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Pennsylvania's 1st Annual Historical Preservation Commendation for Outstanding Achievement in Archaeology

On April 25, 1995, the
Pennsylvania Historical and
Museum Commission (PHMC)
conferred its 1st Annual Historical
Preservation Commendation for
Outstanding Achievement in
Archaeology. The award, presented by Ms. Brenda Barrett,
Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer, was given to Dr.
Christopher Bergman on behalf of
Transcontinental Gas Pipeline
Corporation's Sandts Eddy Data
Recovery Project in Northampton
County, Pennsylvania.

The award ceremony cited the meticulous field and analytical procedures employed during the three-year investigation of this deeply stratified site. Among those in attendance were Ms. Deborah Osborne of the FERC, Dr. Kurt Carr of the PHMC, Mr. William Chamberlain and Mr. Jim Bloemker of Transco, and Sandts Eddy research team members Dr. John Doershuk, Dr. Joseph Schuldenrein, Mr. Philip LaPorta, and Dr. Roger Moeller.

Excavations at Sandts Eddy revealed a deeply stratified sequence of Early Archaic and Middle Archaic horizons, Radiocarbon determinations indicate that the Early Holocene deposits span the time period from 10,150 B.P. to 7070 B.P. A series of occupation floors were excavated, including a significant Middle Archaic level dated between 7330 B.P. and 7070 B.P. The undisturbed nature of this floor allowed for a careful reconstruction of activity areas through point proveniencing of artifacts, as well as refitting and lithic microwear analyses. Due to the quality of preservation of the early prehistoric levels at Sandts Eddy, the site is currently under nomination for the NRHP.

The PHMC is planning to award projects of a similar caliber on a yearly basis. Nominations for the 1996 Archaeological Award are currently being solicited through the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Bureau for Historic Preservation, 3rd and North Streets, Harrisburg, PA 17120; 717-783-8946. The preliminary deadline for nominations in 1996 is the end of February.

First Annual ACRA Meeting

ACRA, the American Cultural Resources Association, will hold its first annual meeting in Washington, DC, October 7 - 8, at the Governor's House Hotel. Notice is short, but we hope that by providing an opportunity to meet regulatory agency personnel and to network with private firms from across the country, we will attract an enthusiastic group of cultural resources professionals who will then carry our message back home.

ACRA has accomplished a lot for such a young organization, and with the help of our membership we expect to accomplish more in the future. We are providing our members access to reasonably priced Errors and Omissions insurance, we are working on an ethics statement for cultural resources firms, and we have lobbied extensively and successfully on behalf of historic preservation and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.

On Saturday, there will be two plenary panel discussions addressing regulatory reform and lobbying. Saturday afternoon, there will be workshops on computerized networking, among other topics. A

complimentary cocktail reception will be Saturday evening; and a general membership meeting on Sunday morning to address issues of importance to ACRA's continuing activities and its membership. We will also elect two new board members at that time.

The meeting is scheduled to avoid conflict with running our businesses and to take advantage of lower Saturday air fares. Registration is \$85 (\$95 for nonmembers) and includes all costs. For nonmembers wishing only to attend the Saturday sessions, the registration is \$80. Rooms in the Governor's House Hotel in downtown Washington, not far from the National Trust, have a special rate of \$99. There is a \$10 reduction in registration price if you postmark your registration before September 1. For information, please contact Tom Wheaton at 770-498-4155, 770-498-3809 (fax), or tomwheaton@aol.com. If you do not receive a meeting announcement in the mail within the week, please call Tom Wheaton to get added to the ACRA mailing list.

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Curation Symposium

The Section of Archaeology, The State Museum of Pennsylvania will hold its fifth annual curation seminar for archaeological consultants on Wednesday, September 26, 1995, from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. The meeting will be held either in Room G-27 or the Auditorium of The State Museum of Pennsylvania.

Symposium Presenters and Topics:
1. Verna Cowin, Associate Curator,
Section of Anthropology, Carnegie
Museum of Natural History, will
discuss current curation requirements, sampling of redundant
materials, and consultant access to
collections at Carnegie Museum.

- 2. Mark A. McConaughy, Associate Curator, Section of Archaeology, The State Museum of Pennsylvania, will discuss State Museum curation policies, computer databases, inventories and artifact sampling and treatment procedures.
- 3. Kurt Carr, Chief, Division of Archaeology and Protection, Bureau of Historic Preservation (BHP), Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, will discuss pending state legislation, archaeological survey guidelines, and revised Phase I survey procedures.

Cost: \$10.00/person if received by September 21, 1995. \$15.00/person after that date and at the door. Fee covers expenses and for coffee,

Fee covers expenses and for coffee, tea, and snacks at the symposium.

Make checks payable to: Friends of the State Museum Send RSVP and checks to:

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Book Review ...

African American Historic Places

Edited by Beth L. Savage The Preservation Press, Washington, D.C. 1994

By Rita Walsh, Gray & Pape, Inc.

This important book is a collaboration of the National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior; the Preservation Press, National Trust for Historic Preservation; and the National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers. Other contributors to the book include Congressman John Lewis; historians, James R. Grossman and James Oliver Horton; and historical archaeologist, Theresa A. Singleton, who wrote four of the eight essays which explore many facets of the historic and cultural context of the African-American experience in this country.

The book centers on the more than 800 properties listed in the National Register of Historic Places which possess significance in African-American history. The properties are located throughout the United States and two U.S. territories, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico. These properties are included in the National Register either as individual listings or within thematic, multiple properties, or historic district nominations. Most of these properties, in line with the majority of National Register listings, are of local or state significance.

The book is composed of several sections, beginning with eight essays, a state-by-state listing of the individual resources, and several indexes. The resources are presented individually through brief narratives based on the information found in the specific National Register nominations. The types of resources and the themes they represent are truly astounding and wide-ranging, documenting the struggles, efforts, and achievements of many individuals and groups. There are many institutional properties, particularly churches and educational institutions, from the antebellum period, a significant number after the Civil War, and many early twentieth century properties. The southern states, which possess more listings than anywhere else in the country, have the expected plantations and slave quarters, but also the residences and businesses places of free blacks during the antebellum period and newly-emancipated slaves just after the Civil War.

The listings also include a number of historic districts throughout the country, although in a number of instances, they are described as "one of the few remaining" or "only remaining." Many individual properties are described similarly, attesting to the past disregard, if not outright demolition, of the areas historically occupied by African Americans.

The book is an excellent model for the presentation of information. It offers many levels of information and various ways of finding it. The numerous indexes to the resources include subject, individuals and organizations, and most striking, by occupation. The concise individual descriptions and longer thematic essays with suggested further reading provide readers many opportunities to find out more (and then more) information about many topics. It is definitely a useful resource to help in the evaluation of other African American cultural resources not vet listed in the National Register.

The only criticism in the book's presentation is the uneven explanation of terms, events, and other subjects at times in the individual listings. But presumably this is due to the kind of information available in the specific National Register nominations.

It is a well-known fact that the tangible history of an area is represented through its extant cultural resources. This book exemplifies this quite vividly.

Job Announcements

Architectural Historian

Mississippi Valley Archaeological Center, University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse. Conduct Phase I and II historical and architectural surveys, determinations of eligibility, prepare nominations to National Register, Section 106, HABS, HAER documentation, brochures, preservation planning. Begin September 15 or ASAP. Salary: \$30,000/year. Requires master's degree in history, architecture, historic preservation or related field; consulting, or successful grant-writing experience; familiarity with preservation legislation. Complete vacancy announcement from James Gallagher, UW-La Crosse, La Cross, WI 54601; phone 608-785-8463. Application letter and resume must be received by August 28, 1995. All positions contingent on funding. Names of applicants who haven't requested confidentiality in writing, and all finalists, must be released on request. Women, minorities encouraged to apply.

Regional Preservation Organization Director

The Cincinnati Preservation Association seeks experienced professional to administer regional preservation organization. Demonstrated skills in management, preservation advocacy, and knowledge of federal and local preservation programs is essential. Position requires leadership for board, staff, volunteers, and membership. Coordination with various levels of government and a variety of local and statewide organizations is required. The position is highly visible and represents the membership with respect to history, architectural history, and varied preservation-related activities. The Association has provided leadership with various preservation-related activities since 1964 in southwestern Ohio. It maintains a small staff and regional research library. The success-

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Conference Calendar

August 28-September 3, 1995 - The Society of American Archivists annual meeting and pre-conference Workshops, in Washington, DC. Contact: Debra S. Mills 312-922-0140.

September 7-9 - American Association for State and Local History annual meeting, "Place, Past, Perspective: Local History and Communities," in Saratoga Springs, NY. Contact: 615-255-2971.

September 15-16, 1995 - Durango Conference on Southwest Archaeology will be held in Durango, CO. Contact: David Phillips, SWCA Inc., 8100 Mountain Road, NE, Suite 109, Albuquerque, NM 87110, 505-254-1115.

September 27-30 - Rock Mountain Anthropological Conference will hold its 2nd biennial meetings at the Steamboat Sheraton, Steamboat Springs, CO. Contact: Calvin H. Jennings, Anthropology Department, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO 80523. 303-491-7360.

September 29-October 1 - Plains Indian Seminar will be held in Cody, Wyoming. This year's theme is "Art of the Plains - Voices of the Present." Contact Lillian Turner, Buffalo Bill Historical Center, 307-587-4771.

October 25-29, 1995 - Midwest Archaeological Conference will hold its annual meeting in Beloit, Wisconsin. Deadline for abstracts is September 1, 1995. Contact Robert Salzer, Department of Anthropology, Beloit College, 700 College, Beloit, WI 53511; 608-363-2616; FAX 608-363-2718. November 8-11, 1995 - Southeastern Archaeological Conference will hold its annual meeting at the Hilton Hotel, Knoxville, TN. Deadline for abstracts is August 1, 1995. Local arrangements coordinator is Dr. Jefferson Chapman. Program Chair is Dr. Gerald Schroedl. Contact: SEAC Conference, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN 37996-0720; 615-974-4408; FAX 615-974-2686.

November 15-18, 1995 - Networking the Nation with Trails - will be held in Clearwater, FL. Sponsored by Rails-to-Trails Conservancy. For a brochure or more information contact RTC at 202-797-5430.

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January 2-7, 1996 - the Society for Historical Archaeology will hold the 29th Annual Conference on Historical and Underwater Archaeology in Cincinnati, OH. For more information, contact Marlesa A. Gray, general chair, at Gray & Pape, Inc., 1318 Main Street, Cincinnati, OH 45210-2314, 513-665-6707, fax 513-287-7703, e-mail 76554.3313@compuserv.com

April 10-14, 1996 - Society for American Archaeology annual meeting will be held in New Orleans, LA. Contact: Paul Fish and Suzanne Fish, program chairs at 520-621-2556; FAX 520-621-2976; e-mail archaeo@ccit.arizona.edu

If you have a meeting you would like to include on our calendar, The Grapevine will be glad to list it for you.

Please remember to submit your listing by the tenth of each month.

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ful applicant must demonstrate strong interpersonal and communication skills. Position requires minimum of three years diverse preservation and advocacy experience, degree in historic preservation or closely allied field. Mail resume and three references to Search Committee, Cincinnati Preservation Association, 217 W. Ninth Street, Cincinnti, OH 45202. Salary is commensurate with experience. Applications accepted until position is filled.

Archaeologist & Archaeological Technician Positions Marienville & Ridgway Districts Allegheny National Forest

The Allegheny National Forest (located in NW Pennsylvania) is planning to fill 2-4 seasonal positions to replace individuals who have returned to school. These positions have a maximum length of 1039 hours; however, funding and weather conditions will determine the actual length of employment. There is a possibility that one of these positions will be a term position, with the length of this position yet to be determined. The ANF is recruiting individuals who meet the X-118 qualifications for the following positions:

GS 102-4 Archaeological Technician

GS 102-5 Archaeological Technician

GS 193-5 Archaeologist GS 193-7 Archaeologist (1 position, Marienville District)

Salary Range: \$8.31 to \$11.51 per hour

Term of Employment: These are temporary positions which are not to exceed 1039 hours (approximately 6 months or less). Approximate dates of employment are from August 21, 1995, through November or December of 1995. Dates of employment and

Principal Investigator Preservation Planner

Thomason and Associates is seeking a qualified Historic Preservation Planner in its Nashville office. Minimum requirements include a M.A. in Historic Preservation or a related field, extensive experience (preferably ten or more years) in preservation planning, and excellent oral and written presentation skills. This candidate should have a strong background in historic architecture and experience with cultural resource surveys, National Register nominations, Section 106 analysis and reports, design guidelines, and historic preservation plans. Familiarity with World War II and Cold War history and/or architecture is highly desired. This candidate should be self-motivated and enthusiastic about their work. The ability to prepare technical reports and proposals without extensive editing is required, as is the ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously. Intermittent travel will be required of the candidate.

Thomason and Associates offers a competitive pay and benefits package in the 35K+ range, including paid holidays, paid vacation and sick leave, and health insurance. Please submit a current resume, three references from persons in the preservation planning field, and examples of reports and technical writing (not to be returned). Please send to:

Thomason and Associates, Preservation Planners PO Box 121225, Nashville, TN 37212

length of a term position have not been determined at this time.

Work Schedule: All incumbents will be expected to work together in set schedules. The work week is Monday through Friday, totalling 80 hours in a two-week period.

Primary Duties: Depending upon skills and position level, incumbents for these positions can expect to conduct or participate in archaeological surveys to locate and document historic and prehistoric resources.

Employee Benefits: Incumbents are entitled to at least 4 hours of Annual Leave per pay period (biweekly) and are entitled to holiday pay on National Holidays that occur during the incumbent's appointment (incumbent must be in pay status). Individuals in 1039-hour appointments are not entitled to health insurance, life insurance or retirement programs. Individuals hired under a term appointment are entitled to health and life insurance benefits. For term and 1039-hour appointments,

moving expenses are the responsibility of the incumbent.

Misc Requirements: Incumbent must have a valid state drivers license.

For more information about specific duties and qualifications for these positions, please contact Leslie Ann Dyer at (814) 927-6628.

Survey In Oconee National Forest

We are trying to find someone who can come help us survey Southern Pine Beetle spots in the Oconee NF this summer under a Personal Services contract during August. Must be able to work more or less independently, but get along well with the District folks and not mind the heat and chiggers, doing shovel test field surveys, and write up a short report. Contact Jack Wynn, 404-536-0541, FAX 404-534-4411; E-mail jtwynn@aol.com Thanks. Jack (Chattahoochee-Oconee National Forest, Gainesville, GA)

Poverty Point Station Archaeologist

Poverty Point Station Archaeologist applications are being accepted for a joint program of Northeast Louisiana University, the Louisiana Division of Archaeology, and the Louisiana Office of State Parks. The archaeologist will define research priorities and objectives for the Poverty Point site, a National Historic Landmark site located in northeastern Louisiana; survey and test portions of the site; collaborate on preservation, interpretation, and development plans for Poverty Point State Commemorative Area; and share information about archaeology and archaeological preservation with governmental representatives and with the public. The archaeologist in the Poverty Point position will be part of the Regional and Station Archaeological Program coordinated by the Division of Archaeology. This highly visible program has strong public support and offers the opportunity to develop research interests. This position does not involve fieldwork related to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. The archaeologist will be an adjunct on the faculty of Northeast Louisiana University in Monroe and will have office and lab space at Poverty Point State Commemorative Area northeast of Monroe, operated by the Louisiana Office of State Parks.

A master's degree in anthropology with a specialization in archaeology is required; a Ph.D. is preferred. Completion of a prehistoric archaeological field, lab, and analysis project must be evidenced by a thesis, dissertation, or equivalent report. Experience in prehistoric archaeology of the Southeast is highly desirable. Also helpful is experience in: organizing independent research, word processing, public speaking, report writing, and experience working with governmental representatives. Salary is \$27,500. Applications will be accepted until November 15, 1995, or until a suitable candidate is found. Send letter, vita, and names of three references to Dr. Thomas H. Eubanks, State Archaeologist, Division of Archaeology, PO Box 44247, Baton Rouge, LA 70804 (phone 504-342-8170). EOE/AA/ADA.

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Australian National University Department Of Archaeology & Anthropology Professor Of Archaeology (Level E1)

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates with a distinguished record of research and publication for appointment to the position of Professor of Archaeology in the Department of Archaeology and Anthropology in the Faculties.

The University is seeking a scholar of international standing, with an active research program and a good teaching record in Archaeology, who will provide academic leadership. Regional and topical specialisations are open, but the successful candidate will be expected to engage in and foster development in existing focal areas of student and staff research and to maintain the department's strength in the archaeology of Australia and its region.

Teaching and research in Archaeology within the Department have been actively pursued since 1970, mainly focusing on the prehistory of Australia and its immediate region. Current staff and graduate students undertake research in Australia, East and Southeast Asia, Oceania and South America. The Department offers a broad range of undergraduate courses on regional, theoretical and practical aspects of Archaeology. Undergraduate Archaeology is taught to honours level and a range of postgraduate degrees are offered to PhD level, with a large postgraduate student enrolment from a wide range of international backgrounds. The Department is committed to the highest level of training for its students and to maintaining a position in the forefront of research and teaching in Archaeology.

The Department is multistreamed and currently has a full-time staff of five archaeologists, eight social/cultural anthropologists and two biological anthropologists.

Candidates must have a commit-

ment to, and demonstrated excellence in, teaching. Administrative aptitude and willingness is important as the appointee will be expected to serve substantial terms as Head of Department on a rotating basis with the Professor of Anthropology.

Contact: Professor F. C. Merlan, Head, Department of Archaeology and Anthropology, telephone: (06) 249 3498, fax: (06) 249 2711. The position is available from January 1996. Further particulars and selection criteria are available from the Secretary, telephone: (06) 249 4566 or fax: (06) 249-5011.

Closing date: 31 August 1995 Ref: FA 21.6.2

Salary: \$80,176 p.a. Appointment: Continuing

Applications should be submitted in duplicate to the Secretary, The Australian National University, Canberra ACT 0200, Australia, quoting reference number and including a curriculum vitae, list of publications, and the names and addresses and fax numbers of three referees. The University has a "nosmoking" policy in all University buildings and vehicles.

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Appl. Deadline

Annual Professorship	10/15/95
National Endowment for the	
Humanities Fellowships (2)	10/15/95
Samuel H. Kress	10/15/95
*Samuel H. Kress Joint	
Athens/Jerusalem	11/01/95
George A. Barton	10/15/95
*United States Information A	gency
Islamic Studies	10/15/95
Research and Training	
(Senior) (2)	10/15/95
Pre-Doctoral/Junior (3)	10/15/95
Summer Scholar in	
Residence (Senior)	10/15/95
Honorary Fellowships	
(Junior and Senior)	
Endowment for Biblical Resea	rch Travel and
Research Awards	02/01/96

For information and application, write to: W.F. Albright Institute c/o American Schools of Oriental Research 3301 N. Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21218

*Council of American Overseas Research Centers Multi-Country Research Fellowships 01/01/96

For information and application, write to: The Council of American Overseas Research Centers (CAORC) Smithsonian Institution, C 3123 MRC 705 Washington D.C. 20560

*Social Science Research Council Middle East 11/01/95 Post-doctoral Middle East 12/01/95

For information and application, write to: The Social Science Research Council 605 3rd Ave. New York, New York 10158

*Awards subject to the availability of funds.

1. Annual Professorship (1): \$23,000 award. The Annual Professorship is supported this year by a special grant from the Horace Goldsmith Foundation. The stipend is \$10,000 plus room and half-board for appointee and spouse at the Institute (additional fellowship funding may be available via USIA for an appointee who is a U.S. citizen).

Open to post-doctoral scholars in Near Eastern archaeology, geography, history, and Biblical studies. Appointment: 9-12 months. Application deadline: October 15, 1995.

- 2. National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowships (2): \$60,000 for two awards. The stipend for each award is \$30,000. Open to scholars in the fields of archaeology, anthropology, geography, ancient history, philology, epigraphy, Biblical studies, Islamic studies, religion, art history, literature, philosophy or related disciplines. Open to scholars in Near Eastern studies holding a Ph.D. as of January 1, 1996, who are U.S. citizens or alien residents residing in the United States for the last three years. Research period: 12 months. Residence at the Institute is preferred. Application deadline: October 15, 1995.
- 3. Samuel H. Kress Fellowship (1): \$12,000 award. The stipend is \$5,500; remainder for room and half board at the Institute. Dissertation research fellowship for students specializing in architecture, art history and archaeology who are U.S. citizens. Research Period: 10 months. Application deadline: October 15, 1995.
- 4. *Samuel H. Kress Joint Athens-Jerusalem Fellowship (1): A joint fellowship for research at the American School of Classical Studies, Athens, and at the W.F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research, Jerusalem. \$12,000 award. The stipend is \$5,500; remainder for room and board at the two institutions. Predoctoral research fellowship for students specializing in art history, architecture, archaeology or classical studies who are U.S. citizens. Research period: 10 months (5 months in Athens, 5 months in Jerusalem). Application deadline: November 1, 1995.
- 5. George A. Barton Fellowship (1): \$5,000 award. The stipend is \$2,000; remainder for room and half-board at the Institute. Open to seminarians, pre-doctoral students and recent Ph.D. recipients specializing in Near Eastern archaeology, geography, history and biblical studies. Research period: 4-5 months. Application deadline:

October 15, 1995.

- 6. *United States Information Agency Fellowships: a. Islamic Studies Fellowship (1): \$19.500 award. The stipend is \$5,700; \$7,800 for room and half-board at the Albright Institute; and \$6,000 to cover administrative, research and conference expenses involved in teaching at the Institute of Islamic Archaeology in Jerusalem. Candidates must have expertise in research and teaching in Islamic archaeology, art and architecture. During the period of the appointment, the Fellow will teach regular courses in the Master's Degree program at the Institute for Islamic Archaeology in Jerusalem, as well as conduct seminars at the Albright and other local academic institutions. Open to scholars who are U.S. citizens. Research period: 12 months. Application deadline: October 15, 1995.
- b. Research and Training Fellowships (2): \$29,250 for two awards. One is for the period 1 January - 31 May 1996; and the second is for the period 1 August 1996 - 31 May 1997, with stipends of \$6,500 and \$13,000 respectively, plus room and half board at AIAR. Fellows will be required to provide archaeological training at AIAR for Palestinian West Bank students enrolled in B.A. and M.A. programs in archaeology at Bir Zeit University and at the Institute of Islamic Archaeology in East Jerusalem. One fellowship is for a scholar with experience in processes of material culture handling and analysis; the second is for a scholar with experience in preparation of computer programs for archaeological materials and work. Open to senior scholars who are U.S. citizens.
- c. Pre-Doctoral Fellowships (3): \$39,000 for three awards. The stipend for each award is \$6,700; remainder for room and half-board at the Institute. Open to pre-doctoral students and recent Ph.D. recipients in Near Eastern Studies who are U.S. citizens. Research period: 9 months. Application deadline: October 15, 1995.
- d. Summer Scholar in Residence Fellowship (1): \$3,500 award. The stipend is \$1,500 remainder for up to

- three months room and half-board at the Institute. Open to senior scholars in Near Eastern Studies who are U.S. citizens. Not open to scholars engaged in co-terminus archaeological field work. Research period: 3 months between May 15 and August 15. Application deadline: October 15,
- e. Honorary Fellowships (13): Six senior and seven junior fellowship administrative fee awards. Application deadline: April 15, 1996.
- 7. Honorary Fellowships: No stipend. Open to senior, post-doctoral, and pre-doctoral researchers. Administrative fee required (USIA subventions may be available). Application deadline: April 15, 1996.
- 8. Endowment for Biblical Research Travel and Research Awards: One (1) \$1,500 research grant and eight (8) \$1,000 travel grants for a one to three month period. Open to seminarians, undergraduates, graduate students or recent post-doctoral scholars and intended to improve participants understanding of the Bible. Application deadline: February 1, 1996.
- 9. *Council of American Overseas Research Centers (CAORC) Fellowships for Advanced Multi-Country Research. Twelve awards of up to \$6,000 each, with an additional \$3,000 for travel. Open to scholars pursuing research on broad questions of multicountry significance in the fields of humanities, social sciences, and related natural sciences in countries in the Near and Middle East and South Asia. Doctoral candidates and established scholars with US citizenship are eligible to apply as individuals or in teams. Preference will be given to candidates examining comparative and/or cross-regional questions requiring research in two or more countries. Application deadline: 1 January 1996.
- 10. *Social Science Research Council Fellowships. Pre-dissertation, dissertation, post-doctoral and advanced fellowships in varying amounts and lengths of time in support of research in the Near and Middle East, including

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Internet News...

SOLINET Preservation Workshops

Is your institution prepared for a hurricane? Do you know what to do if disaster strikes? The North Carolina Maritime Museum will be hosting two SOLINET preservation workshops in September that can prepare you to deal with these emergency situations. Plan to attend HURRICANE DISASTER PLANNING on Thursday, September 14th. Learn what to do before the storm to increase chances of survival and minimize damage, and what to do after the storm to speed up recovery and minimize losses. Topics to be discussed include the nature of hurricanes, general issues in developing your disaster plan, and making your facility more stormproof. Conducted by Debi Hacker, Conservation Administrator, Chicora Foundation. The session runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

On Friday, September 15th, learn how to plan, organize and execute a disaster plan and salvage operation in our DISASTER RECOVERY workshop. You'll hear an in-depth discussion of disaster preparedness and see demonstrations of various salvage techniques for items such as books, manuscripts, and photos. The workshop will cover a broad range of disasters, from minor emergencies (mold outbreaks, leaky pipes) to full-blown disasters such as fires, floods and hurricanes. The session runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and will be conducted by Julie Arnott, Preservation Education Officer, SOLINET.

The cost of each workshop is \$85 for SOLINET members and any institution in North Carolina; \$90 FEDLINK; \$125 non-members. Discounts are offered for individuals signing up for both workshops, and there is a \$10 discount for early registration. Contact Steve Eberhardt of SOLINET at 1-800-999-8558 ext 285 for further information or to register.

Southwestern Archaeology On the Web

[Reprint from Arizona Archaeological Council Newsletter July 1995.]

Visit the World-Wide Web (WWW) Site (Primary Locus) http:// seamonkey.ed.asu.edu/~matthias/swa/ is the "address" for Southwestern Archaeology on the Internet. This WWW site carries archaeological data and current events information for the historic preservation and cultural resources management communities of the American Southwest, the area from Durango, Colorado, to Durango, Mexico, and from Las Vegas, Nevada, to Las Vegas, New Mexico (with a bit of California, Texas, and Chihuahua included.) The Southwestern Archaeology web page organizes text and graphics for the entire Southwest and provides a place for primary data. While this web page contains links to previously established anthropological pages on the WWW, its ultimate purpose is to serve as a noncommercial location and destination for important data, a dense cluster on the information superhighway.

Please Contribute Archaeological Data.

Professional and avocational archaeologists, anthropologists, Native Americans, and all "students of prehistory" may contribute their data to the Southwestern Archaeology web site. You own the data, but the web page provides the public with community access to our intellectual and cultural traditions. All contributions should meet the standards of the Southwestern community for clear, effective communication, appropriateness of subject matter, and cultural sensitivity. Text and sound files may be presented in English, Spanish, or any Southwestern Native American language.

Most of us take photographs, draw and sketch, create computer graphics, or write voluminous texts on word processors. It takes little to scan in a photo or add hyper-text markup language (html) "tags" to convert your text data for the world-wide web. There is NO COST to run data on the South-western Archaeological web page. Limited assistance can be provided to those needing graphical scanning to help with html. To learn the most compatible methods for forwarding your data, send an e-mail message to the Southwestern Archaeology system operator.

Examples of Southwestern Archaeology Web Data (these topical areas become active WWW links only as data is contributed):

- * Pecos Conference information and registration materials
- * "A Pecos Home Companion" (a virtual "Pecos Conference of the Internet")
- federal, state, and local agency web pages
- * museum, academic, and nonprofit organization web pages
- * statutes, rules, regulations, and compliance policies
- * virtual site tours
- * current research
- * gray literature publication
- presentations of M.A. and doctoral dissertation data
- archaeological project t-shirt designs
- volunteer/avocational opportunities
- historic context studies
- * heritage education
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- * conference data and announcements/proceedings
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