

Friday 14 September

Parking

Pay parking nearby for the Friday seminars.
Free parking after 6 p.m. on Friday and all day on the weekend in the lots east of the building.

09:00 Registration Open

Pre-conference Seminars

09:30-16:30

Family Tree Maker (workshop) - Beginner to Advanced including searching Ancestry.com online
Rick Roberts & Doug Hoddinott Auditorium

09:30-12:30

Beginning Genealogy

Presented by the Ottawa Branch, OGS, in cooperation with the BIFHSGO Education Group Room 156

Lunch - Facilities available nearby

10:30 & 14:00 Tour Library and Archives Canada

Advance registration required. Beginning Genealogy registrants given preference for afternoon tour.

18:00-19:15 Auditorium Foyer

Conference Opening

Meet & Greet

19:30-20:00 Auditorium

Conference Welcome

*Willis Burwell - President, BIFHSGO
Representative, Library and Archives Canada*

20:00-21:00 (Open to the public) Auditorium

Don Whiteside Memorial Lecture

The Irish Census Digitisation Project
Catriona Crowe

21:00-22:00 Browse the Marketplace

Consultations and Research

Saturday and Sunday Room 154

Research your family in consultation with experienced computer users and enjoy free access to various databases, both online and on CD.

Saturday 15 September

08:00 Registration and Marketplace

09:00-10:15 Session 1

Counties in Time: A Showcase of the 32 Counties of Ireland
Catriona Crowe Auditorium
Ancestors on Board: UK Outbound Passenger Lists
John D. Reid Room 156

10:45-12:00 Session 2

Resources National Archives of Ireland - Part 1
Aideen Ireland Auditorium
Who's Afraid of Anglican Archives?
Elizabeth Taylor Room 156

Lunch

The sit-down lunch is from 12:00 to 13:00 in the fifth floor cafeteria at Library and Archives Canada.

13:00-14:15 Session 3

Resources National Archives of Ireland - Part 2
Aideen Ireland Auditorium
Tracing the Victorian Engineers & Architects Who Built Canada's Railways & Canals
David Jeanes Room 156

14:45-16:00 Session 4

Grosse Île and the Irish Memorial Historic Site
Myriam Lavallée Auditorium
Tips for Your Genealogical Trip Abroad
Louise St Denis Room 156

16:15-17:30 Session 5

Crossing the Atlantic During the Great Age of Sail
Willis Burwell Auditorium
Building on the Legacy: The Key(e)s Family Reunion, Northern Ireland, 2007
Karin Keyes Endemann Room 156

Saturday Evening Informal Dinner

Join other attendees at an informal pay-as-you-go dinner at the
Bay Street Bistro

Sunday 16 September

08:00 Registration and Marketplace

09:00-10:15 Session 6

Canadian Immigration: Land & Sea Arrivals and Records
Patty McGregor Auditorium
Finding My Leitrim Roots
Betty Burrows Room 156

10:45-12:00 Session 7

Copyright Law for Genealogists
Karin Keyes Endemann Auditorium
Socio-economic Aspects of the Irish Famine 1800-1850
Vic Johnson Room 156

Lunch

The sit-down lunch is from 12:00 to 13:00 in the fifth floor cafeteria at Library and Archives Canada.

13:00-14:15 Session 8

Records of Squatters, Labourers & Tenants on the Rideau Canal
Dr. Bruce Elliott Auditorium
Looking for Treasures in the Parish Chest
Lesley Anderson Room 156

14:45-16:00 Session 9

Signposts to Your Irish Ancestors
Terry Findley Auditorium
The Paper Trail Left Behind Two Brothers: 1840s Scots Emigrants to Lanark County
John Hay Room 156

16:10-17:00 Conference closing Auditorium

Program subject to change

Registration

Please complete the attached
Fall Conference 2007 - Registration Form
which is also available on the
BIFHSGO Website at: www.bifhsgo.ca
Conference queries: conference@bifhsgo.ca
Voice Mail: 613- 234-2520

We are pleased to acknowledge that the
BIFHSGO 13th Annual Fall Conference is
co-sponsored by Library and Archives Canada.

Research: Library and Archives Canada

Library and Archives Canada has a large collection of books on genealogy and microfilms of many Canadian newspapers, census records, ship passenger lists and other sources of original material. Research Passes are available between 8:30 and 17:00 Monday to Friday only. Contact LAC for more information.

Pre-conference Seminars

Family Tree Maker - Beginner to Advanced including searching Ancestry.com online

Learn how to use Family Tree Maker (FTM) to record and organize all of the information you collect on your family – create tree charts, reports, calendars, scrapbooks, heirloom-quality books and more! Merge data downloaded from Ancestry.com directly into your FTM file.

Beginning Genealogy

Presented by the Ottawa Branch, OGS, in cooperation with the BIFHSGO Education Group. The basics of researching your family tree from Ottawa, followed by a tour of Library and Archives Canada.

Tour of Library and Archives Canada

Please register in advance for a tour of the recently renovated facility. Numbers are limited.

Marketplace - Some Invited Exhibitors:

Archive CD Books Canada
BAICO Publishing Consultants
Creative Memories
General Store Publishing House
Global Genealogy and History Shoppe
Heritage Publications/NIGS
Kingston Branch, OGS
Lanark County Genealogical Society
Leeds & Grenville Branch, OGS
Natural Heritage Books
New Found Memories
Ottawa Branch, OGS
Ottawa Public Library
Quebec FHS
and numerous Ottawa area organizations.

Speakers

Lesley Anderson, BIFHSGO Director of Education 2005 - 2007 teaches genealogy and computer courses and presents workshops.

Betty Burrows, BIFHSGO Director of Communications and retired teacher, has written nine books about her ancestors.

Willis Burwell, President BIFHSGO, has been researching his English, Scottish and Irish ancestors for more than 15 years.

Catriona Crowe is a Senior Archivist, National Archives of Ireland, and a Research Associate at the Centre for Contemporary Irish History, Trinity College, Dublin.

Dr. Bruce Elliott, a BIFHSGO member since 1994, is a professor of history at Carleton University and Director of the Carleton Centre for the History of Migration.

Terry Findley, BIFHSGO Director of Programs 2002 - 2004, is a professional instructor who loves to share his family history knowledge and experience.

John Hay, BIFHSGO Director of Programs, is a regular speaker on Scottish family history.

Doug Hoddinott, BIFHSGO Director of Membership 2001 - 2006, is a frequent speaker on computers and FTM™.

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

David Jeanes is a BIFHSGO member who has been researching his family roots in Wales for many years.

Vic Johnson is a BIFHSGO member who has been researching his West County Cork ancestors for 20 years.

Karin Keyes Endemann is a BIFHSGO member, has a masters degree in Intellectual Property, and is an expert in intellectual property, technology transfer and international relations.

Myriam Lavallée of Parks Canada at Grosse Île is the contact person for "Following the Footsteps of Immigrants" tours.

Patty McGregor, a BIFHSGO and OGS member, is a professional genealogist and a federal public servant.

John D. Reid, BIFHSGO Past President, lectures and writes on family history reflecting his British-Canadian experience.

Rick Roberts is the co-founder of Global Genealogy and a frequent speaker at genealogical conferences and workshops.

Louise St Denis is Managing Director of the Institute for Genealogical Studies and an author, publisher, and lecturer.

Elizabeth Taylor is a BIFHSGO member and a volunteer in the Archives of the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa.



13th Annual BIFHSGO Fall Conference on British Isles Family History

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Anglo-Celtic
Roots*

September 14–16, 2007

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* Pre-Conference Seminars *

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