

Geography 429: Research in Historical Geography
End of Term Conference
University of British Columbia

Monday April 4, 2016
9am – 12:30pm.

Nikkei Centre
6688 Southoaks Crescent, Burnaby
Room: Main floor “Inter-generational room”

Schedule.

9:00am Welcome, Introductions

This is a bring-your-own-mug-event.

9:00-10:00 Four presentations

Short Break

10:05-11:05 Four Presentations

Short Break

11:10-12:25 Five Presentations

12:25 - General discussion.

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Schedule

9am **Welcome, Intro.**

9:00-10:00 **Pacific Histories**

Scott MacDonald (partnered with the Nikkei National Museum and Cultural Centre).

Across the Pacific: Biographies of the Japanese-Canadian dual veterans of the Russo-Japanese War and the First World War.

Malanie Lovik (partnered with The Vancouver Maritime Museum).

Racism and Dispossession: the Story of Don and Lion Islands in Richmond, BC up to the Second World War.

Sean Chin (partnered with the North Pacific Cannery National Heritage Site).

North Pacific Cannery: Success through Exploitation and Connection.

Ayah Farsi (partnered with the Britannia Shipyards National Historic Site).

Easthope Marine Engines & the Fishermen of Steveston, British Columbia.

10:00 Short Break

10:05-11:05 Cultures and Resources

Jack Wiltshire (partnered with the Royal British Columbia Museum).

From East Indian to Indo-Canadian: How the BC logging industry made point-of-entry for immigrants at a time when it was ascending to a position of dominance in the Provincial economy and allowed for the establishment of the Kapoor Lumber Company: 1900 – 1932.

William Bethune (partnered with Metro Vancouver).

Fort Langley Non-staple Economies: A Changing Native-Newcomer Dynamic from 1827 - 1858.

Emmett Keyserlingk (Partnered with the Royal British Columbia Museum).

Energy, Politics, Resistance and the Burrard Thermal Generating Station.

Trevor Wong (partnered with the UBC Herbarium).

J.W. Eastham, Hero of 20th Century BC Botany, or symbol of the Nature of Discovery in a Period of Weak Scientific Knowledge?

11:05 Short Break

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11:10-12:25 Urban Historical Geography

Anthony Steele (partnered with the District of West Vancouver).

West Vancouver: Towards an Historical Approach for Soft Shoreline Management.

Maia Janz (partnered with The West Vancouver Historical Society).

Canada's First Shopping Centre: The Evolution of West Vancouver's Park Royal.

Yasaman Fazel (partnered with the Vancouver Heritage Foundation).

The Urban History of Granville Island.

Alyssa Mulat (partnered with The West End Memories Project).

“Our Park”: A Social History of Stanley Park from its Closest Neighbours.

Claire Shepansky (partnered with the Grandview Heritage Group and the Britannia Planning and Development Committee).

Urban Renewal & the Power of Community Planning in the Case of the Britannia Community Services Centre: A Portrait of the Community that evolved from Expropriation.

Thereafter, discussion, networking.