

# University of South Carolina Lancaster

## Native American Studies Center

### 2016 Lunch and Learn Series

**FRIDAY**  
**September**  
**16**

All are invited to attend these free monthly lectures which usually cover topics related to local and regional culture and history.

12 noon to 1:00 pm

Participants are invited to bring a bag lunch.

Location:

Native American  
Studies Center

119 South Main  
Street, Lancaster, SC



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## “Andre Michaux”



Dressed in period costume, Charlie Williams presents his first-person interpretation of the life and adventures of the French botanist Andre Michaux, an explorer and traveler in eastern North America during the time when George Washington was President. While studying American forests on behalf of France, Michaux met many of the men we call the “Founding Fathers”—including Washington, but plants were his focus.

He is especially remembered for his bold explorations in frontier areas, especially the southern mountains, where N.C. has erected six historical highway markers to honor him. Michaux often visited the Lancaster District when traveling between his base in Charleston and the mountains.

Please direct any questions or comments regarding the series to Brent Burgin at 803-313-7063 or [wbburgin@sc.edu](mailto:wbburgin@sc.edu). Mr. Burgin welcomes suggestions and ideas for future talks and speakers.

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