

Learning Opportunities For Genealogists

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Podcasts

Genealogy Guys Genealogyguys.com
Genealogy Gems LisaLouiseCooke.com (she has a blog too!)
The Pod Cast Directory www.podcastdirectory.com/
Cyndi's List www.cyndislist.com/podcasts/

Blogs

Geneabloggers <http://www.geneabloggers.com/>
Top Blogs for 2015 <http://www.familytreemagazine.com/article/best-genealogy-blogs-2015>

National Conferences (3-5 days long)

National Genealogical Society NGS
Federation of Genealogical Societies FGS
RootsTech

Regional Conferences (usually 3 days long)

Southern California Genealogical Jamboree (June)
New England Regional Genealogical Consortium
Forensic Genealogical Conference
Various State Conferences

Local Conferences (usually 1 day)

All Day Conferences
FHC
Genealogy Societies
Historical Societies

FHC Classes

Varies from FHC to FHC
Varies from Library to Library
Varies from Genealogical Society to Genealogical Society

Library Classes

City Libraries, County Libraries, State Libraries

Webinars

Legacy

SCGS

FamilySearch.org

DVDs

Purchased from National Conferences and some Regional Conferences

Available for Purchase from Legacy at their website (to be downloaded) and from conferences

Online Courses

NGS Home Study (DVDs + Online)

National Institute for Genealogical Studies Genealogicalstudies.com

Boston University

Brigham Young University

Family Tree University

DNA Courses

Institutes

SLIG Salt Lake Institute for Genealogy Usually held in January (Jan. 11-15 2016) in Salt Lake See: <http://ugagenealogy.org/aem.php?eid=16>

IGHR (Samford) Institute for Genealogical and Historical Research Held in July 2017 in Georgia (Was held in June at Samford University in Alabama) (see last page for press release) They have a FaceBook page too!

NIGR National Institute for Genealogical Research Held at NARA in Washington D.C. July 2016 See: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~natgenin/>

GRIPitt Genealogical Research Institute of Pittsburgh End of June and mid July 2016 See: <http://ugagenealogy.org/aem.php?eid=16>

Tutorials

FamilySearch.org

Ancestry.com

https://www.ancestry.com/academy/?xid=31&o_iid=65625&o_lid=65625&o_sch=Web+Property
y (Or go to Ancestry.com....then to the tab "Extras" then in the drop down menu you'll see "Ancestry Academy" click on that.

National Genealogical Society <http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/cs/tutorials>

Cyndi's List <http://www.cyndislist.com/how-to-tutorials/miscellaneous-tutorials/>

How to "work" **Legacy Database** <https://www.legacyfamilytree.com/TutorialLessons-ExamplesList.asp>

Genealogy Tutorial.com <http://www.genealogytutorial.com/>

Professionals

The Association of Professional Genealogists (APG) <https://www.apgen.org/>

Books

The Researcher's Guide to American Genealogy	Val D. Greenwood
Land & Property Research In The United States	E. Wade Hone
The Source: A Guidebook of American Genealogy	Edited by: Loretto Dennis Szucs & Sandra Hargreaves Luebking
Hidden Sources: Family History in Unlikely Places	Laura Szucs Pfeiffer
The Hidden Half of the Family	Christina Kassabian Schaefer
Courthouse Research for Family Historians	Christine Rose
Your Guide To Cemetery Research	Sharon DeBartolo Carmack
Printed Sources: A Guide to Published Gen. Records	Edited by Kory L. Meyerink
Evidence Explained	Elizabeth Shown Mills
RedBook	Ancestry

Samford University Library and the Advisory Board of the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research (IGHR) have announced the new host site for IGHR.

IGHR will be moving to Georgia in 2017. One of the four prestigious genealogical institutes in the United States and the only one with special emphasis on Southern research, IGHR will be moving from its home of more than 50 years at Samford University and the Samford University Library. Samford University in Birmingham, Ala. has grown immensely, and demands on its space and staff can no longer accommodate the week-long, intensive series of courses.

Lori Northrup, IGHR Director, and Kimmetha Herndon, Dean of Samford University Library, and the remaining Advisory Board Members of IGHR evaluated a number of proposals for the new host site and chose Georgia Genealogical Society, Inc. to be the organization to carry forward the tradition of excellence in genealogical education. Georgia Genealogical Society will work to maintain the high standards that have been a hallmark of the Samford University Library's stewardship of this event.

Susan Sloan, President of GGS, stated, "It is indeed a high privilege for Georgia Genealogical Society to have this opportunity to raise the standard of genealogical research for the South by continuing the tradition of excellence that is IGHR. We embrace this challenge with great enthusiasm."

The Institute will move to Athens, Ga. and the Georgia Center for Continuing Education in July of 2017. In addition to quality faculty to plan and teach the courses, IGHR courses demand excellent library collections to support the curricula and work of the students. The University of Georgia Libraries are known for being outstanding in depth and breadth and will support existing courses, as well as allow for potential expansion on the number of courses that can be taught in the future at IGHR.

The Georgia Center for Continuing Education is on the campus of the University of Georgia and will provide IGHR participants and faculty with a self-contained facility with classrooms, hotel, and food under one roof.

Georgia Genealogical Society, Inc., a 501(c) 3 not-for-profit, was founded in 1964, with its first stated objective being "to raise the standards of genealogical research over the State through educational programs, workshops and the publication of genealogical data." This statement makes it clear that the missions of IGHR and GGS are closely aligned, said Sloan.

For more information, see --> <http://ighr.samford.edu/>