

Picturing America School Collaboration Conference Schedule

All sessions at the Newberry Library unless otherwise indicated.

Friday, April 16, 2010

8:30 am - 9 am	Breakfast and Welcome
9:00 am - 10:30am	Welcome: James Grossman, Vice President of Research and Education, Newberry Library Keynote: Neil Harris, "Learning Through Landscape"
10:30am - 10:45 am	Break
10:45 am - 12:15 pm	Panel Discussion: Interpreting the American Landscape Joshua Brown, Sarah Burns, Martha Sandweiss
12:15 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:10 pm - 2:00 pm	Breakout Rotation 1 Conference participants will divide into three groups to view Newberry Library collection materials (on the American West and technology and the urban landscape) and discuss Picturing America lesson plan ideas in small groups.
2:10 pm – 3:00pm	Breakout Rotation 2 – see description of session 1 above
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Transportation to Chicago's Loop
3:30 pm – 4:45 pm	Guided walking tour of Chicago's Loop Tour of Chicago architecture and skyscrapers.

Saturday, April 17, 2010

8:30 am - 9:00 am	Breakfast and Welcome
9:00 am - 10:30 am	Panel Discussion: Landscape, Art, and Literature H. Daniel Peck, Kymberly Pinder, Andrew Walker
10:30 am - 10:40 am	Break
10:40 am – 11:30 am	Breakout Rotation 3 – see description of session 1 above
11:45 am – 12:15 pm	Electronic Resources and Networking Opportunities Rachel Rooney and Daniel Greene
12:15 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Transportation to Art Institute of Chicago
1:30 pm – 3:30 pm	Guided tour of Art Institute of Chicago Tour of works related to American landscape.
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Wrap Up and Evaluation