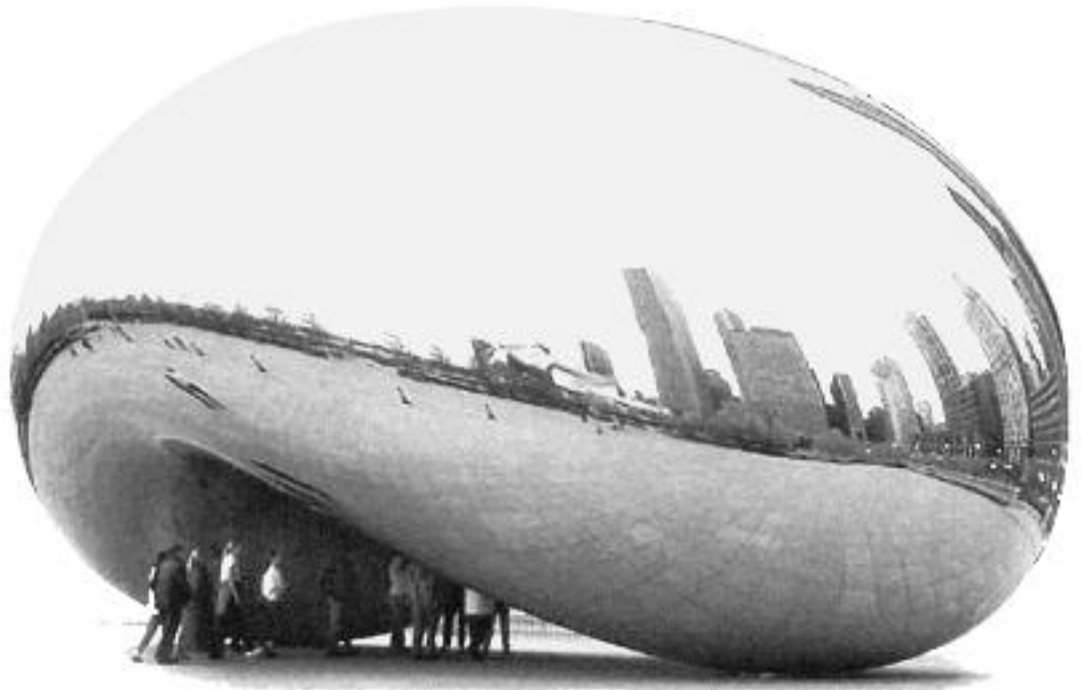


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**Community College Humanities Association
2009 National Conference**
Call for Proposals



The Humanities and Civic Engagement

Oct. 29 to 31, 2009

Renaissance Chicago Hotel

Chicago, Illinois

Hosted by College of DuPage



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On the eve of the new millennium, presidents of 373 colleges and universities from across the United States signed the *Presidents' Declaration on Civic Responsibility of Higher Education*. In formulating their declaration, the presidents called upon American institutions of higher learning to renew their commitment to the public purpose of higher education. This year's conference will explore the roles of the Humanities in teaching the values of democracy and in fostering student engagement in the classroom, college and community.

The Community College Humanities Association invites conference proposals that address questions such as:

- What role do the Humanities play in fostering reflective citizenship?
- How do the Humanities engage diverse populations in civic dialogue?
- In what ways does globalization impact the study of the Humanities?
- How do the Humanities foster compassionate and just communities?
- How do the Humanities promote public service?
- What is the role of the Humanities in the development of social leadership?

Possible topics include:

- The Civic Imagination
- Arts and Activism
- Modeling Civic Engagement through the Humanities
- The Humanities and Leadership
- Service Learning in the Humanities Curriculum
- The Humanities and Global Diversity

Who Should Attend?

Faculty and administrators from the disciplines of literature, history, English, philosophy, languages, speech, ESL, theater, art, music, journalism, anthropology, sociology, psychology and interdisciplinary programs are welcome.

Friends of the Humanities from outside the academy, including actors, artists, curators, filmmakers, journalists, librarians, musicians, public historians, playwrights and writers are also encouraged to attend.

Hotel Information

Located in the heart of downtown Chicago, the Renaissance Chicago Hotel is just steps away from Magnificent Mile shopping, restaurants, museums and theaters, and blocks away from the Chicago Loop, Navy Pier and Chicago's newest attraction, Millennium Park. Visit the Renaissance Chicago Hotel web site.

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/chisr-renaissance-chicago-hotel/>

Renaissance Chicago Hotel

One West Wacker Drive

Chicago, Illinois 60601

(312) 372-7200



Reservations must be made on or before **Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2009**, to receive the special conference rate of \$229 (single or double) plus local taxes. Contact the Renaissance Chicago Hotel directly at (213) 372-7200 to make reservations, and remember to identify yourself as a member of the Community College Humanities Association.

2009 Proposal Submission Form

Submission Deadline: Conference proposals must be received on or before **Friday, May 1, 2009**. All presenters, moderators and participants must register for the conference. An electronic version of this form is available on the CCHA web site at www.ccha-assoc.org.

Name	Title
Institution	Discipline or Field
Institution Address	
Institution City/State	ZIP Code
Office Telephone	Fax
E-mail	
Home Address	
Home City/State	ZIP Code
Home Telephone	Mobile or Other Telephone

Proposed Session: Program Session Type: (Check one)

- Panel for Concurrent Session (60 minutes; moderator and three presenters)
- Roundtable (60 minutes; one to five tables per session)
- Individual Paper (20 minutes per paper max.; Program Committee will group individual presentations, as appropriate)
- Workshop (60 minutes; attendees participate in learning sessions and leave with classroom-ready activities and materials)
- Perspectives on a Major Work (60 minutes; moderator and three presenters)

Proposal: Title for Paper and/or Session (10 words max.)

In two pages or less (1) write a description of your session or presentation, (2) explain how it illuminates the conference theme, (3) explain how the presentation will be made (i.e. use of video, overheads, PowerPoint or other), and (4) indicate how audience participation can be achieved. Please include a short curriculum vitae and/or brief bio for the moderator and each presenter.

Audio-Visual Needs: Please note that audio-visual requests will be met within reasonable limits of availability; whenever possible, presenters should plan to bring their own equipment (i.e. LCD projectors). It is not possible to provide computers. Please indicate your audio-visual needs on your proposal.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead projector and screen | <input type="checkbox"/> Slide projector |
| <input type="checkbox"/> VCR/monitor | <input type="checkbox"/> LCD projector and screen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flip-chart | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) |

Guidelines:

1. All presenters, co-presenters and moderators must be CCHA members and must register for the conference.
2. All proposals will be reviewed by the Program Committee.
3. All presentations should aim for audience interaction and participation.

Proposals should be submitted electronically to Dr. Daniel Lloyd, 2009 National Program Chair, at walkerm@cod.edu **no later than Friday, May 1, 2009**. Hard copy submissions may be mailed to: Dr. Daniel Lloyd, CCHA National Program Chair, College of DuPage, 425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137. (Please include five copies.)