

# Celebrate Your Anglo-Celtic Roots!



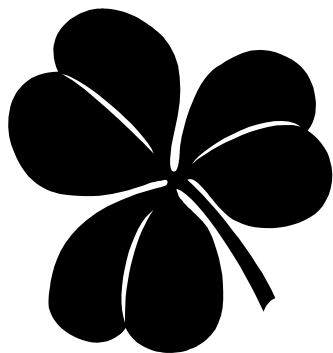
**Annual BIFHSGO Family History Conference  
14 –16 September 2007**

Offering something for everyone – with a special focus on **IRELAND**.  
Featuring **Catriona Crowe** and **Aideen Ireland** of the National Archives  
of Ireland, and **Dr. Bruce Elliott** of Carleton University.



## **Sign up for a Pre-conference Seminar:**

(1) *Family Tree Maker* with Rick Roberts of Global Genealogy  
or (2) *Beginning Genealogy* by OGS & BIFHSGO with  
optional tour of Library & Archives Canada & the Canadian Genealogy Centre



**Browse the Marketplace:** Archive CD Books Canada,  
Global Genealogy Supply, Natural Heritage Books,  
The National Institute for Genealogical Studies/Heritage  
Publications, and many more.

**Have fun in the computer room** - with free access to  
Ancestry, Find My Past and other genealogical tools

Library and Archives Canada  
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## **Preliminary Program**

**Friday 14 September**

### **Pre-Conference Workshops**

- **Beginning Genealogy:** by OGS & BIFHSGO
- **Family Tree Maker - Beginner to Advanced:**  
by Rick Roberts of GlobalGenealogy.com Inc

**Whiteside Lecture** Catriona Crowe:  
The 1901 & 1911 Irish Census Digitisation Project  
Catriona Crowe is Head of Special Projects at  
the National Archives of Ireland. She is  
President of the Women's History Association of  
Ireland.

# Saturday & Sunday, 15 - 16 September

## Conference Presentations

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### 1. **Catriona Crowe:**

A Showcase of all 32 Counties in Ireland from 16th to 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries

### 2. **Aideen Ireland**

What Researchers Can Expect to Find in the National Archives of Ireland - Part 1

Aideen Ireland is Head of Reader Services at the National Archives of Ireland and President of the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland.

### 3. **Aideen Ireland**

What Researchers Can Expect to Find in the National Archives of Ireland – Part 2

### 4. **Dr. Bruce Elliott**

Records of Squatters, Labourers and Tenants on the Rideau Canal

Dr. Bruce Elliott is a Professor of History at Carleton University, with research interests in the Ottawa Valley.

### 5. **Louise St. Denis**

Tips for your Genealogical Trip Abroad

Louise St. Denis, from Toronto, is Managing Director of the National Institute for Genealogical Studies.

### 6. **John D. Reid**

Ancestors on Board: UK outbound passenger lists

John D. Reid lectures and writes on family history reflecting his British-Canadian experience. He is immediate past president of BIFHSGO.

### 7. **Patty McGregor**

Canadian Immigration: Land and Sea Arrivals and Records

Patty McGregor is a professional genealogist, antique dealer and federal public servant, who is also a member of BIFHSGO and OGS.

### 8. **John Hay**

The Paper Trail left behind by Two Brothers, 1840s Scottish Emigrants to Lanark, Ontario

John Hay is a retired electronics engineer who has spent more than 30 years researching his ancestors in Canada and at the National Archives in Scotland. He is BIFHSGO's Director of Programs.

### 9. **Terry Findley**

Signposts to Your Irish Ancestors

Terry Findley will describe some sleuthing tools, tips and techniques to find the signposts leading to that Irish ancestor's home in Ireland. Terry is a professional instructor and specialist in tracing Irish roots. He is a member and former Programs Director of BIFHSGO.

### 10. **Karin Keyes Endemann**

Copyright Law for Genealogists

This session will cover Canadian and international copyright implications of publishing your family history. Karin Keyes Endemann, who has a graduate degree in law, is an expert in intellectual property and technology transfer.

### 11. **Karin Keyes Endemann**

Organizing a Family Reunion (title not final)

Fresh from organizing a Keyes family reunion in Ireland this summer (2007), Karin will have lots of helpful hints to offer others who are thinking of a similar undertaking. She has been successfully researching her family history for over 15 years and is a member of BIFHSGO.

### 12. **Vic Johnson**

Socio-Economic Aspects of the Irish Famine 1800-1850

Following a career in the Military, Vic has been the family historian searching West Cork ancestors for 20 years. Member of the Irish Research Group.

### 13. **Betty Burrows**

Finding My Leitrim Roots

Betty Burrows' presentation will focus on the people and places she discovered on a 2006 visit to her family's homeland. Betty is the family historian and has written nine books for family members about their roots. She is a former teacher in Ottawa and a BIFHSGO director.

### 14. **Myriam Lavallée**

Grosse Île and the Irish Memorial National Historic Site

Myriam Lavallée is on the staff of Parks Canada at Grosse Île.