

THE CANAL SOCIETY OF NEW YORK STATE

Winter Symposium & Annual Meeting

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2022

ST. JOHN FISHER COLLEGE, 3690 EAST AVE., ROCHESTER, NY 14618

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YOU MUST REGISTER BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2022

Committee: R. Rosenberg-Naparsteck, T. Grasso, W. Miles, C. Williams,
D. Ward & B. Schwendy

Program

- 8:00 A.M. – 8:30 A.M. **Registration.** Coffee, Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 A.M. – 8:40 A.M. Welcoming Remarks
- 8:40 A.M. – 9:20 A.M. **Canal Society Collections and Accessibility**
Craig Williams, President, Canal Society of New York State
- 9:20 A.M. – 10:10 A.M. **The Albany Waterway: Allowing History to Influence Bold
New Ideas**
Len Tantillo, Architect and Artist
- 10:10 A.M. – 10:25 A.M. **Coffee Break**
- 10:25 A.M. – 11:05 A.M. **The Oswego Canal, Locks 0-6, 0-7, 0-8, Then and Now**
Greg Johnson, Practice Leader, Bergmann

- 11:05 A.M. – 11:35 A.M. **Keynote Address: A Year in Review and What's in Store for 2022**
Brian Stratton, Director, NYS Canal Corp., Albany, NY, Shane Mahar, Communications Strategy Manager, NYS Canal Corp.
- 11:35 A.M. – 12:25 P.M. **Lunch Break**
- 12:25 P.M. – 12:55 P.M. **It's Complicated: Tracing our Roots Along the Erie Canal**
Rebecca Hughes, Senior Director, Public Engagement, Canals, NYS Canal Corp.
- 12:55 P.M. - 1:25 P.M. **Canal Maintenance Projects, Western Region**
Brendan Simon, Western Regional Canal Engineer
- 1:25 P.M. – 1:40 P. M. **Coffee Break**
- 1:40 P.M. – 2:20 P.M. **Village of Medina, NY Local Waterfront Revitalization: Focus On The Erie Canal**
Mike Sidari, Mayor, Medina, Christopher Busch, Waterfront Development Committee, Medina, NY
- 2:20 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. **Family Life on and Along the Canal: The Way of Life From the Old Erie Canal to the NY Barge Canal**
Joe DiGiorgio, President of Canastota Canal Town Corporation
- 3:00 P.M. – 3:30 P.M. **CSNYS Annual Business Meeting and Announcements**
- **Annual Meeting-BOD Election. Dave Kinyon**
 - **Update from President Craig Williams**
 - **NYS 2022 Canal Conference, Rochester**
- 3:30 P.M. **Adjournment**

COVID PROTOCOLS

The covid situation this year requires a new set of protocols from St. John Fisher College and the Canal Society of New York State. Please look for covid or weather news on Facebook

Face coverings are required for all individuals on campus (including students, employees, and visitors) in public indoor spaces, regardless of vaccination status unless eating or drinking while seated. Your face covering must cover your nose and mouth.

Speakers will also be masked for their protection.

We apologize for this inconvenience. In order to manage an in person conference with the advantages of networking and meeting old friends these stipulations from St. John Fisher College are key to our success. We sincerely thank you for your help and compliance.