

Meeting Program

Monday, March 14

9:00 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.

The George Washington University Marvin Center
800 21st Street NW | Third Floor Ballrooms

- 8:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 a.m. **National Humanities Alliance Membership Business Meeting**
Open to NHA Member Representatives
- 9:30 a.m. **Welcome**
- *Stephen Kidd, Executive Director, National Humanities Alliance*
 - *David Marshall, National Humanities Alliance President and Executive Vice Chancellor, University of California, Santa Barbara*
- 10:00 a.m. **Keynote Address**
Bro Adams, Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities
- 11:15 a.m. **Panel Discussion: Making the Case for Humanities Research**
- *Rosemary Feal (moderator), Executive Director, Modern Language Association*
 - *Nicholas Allen, Director, Willson Center, University of Georgia*
 - *Jim Grossman, Executive Director, American Historical Association*
 - *Dianne Harris, Dean for the College of Humanities, University of Utah*
- 12:30 p.m. **Luncheon Welcome**
Steven Knapp, President, The George Washington University
- Luncheon Address**
Max Kenner, Founder and Executive Director, Bard Prison Initiative
- 2:00 p.m. **Panel Discussion: The Humanities and Return on Investment**
- *Beatrice Gurwitz (moderator), Assistant Director, National Humanities Alliance*
 - *Christine Henseler, Chair, Modern Languages & Literatures, Union College*
 - *Scott Samuelson, Associate Professor-Philosophy and Humanities, Kirkwood Community College*
 - *Andrew Cullison, Director, Janet Prindle Institute for Ethics, DePauw University*
- 3:30 p.m. **Federal Funding for the Humanities: Making the Case**
- *Overview of Funding*
 - *Advocacy Training*

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5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Rayburn House Office Building Gold Room
Independence Avenue & South Capitol Street

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. **Capitol Hill Reception**

Tuesday, March 15

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Humanities Advocacy Day

Delegation visits to Senate and House offices

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Way Station Open

Capitol Hill Hotel, 200 C Street, SE (House side)

Please return your completed Post-Visit Worksheets to NHA staff located at the Way Station. The Way Station is also available for those advocates who need a rest between Hill visits and as a location to store luggage for the day.
