



BYU's Church History Symposium

Friday, February 27, 2009 1:00–6:00 PM
Brigham Young University Conference Center, Provo, Utah

PRESERVING THE HISTORY OF THE LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Church Historians, the Church Historian's Office,
and the Recording and Publication of the Latter-day Saint Past

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the Historical Department of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints,
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SCHEDULE

1:00–1:50 P.M.
KEYNOTE SESSION

Room 2254
Richard E. Turley, Jr.: *Assistant Church Historians and the Publishing of Church History*

2:00–2:50 P.M.
CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Room 2254
Mark Ashurst-McGee: *Joseph Smith's Journal Keeping and the Creation of His History*
Robin S. Jensen: *Ignored and Unknown Clues of Early Mormon Record Keeping*

Room 2258
David J. Whitaker: *The Genesis of Mormon Historical Writing*

Room 2260
Mark L. Staker, Jennifer L. Lund, Don L. Enders: *Historic Sites Program*

Room 2265
Jared Tamez: *The 1901–1908 Minutes of the Atlautla Mexico Branch*

Room 2267
Matthew K. Heiss: *Mission Impossible: The Evolving Program to Document Church History around the World*

Room 2295
James B. Allen: *William Clayton and the Preservation of Church History*

3:00–3:50 P.M.
CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Room 2254
Jeffrey Johnson: *"There Shall Be a Record Kept among You"*

Room 2258
Christopher C. Jones: *Olicer Cowdery's Letters to William Phelps*

Room 2260
Richard Jensen: *Latter-day Saint Record-keeping at the Grass Roots in the Early Twentieth Century*

Room 2265
Ben Park: *Wilford Woodruff and the Preservation of Church History*

Room 2267
Reid L. Neilson: *Documenting the Historian: The Publishing Legacy of Andrew Jenson's World Tour*

Room 2295
Scott C. Esplin: *The Story of John Whitmer's Record of Church History*

4:00–4:50 P.M.
CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Room 2258
Jill Mulvay Derr and Carol Cornwall Madsen: *The New Mormon Women's History, 1972–1985*

Room 2260
Ronald K. Esplin: *Preserving the History of Joseph Smith and Brigham Young*

Room 2265
Mark L. Grover and Michael N. Landon: *Documenting Church History in Latin America*

Room 2267
Ronald O. Barney: *Preserving the History of the Latter-day Saints*

Room 2295
Milton V. Backman Jr.: *Preserving the History of the First Vision and of Kirtland*

5:00–6:00 P.M.
KEYNOTE SESSION

Room 2254
Elder Marlin K. Jensen, Church Historian and Recorder: *Making a Case of Church History*