Call for Proposals

The Society of Early Americanists is seeking proposals for papers as well as complete panels, workshops, and round tables by October 31st 2022.

In order to submit a proposal, please visit https://sea2023.exordo.com/login and create an account. Click on the tab for “submissions” and “my submissions.” Then click on “new submissions.” Then choose a track. You may:

1. Submit a complete panel, workshop, or roundtable. For this option, choose track: “Complete panel or roundtable for general program.”

2. Submit a paper for one of the pre-approved thematic panel streams. For this option, choose the thematic track of your choice.

3. Submit a freestanding paper for which you would like the program committee to find a place in the general program. For this option, choose track: “Paper for General Program.”

Please indicate if you are planning for your panel or paper presentation to occur in-person or in virtual format. (You can still change your preference later if your proposal is accepted).

In order to submit a proposal for a complete panel or roundtable, include a cover sheet with the contact information of the panel chair, the title of the panel or roundtable, the names and affiliations of all confirmed panelists, and the titles of all the individual presentations (if applicable). In addition, include a ca. 250 word abstract of the panel or
roundtable, as well as shorter abstracts (one paragraph) for each of the individual presentations, and short CVs for all panel participants.

In order to submit a proposal for a paper, free-standing or for one of the pre-approved panel streams, submit your contact information, a short CV, as well as a title and short abstract of your paper (circa 250 words).

Note: In the coming weeks, various cfps. for open panels, workshops, and round tables will be posted on our communication platforms. Proposals for these open panels should be submitted directly to the organizers, not through the Ex Ordo website. Once those open panels and round tables have been finalized, the organizers will submit them as complete panels/workshops to the Ex Ordo website.

Please note: If your proposal is accepted, you and all the panelists associated with your submission will need to (re-) establish SEA membership and register for the conference. You can establish or renew your membership at https://uncpress.org/society-early-americanists-membership/ at any time. Conference registration will open in February of 2023.