



ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY
OF CONNECTICUT HISTORY

The Fall Conference
Uncomfortable Conversations: Religion
and Politics in New England
November 4, 2017
Manchester Community College

900: Breakfast and Registration, Rotunda

945: Welcome

Jennifer Cote, President, ASCH

Gena Glickman, President, Manchester Community College

ASCH Awards

1000: Keynote. Tom Carty, Springfield College. Title forthcoming.

1100-1230: Concurrent Sessions

All concurrent sessions are on the second floor. Stairs and elevator are available.

Politics, Justice, and Connecticut's Catholic Church

Room AST - C201

Ronald Schatz 'I Know My Way Around a Little Bit': Bishop Joseph Donnelly and American Labor, 1941-1977

Carl Antonucci + Kenneth DiMaggio The 1948 Letters to Italy Campaign – International Politics, Local Politics and the Catholic Church in Connecticut

Mark Jones Between Roman Catholic Condemnation of Sterilizations and U. S. Supreme Court's Approval: "Frederic C. Walcott and the Connecticut Eugenics Survey, 1936-1938 (It is recommended that session attendees examine the following before the conference: "Image Archive on the American Eugenics Movement" by the Dola DNA Center at the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Long Island.

<http://eugenicsarchive.org/eugenics/list3.pl>)

Challenges to Religious Orthodoxy in Colonial and 19th-Century Connecticut

Room AST - C202

Beth Caruso Uncovering the Identity of Alice ‘Else’ Young and the Politics Behind the First Colonial Witch Hanging

June-Ann Greeley To Speak Difficult Truth to Power in 19th c. New England: The ‘Settled Conviction’ of Quaker Elizabeth Buffum Chace

Marie Basile McDaniel Puritan Predators

1230-130: Lunch—Rotunda

130-3: Concurrent Sessions

Protecting the Vulnerable in 18th, 19th, and 20th-Century Connecticut

Room AST - C201

Britney Murphy The Fall of Mount Trashmore and the Rise of Community Activism: Environmental Justice and the Politics of Inclusion, Bridgeport, Connecticut (1991-Present)

Mary Lycan Orphans, Bastards, the Deranged, the Sick, the Old, and a “Squaw”: Values and Budgets in Thompson’s Poor Records, 1786 – 1810

Winifred R. Maloney “More love for the souls of these dear children:” The Connecticut Soldiers’ Orphans Home Through Reconstruction

Church and State in Early Connecticut

Room AST - C202

Michael Besso Thomas Hooker and Connecticut's Early Political Development

Robert Imholt Standing Disorder: The Evolution of Church-State Relations in Connecticut, 1635-1818

Steve McGrath King or Congress? The Dilemma of Fairfield County’s Loyalist Clergy

MCC closes at 345, so we are not able to have our usual closing cookie reception this year.