institute of Art, Graduate school

~ Catalogue – Peter Lang, Humanities, 2013

## ONLINE SURVEY

The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) is asking young adults, emerging scholars, critical thinkers and engaged citizens to share their thoughts and reflections as part of the project *Imagining Canada's Future*. Visit the survey link [www.surveymonkey.com/s/TT3NJHD](http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/TT3NJHD) to provide input on a draft long-list of 12 future challenge areas that have been identified through extensive consultations thus far. **The survey will close on January 25.**

## Prize Continued

serves as a model for future work in the field of public history in Canada. Works in public history completed in 2012 are eligible for the prize and may include: books, exhibitions, documentary films, web sites, and other productions representing scholarship in public history. Nominations are encouraged on: the nature and evolution of public history; the workings of memory, commemoration, and their application in public life; archival practice and policy; museum studies; and the presence of historical events and themes in society. **Deadline for nominations: March 1.** Send 3 copies of the original work to: Public History Prize Committee, c/o Benjamin Isitt, Faculty of Law, Univ. of Victoria, PO Box 1700, STN CSC, Victoria, BC, V8W 2Y2, [isitt@uvic.ca](mailto:isitt@uvic.ca).

## CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

*Alternate Routes: A Journal of Critical Social Research* seeks papers on *Environmental Intersections: Climate Change, Capitalism and Prospects for Change*. Papers should address (but not be limited to): In what ways have issues related to environmental degradation taken a back seat to a narrow focus on the economy in light of the Great Recession? On what facts do climate change denialists base their claims? What are the social, political, cultural and economic consequences of environmental inaction? Complete call for papers online: [www.alternateroutes.ca/index.php/ar/announcement/view/361](http://www.alternateroutes.ca/index.php/ar/announcement/view/361) Submissions must be received by **June 1**. Include an abstract (max 300 words) and short biography. Author guidelines, etc. on journal website [www.alternateroutes.ca](http://www.alternateroutes.ca)

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*Advances in Historical Studies* (AHS), which is an open access academic journal, invites submissions or recommendations of articles. An open access model will mean more citations of, and free access to, your articles by all interested readers without the need for a subscription. Website: [www.scirp.org/journal/Home.aspx?JournalID=2316](http://www.scirp.org/journal/Home.aspx?JournalID=2316) Articles should be submitted online by clicking on the 'submission' button on the journal's home page.

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will be by William Turkel, History, Univ. of Western Ontario, "*Doing History in Real Time*." Papers on any history-related topic are welcome as are submissions from all academic fields and disciplines. There will also be workshops on migration history and public history. Visit the website ([www.carleton.ca/underhill](http://www.carleton.ca/underhill)) for more information. **Deadline** to send proposals to [underhill@carleton.ca](mailto:underhill@carleton.ca) is **January 15**.

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The **Young Scholars Forum of the Association for Canadian Studies in German-Speaking Countries** is holding a conference July 4-6 at the University of Trier, Germany. The graduate student conference title is *Understanding Canada* and aims to explore issues about and of Canada from different perspectives and disciplines. Papers may deal with (but aren't restricted to): Perception & self-perception; understanding each other in Canada-Canadian bilingualism; understanding Canada- the immigrant perspective; the First Nations & Canada; and aspects of Canadian French or Canadian English. Abstracts may come from all fields of Canadian Studies, presentations in English, French, or German. Send a 250-word abstract for 20-minute papers & short bio to [nachwuchsforum@gmail.com](mailto:nachwuchsforum@gmail.com) **Deadline: January 15**.

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*Life in the Infosphere* is a one-day colloquium put on by the UM Institute for the Humanities on March 4. Panels will consist of 4 speakers each speaking for 5-7 minutes. Organizers anticipate that speakers will address themes such as digital culture; digital preservation; technology and the academy; and technological challenges. Proposals from academics, creative producers, teachers, activists, archivists and other digital information professionals are welcomed. Find a link to the call for papers at <http://umanitoba.ca/faculties/arts/departments/humanities/programs/oncampusprogram.html> Abstracts of 200-words outlining your topic should be submitted to Krista Walters at [umih@ad.umanitoba.ca](mailto:umih@ad.umanitoba.ca) by **February 1**.

