

Call for Papers:

# REAL HISTORY RIGHT NOW

## MOMCC 2010 FALL CONFERENCE

### NOVEMBER 11-13

### OCONOMOWOC, WI

In a society dominated by entertainment, how do we get visitors excited about history? Help us explore ways to dispel the myths they arrive with, expand their core knowledge and send them home with nuggets of real history and ideas that are far more interesting.

Possible topics for the conference include:

- Free/inexpensive marketing
- Hands on Hair
- Baseball
- Establishing and using teaching collections
- Finishing Touches – clothing accessories
- Visitor Involvement – going beyond hands-on
- Ethnic Foodways
- Small engines and agricultural technology
- Real History vs Hollywood History – helping the public distinguish between the two

Host Site: Old World Wisconsin presents a vivid re-creation of working farmsteads and settlements established by European immigrants in America's heartland. The living history interpretation spans the time period of 1845 to 1918 in more than 60 restored structures, 12 heirloom gardens and with over 100 animals of historic breeds. Old World Wisconsin is one of ten historic sites owned and operated by the Wisconsin Historical Society.

Papers/Session Proposals should be submitted no later than **February 28, 2010** to:

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