

**French Colonial Historical Society**  
**May 7-9, 1987**  
**South Bend, Indiana**

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U.S. \$  
 Registration Categories Enter Amt.

1	1940	1987 FCHS membership (\$20) and registration (\$65)	@ \$85.
2	1941	Registration for members who have already paid 1987 dues or member's spouse	@ \$65.
3	1942	Non-member registration	@ \$75.
4	1943	Student membership (1987) and registration (meals not included)	@ \$20.
	1944	Annual Banquet and social hour (May 9)	@ \$20.

Note: Banquet is **not** included in registration fee.

TOTAL ENCLOSED

\*Canadian members may pay \$20. membership fee in Canadian dollars made out to "French Colonial Historical Society." All other fees are in U.S. dollars and payment should be to "IUSB Continuing Education."

Registration categories (1), (2), and (3) include three luncheons; one dinner (May 7); noon reception (May 7); coffee or tea at all sessions; hotel hospitality suite (May 6 evening); and reception by NIHS (May 8). All regular and student members will receive a copy of the proceedings of the meeting.

Receipt Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Make checks payable to IUSB Continuing Education.  
 Mail to: Office of the Bursar, Indiana University  
 at South Bend, 1700 Mishawaka Avenue,  
 P.O. Box 7111, South Bend, IN 46634.

Duplicate registration information or form for each participant.

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Note: When we receive your registration we will send a letter of confirmation and related information.

**MEALS, ACCOMMODATIONS,**  
**AND TRAVEL**

**Meals and Socials:**

Continental breakfasts at The Works Hotel are included in the price of the room. Three lunches and the May 7 dinner are included in the regular registration fee. Registrants are welcome at the hotel hospitality suite (Room 211), the May 7 noon informal reception, and the May 8 reception by the Northern Indiana Historical Society Museum. Dinner on May 8 is on your own; a list of moderately-priced and better restaurants in downtown South Bend will be provided to registrants. There is a restaurant in The Works Hotel. **Be sure to register for the banquet; this is in addition to the basic registration fee.**

**Lodging:**

A block of fifty rooms has been reserved at The Works Hotel in South Bend for those attending this conference. This comfortable new hotel is located in an entirely renovated and modernized 1830 brick building one block from the St. Joseph River. The special room rates for the French Colonial Historical Society are \$43.00 for a single and \$50.00 for a double, plus 10% sales tax. Additional persons are \$7.00 plus tax. Please fill out and mail the enclosed reservation postcard to The Works Hotel at your earliest convenience since rooms not reserved by April 15 will be released by the hotel for use by general public. To make your reservation either return the enclosed card (remember to place a postage stamp on the card) or call 219-234-1954.

**Travel:**

For those traveling by air, South Bend's Michiana Regional Airport is served by seven major airlines, with direct air connections from Chicago, Denver, Dayton, Cincinnati, Detroit, Indianapolis, and Washington, D.C. The enclosed editorial from the South Bend Tribune provides additional details.

**Taxi service** from the South Bend airport to The Works Hotel (on Niles Avenue near Madison Avenue) costs about \$7.00 for one or two passengers with each additional passenger costing about \$1.50. The Yellow Taxi Cab Company (233-9333) has been found to be reliable.

For those traveling by train, South Bend is served by its own AMTRAK station and the AMTRAK station at Niles, Michigan, about 35 minutes by car from The Works Hotel. There is a direct train, the International, between Toronto and Niles. If you are coming by train (to either the South Bend or Niles station), please write to Professor Joseph L. Peyser, Indiana University at South Bend, P.O. Box 7111, South Bend, Indiana 46634 to arrange for free transportation to and from the train station.

For those coming by Greyhound or Trailways Buses, the South Bend terminal is at the Michiana Regional Airport, where taxi service is available to the hotel.

For those coming by automobile, South Bend is on Exit 77 of the Indiana Toll Road (Interstate 80 and 90) and on State Highway 31 from Indianapolis. To drive to the hotel from Exit 77 of the Toll Road, go south on Business 31/33 about 3½ miles to LaSalle Street, turn left (east), cross the river, go to the first traffic light (Niles Avenue), turn left (north) and go 1½ blocks to the hotel, just north of Madison Avenue. From Indianapolis, going north on 31, do not take the 31 Bypass, but stay northbound on Business 31/33 to LaSalle Street, turn right (east) on LaSalle and proceed as in the preceding sentence.

South Bend's **TRANSCO** runs frequent buses on its convenient routes within the city, but car pooling and several university vehicles will be utilized to provide transportation between the hotel and IUSB, about two miles away. A bus has been chartered for the May 8 motor tour of French Colonial Michiana.

**Location:**

All sessions, except dinners and receptions, will be held at Indiana University at South Bend in the Management Training Center, located in the lower level of the Administration Building, 1700 Mishawaka Avenue. See attached maps for directions.

For further information, contact:

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**Deadline/Refunds:**

In order to confirm meals and prepare materials we encourage you to register by **April 15, 1987**. Notice of cancellation must be received 48 hours prior to the opening session in order for the University to refund your registration fee. After that time refunds are not possible.

**13th Annual Meeting**  
**of**  
**The French Colonial**  
**Historical Society**



*The membership of the Society includes scholars from the humanities, social sciences and the fine arts who study the French colonial experience from an historical perspective.*

**South Bend, Indiana**  
**May 7-9, 1987**

**Sponsored by Indiana University**  
**at South Bend**

# Thirteenth Meeting of the French Colonial Historical Society, May 7-9, 1987

Wednesday, May 6

6:00 - 10:00 p.m. REGISTRATION, The Works Hotel  
Wine and cheese in the FCHS hospitality suite of hotel (Room 211)

Thursday, May 7

9:00 a.m. REGISTRATION and coffee at IUSB Management Training Center

**Note:** All sessions will be held in the Indiana University at South Bend (IUSB) Management Training Center in the Administration Building on Mishawaka Avenue

10:00 - 11:45 a.m.

**Session I**

RELIGION AND THE INDIANS IN FRANCOPHONE NORTH AMERICA

Chair: *Charles Poinsatte*, St. Mary's College  
*Sean O'Neill*, University of California, Santa Barbara  
"French Jesuit Missionaries' Motives for Baptism in 17th and 18th Century New France"

*Micheline D'Allaire*, University of Ottawa  
"La crise de crédibilité sociale envers les forces religieuses du Canada français pendant la 'Révolution Tranquille'"  
Commentator: *Charles Balesi*, Chicago Board of Education

12 Noon - 12:30 p.m.

INFORMAL RECEPTION at second-floor foyer IUSB academic officers

12:30 - 1:45 p.m.

LUNCHEON at IUSB Executive Dining Room  
Presiding: *Joseph L. Peyser*, Program Co-chair  
Welcoming remarks by *Lester M. Wolfson*, Chancellor of Indiana University at South Bend  
Greetings from *Cornelius Jaenen*, President of FCHS

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

**Session II**

AMERINDIANS AND AFRICANS IN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: FRENCH AND ENGLISH PERSPECTIVES

Chair: *Patrick J. Furlong*, Indiana University at South Bend  
*Robert Forster*, Johns Hopkins University  
"Slavery in Virginia and Saint-Domingue at the End of the 18th Century"

*Philip P. Boucher*, University of Alabama in Huntsville  
"English and French Responses to Carib and other 'Cannibals,' 16th to 18th Centuries"  
Commentator: *David Buisseret*, Newberry Library

3:45 - 5:45 p.m.

**Session III**

ETHNOLOGY, GENEALOGY AND HISTORY

Chair and Commentator: *Thomas Kselman*, University of Notre Dame  
*Patricia Galloway*, Mississippi Department of Archives and History  
"Social Class in Colonial Mobile as Reflected in 18th Century Marriage Records"  
*Paul P. Chassé*, Rhode Island College  
"French Colonial History Through Genealogy"  
*Robert Comevin*, Académie des Sciences d'Outre-Mer  
"Les Administrateurs coloniaux français ethnologues et historiens"

7:00 p.m.

DINNER, Whitewater Room, The Wharf Restaurant  
Speaker: *Raymond F. Betts*, University of Kentucky  
"The Iconography of Modern French Empire"

Friday, May 8

8:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION and coffee at IUSB Management Training Center

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

**Session IV**

MILITARY AND CIVIL STRATEGIES OF EMPIRE  
Chair: *Alf Andrew Heggoy*, University of Georgia  
*Douglas Porch*, The Citadel and Naval War College  
"The French Foreign Legion as a Force of Colonial Conquest"

*William A. Hoisington, Jr.*, University of Illinois at Chicago  
"In Search of a Native Elite: Casablanca and French Urban Policy, 1914-1924"  
Commentator: *Kenneth J. Perkins*, University of South Carolina

10:15 - 11:45 a.m.

**Session V**

THE FRENCH AT LOUISBOURG AND TICONDEROGA

Chair: *Cornelius Jaenen*, University of Ottawa  
*A.J.B. Johnston*, Fortress of Louisbourg  
"Punishing the Body: Military Justice in 18th-Century Louisbourg"  
*Peter van Lent*, St. Lawrence University  
"Montcalm at Fort Carillon: Manuscripts and Mysteries"  
Commentator: *David R. Farrell*, University of Guelph

12 Noon - 1:15 p.m.

LUNCHEON at IUSB Executive Dining Room  
Speaker: *Alf Andrew Heggoy*, University of Georgia  
"Reminiscences on the French Colonial Historical Society"

1:30 - 5:30 p.m.

MOTOR TOUR OF FRENCH COLONIAL MICHIANA  
Departure from IUSB Administration Building

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

RECEPTION at the Northern Indiana Historical Society Museum  
DINNER on your own in South Bend

Saturday, May 9

8:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION and coffee at IUSB Management Training Center

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

**Session VI**

NEW ORLEANS, INDOCHINA, AND THE SAHARA: LITERARY RETROSPECTIVES

Chair: *Glenn Conrad*, University of Southwestern Louisiana  
*Bethany S. Oberst*, Cleveland State University  
"Eugene Berjot and the Retreat of the French Creoles in Post-Colonial New Orleans, 1868-1898"  
Commentator: *Glenn Conrad*  
*Martine A. Loutfi*, Tufts University  
"Nostalgia and Reassessment: Colonialism in Recent French Fiction"  
Commentator: *Walter Strauss*, Case Western Reserve University

10:15 - 11:45 a.m.

**Session VII**

THE DIPLOMACY AND ECONOMICS OF FRENCH EMPIRE: THE SUNSET YEARS

Chair and Commentator: *Stuart Michael Persell*, California State University at San Bernardino  
*James J. Cooke*, University of Mississippi  
"Destino Africano: French Colonial Reaction to German and Italian Imperial Claims in Africa, 1930-1940"  
*E. Peter Fitzgerald*, Carleton University  
"The Economic Coherence of the French Empire in Its Sunset Years, 1930-1954"

12 Noon - 1:00 p.m.

LUNCHEON at IUSB Executive Dining Room

1:00 - 1:30 p.m.

FCHS business meeting, Executive Dining Room

1:45 - 3:15 p.m.

**Session VIII**

COMMERCE AND THE MILITARY IN THE MIDWEST

Chair: *Amy Gordon*, Denison University  
*S. Dale Standen*, Trent University  
"French Post Commanders and the Western Fur Trade, 1720-1745"  
*Jay Gitlin*, Yale University  
"Old Wine in New Bottles: French Merchants and the Development of Indiana, 1795-1835"  
Commentator: *Daniel Usner*, Cornell University

3:30 - 5:15 p.m.

**Session IX**

THE LEVANT, ALGERIA AND THE METROPOLE

Chair: *William I. Shorrock*, Cleveland State University  
*J. Dean O'Donnell*, Virginia Polytechnic Institute  
"Theodore Roustain in the Levant, 1860-1874: Formation of a French Colonialist"  
*David Prochaska*, University of Illinois  
*Herman Lebovics*, State University of New York at Stony Brook  
"Lessons from the Paris Colonial Exhibition of 1931"  
Commentator: *Robert Weiner*, Lafayette College

6:15 - 7:15 p.m.

SOCIAL HOUR, The Works Hotel

7:30 p.m.

BANQUET at The Works Hotel  
Chamber music of the 18th century, *The Chester String Quartet* (in residence at Indiana University at South Bend)  
Presiding: *Cornelius Jaenen*, President of FCHS  
Welcoming comments:  
*The Honorable Roger O. Parent*, Mayor of South Bend  
*Jean Bérard*, Delegate from Quebec in Chicago  
Address:  
*The Honorable Max de Calbiac*, Consul General of France in Chicago

**Conference Co-Chairs:**

*Joseph L. Peyser*, Indiana University at South Bend  
*William I. Shorrock*, Cleveland State University

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*Patrick J. Furlong*, Professor of History; Department of Foreign Languages; and Division of Continuing Education.

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Northern Indiana Historical Society Museum:  
*Kathleen Mullins*, Director.

Fort St. Joseph Museum: *Nancy Watts-Stiles*, Education Coordinator.

University of Notre Dame: University Archives.

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