

STATEWIDE PRESERVATION CONFERENCE
CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS & SESSIONS

The New Mexico Heritage Preservation Alliance's Annual Conference

Santa Fe, New Mexico
May 3-5, 2012

Dear members and friends of the New Mexico Heritage Preservation Alliance:

We invite you to share your expertise, enhance your professional growth, and contribute to the preservation of our state's cultural heritage by answering this call for presentations and sessions to be delivered at the NMHPA's annual conference. The theme for this year's conference is:

New Mexico's Centennial: The Role of Preservation, Now and For the Next One Hundred Years

This year's conference will be held in Santa Fe in collaboration with the Historical Society of New Mexico. Our host hotel will be La Posada Hotel where our sessions, banquet and registration will be held. The HSNM will present its sessions and banquet in the Santa Fe Convention Center. Both organizations will host a Thursday symposium and Thursday evening reception at the State History Museum/Palace of the Governors. The annual banquets will be held on different evenings to give everyone an opportunity to attend both.

The statewide conference will focus on the state of preservation now and in the future and how key issues will impact New Mexico for the next century. Subjects can range from preservation of material culture, arts, and cultural districts, identifying and maintaining historic resources and places, New Mexico's most endangered places, the "green" movement and its impact of historic preservation, the reality of economics and politics on preservation, as well as education.

Please use the attached form to submit your proposal no later than **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2011**. Sessions are 60 to 75 minutes long. You may submit a whole session or a presentation that will be a part of a session. Please submit a one paragraph biography for each participant.

As in the past the NMHPA looks forward to your participation in the 2012 statewide preservation conference. The annual conference has become an important gathering for sharing issues, ideas, and tactics with historic preservation practitioners from across the Southwest.

DEADLINE: PROPOSALS ARE DUE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2011

To submit, transmit via email to:
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Or mail to: NMHPA, P. O. Box 2490, Santa Fe, NM 87504-2490

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Title of presentation/session and brief description (100 words max.). This will be used for publication in the conference program:

Format (a single presentation, panel, full session, etc.):

Educational Objectives: After the session the attendees will be able to:

Presenter(s): Please give the official name(s) and brief bio information that will also be used for publication in the conference program:

Equipment: **NMHPA relies upon session leaders or the individual presenters to provide their own projectors, laptops, etc.** NMHPA will provide microphones, projection screens, podiums, and tables.

Contact person (name, email & mailing addresses, telephone no. and any other contact information):

Note: While all submissions will be considered, priority will be given to current NMHPA members and students.