**SCHEDULE - 2018 LUTHERAN HISTORICAL CONFERENCE**

California Lutheran University

Thousand Oaks, California

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 4‒6, 2018

**THURSDAY, October 4**

**9:00-11:00** **Board Meeting**

**12:00-1:00 Lunch**

**1:00-3:00 Session 1** - **Lutheranism on the Frontiers in the New World and Early America**

Four Colonial Swedish Priests and their German Colleagues Kim-Eric Williams

Frederick Evangelical Lutheran Church: Lutheran Presence in the Caribbean Shannon Smith/

Maria Erling

Persevering in “the Georgia Desert”: J.E. Bergmann, Ebenezer, and Lutheran Identity in the Early American Republic Russell Kleckley

The [Micro]Frontier of Faith, Culture, and Society in a North Carolina Lutheran Neighborhood, 1778‒1847 Gary Freeze

**3:00-3:30 Break**

**3:30-5:30 Session 2 - Lutheranism on the Frontiers in Antebellum America**

Lutheran Voices and Public Theology: The Case of Race in the Antebellum Era Greg Knepp

Free from “Romish Error”: Anti-Catholicism, Republicanism and Lutheran Identity in Antebellum America Timothy Grundmeier

Better a “Live Dog than a Dead Lion”: The Remarkable and Unlikely Life of Simeon Corley: South Carolina Unionist, Abolitionist, Teetotaler and Scalawag Susan Wilds McArver

Christian Worship on an Ecumenical Frontier: *Hymns, Selected and Original* (1828) Ray Kibler

**6:00-7:00 Dinner**

**7:00-9:00** **Session 3 - Lutherans on the Frontiers of Geographical Expansion**

Out in the West Texas Town of El Paso Luther Oelke

“This Too Long Neglected Field”: English Lutheranism in Frontier California Richard Johnson

Rev. C. A. H. H. Heinrichs: Not Quite a Pioneer, Never Settled Steven A. Hackbarth

Prairie Royalty: Auguste von Schwarz (1807‒1877) and the Russian Noblewomen Who Supported the Iowa Synod Martin Lohrmann

**FRIDAY, October 5**

**8:30-10:30 Session 4 - Lutherans on the Frontiers of Conflict and Expansion**

Making Connections: The 1912 Visit of Bishop Boeckman and Pastor Hauge to the United States Gary Johnson

“Pastor Has Been Arrested”: A Case Study in War Hysteria Marvin Huggins

Finding Their Footing in the Changing City: Lutherans on the Urban Frontier in Post-World War II Chicago Mark Koschmann

Theological Tensions in the Missouri Synod in the Decades before the 1970s Schism Donn Wilson

**10:30-11:00 Break**

**11:00-12:00 Session 5 - Lutherans on the Frontiers of the Mission Field**

“My Trip Around the World”: Gertrude Sovik’s Missionary Life L. DeAne Lagerquist

New in New Guinea: A Young Missionary Writes to Family Mary Jane Haemig

**12:00-1:00** **Business meeting and elections (Box lunches)**

**1:00-6:00 Bus Tour to Mission San Fernando**

**6:00 Banquet Dinner**

**SATURDAY, October 6**

**8:30-10:00 Session 6 -** **Lutherans on the Frontiers of Societal Changes**

Preserving the Archival Legacy of Frederick Wentz for Future Lutheran Pioneers Sheila Joy/

Kristen Barnes

Engaging in Sex: Lutherans Views on Sexual Morality in the 1960s and 1970s Elisabeth Unruh

Crossing the Frontier of Same Gender Relationships: San Francisco Lutheran Activists from the 1960s to 1990s Leslie Weber

**10:00-11:30 New Board meets**