

GENOCIDE OF NATIVE AMERICANS?

A Symposium on Indigenous Identity and Mass Violence in North America

15-16 APRIL 2016

15 APRIL: KEYNOTE

*Razzo Hall, Traina Center for the
Performing Arts*

7:30 PM: Keynote / President's Lecture:

Ned Blackhawk, Yale University: "Colonial
Genocides in Native North America —
Varying Methods and Approaches"

16 APRIL: WORKSHOP

Dana Commons, Higgins Lounge

8:45 AM: Welcome

Thomas Kühne, Clark University

9-10 AM

Karl Jacoby, Columbia University:
"The History of Violence, the Violence of
History: Locating Genocide in the North
American Past"

Moderator: Thomas Kühne, Clark University

10:15-11:15 AM

Angelique EagleWoman, University of
Idaho: "The U.S. Legal History and the
On-Going Genocide of Native Americans"

Moderator: Sarah Cushman, Clark
University

11:30 AM-12:30 PM

Audra Simpson, Columbia University:
"The State is a Man: Theresa Spencer,
Lorraine Saunders, and the Gendered Cost
of Settler Sovereignty in Canada"

Moderator: Debórah Dwork, Clark
University

Lunch Break

2-3 PM

Alex Alvarez, Northern Arizona University:
"Genocide in the Americas: Complexities,
Contradictions, and Contested Narratives"

Moderator: Henry Theriault, Worcester
State University

3:15-4:15 PM

Joseph Gone, University of Michigan, Ann
Arbor: "Historical Trauma as the Legacy of
Genocide in American Indian Communities:
Complications and Critiques"

Moderator: Mary Jane Rein, Clark University

4:30-5:30 PM

Margo Tamez, University of British
Columbia: "So-ver(y)-e(m)p)ty in the Space
of Abjection: U.S. sovereign immunity,
indigenous truth-seeking and historical
clarification in the Shadow of the Wall, Nde
narrative, memorialization, and reparation
processes, 2007-2015"

Moderator: Jody Emel, Clark University

5:30-6:30 PM: Concluding Discussion

Moderator: Ken MacLean, Clark University

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