#### 2018 SAR Annual Conference on the American Revolution

# Spain and the American Revolution

The Inn at The Colonnade Baltimore Baltimore, Maryland June 8-10, 2018

## **Friday, June 8, 2018**

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Check-in / Registration Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

Greetings from His Excellency Pedro Morenés, Ambassador of Spain to the United States of America

3:15 p.m. - 4:55 p.m. Session 1 Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

Anthony McFarlane, *University of Warwick* "The American Revolution and Spanish America"

Larrie D. Ferreiro, *George Mason University*"The Rise and Fall of the Spanish-French Bourbon Armada, from Toulon to Pensacola to Trafalgar"

Manuel Lucena-Giraldo, Spanish Council for Scientific Research / IE University "Foreseeing What Great Occasions Might Come":

American Independence and Spanish Navy Reformers"

5:05 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. *Session 2* Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

Emily Berquist Soule, *California State University, Long Beach* "The Spanish Slave Trade as Statecraft During the American Revolution"

Ross Michael Nedervelt, Florida International University
"Securing the Borderlands/Seas in the American Revolution:
The Spanish-American Alliance and Regional Security
Against the British Empire"

Benjamin C. Lyons, *Columbia University*"Law and Diplomacy in the Spanish-American Conflict
Over Rights to the Mississippi River"

# Friday, June 8, 2018 (continued)

7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Cocktail Reception

The Inn at the Colonnade

7:30 p.m.

Dinner

The Inn at the Colonnade

Welcoming Remarks

Gabriel Paquette, *Johns Hopkins University* SAR Distinguished Scholar

Warren M. Alter, Secretary General National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

## Saturday, June 9, 2018

9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Session 3

Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

María Bárbara Zepeda Cortés, *Lehigh University* "José's Secrets: Minister Gálvez's Master Plan for Spain's Participation in the American Revolution"

Carolina Castillo Crimm, *Sam Houston State University* "Bernardo de Gálvez, Man of the Enlightenment"

10:45 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Session 4

Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

John W. Nelson, *University of Notre Dame*"Spain's Bid for the American Interior:

The Imperial Contest Over the Revolutionary Great Lakes"

Gregg French, *University of Western Ontario*"'A Firm and Inviolable Peace and Sincere Friendship':
U.S.-Spanish Relations in the Late Eighteenth Century"

12:15 p.m. - 12:30 p.m. Book Launch

"Memorial Hall," Gilman Hall

Bernardo de Gálvez: Spanish Hero of the American Revolution by Gonzalo M. Quintero de Saravia

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Lunch

"The Atrium," Gilman Hall

### Saturday, June 9, 2018 (continued)

2:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Session 5

Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

Eric Nicolas Becerra, *University of North Carolina*, *Chapel Hill* "A New Guardian: The Values of the American Revolution in Post-Revolutionary Spanish Louisiana Settlements"

Mary-Jo Kline, Independent Historian

"Sarah Livingston Jay (1756-1802): A Republican Woman in the Spanish Kingdom"

3:45 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Session 6

Gilman Hall, Room No. 50

Eduardo Posada-Carbó, University of Oxford

"Cádiz, Spanish America, and U.S. Constitutionalism in the Age of Revolution"

Emmanuelle Perez Tisserant, University of Toulouse

"Spain and the American Revolution,

A Continental – and Local – Perspective from Alta California to Florida"

6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Cocktail Reception

The Johns Hopkins Club

7:00 p.m.

Dinner

The Johns Hopkins Club

Tribute to Sylvia L. Hilton, *Complutense University* Introduction by Gonzalo Maria Quintero de Saravia

Tribute to David Armitage, *Harvard University* Introduction by Gabriel Paquette, *Johns Hopkins University* 

#### **Sunday, June 10, 2018**

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Brunch

The Johns Hopkins Club

Roundtable Discussion of Presentations Gabriel Paquette, *Johns Hopkins University*