

UK Appalachian Center and GARC present:
5th Annual Appalachian Research Community
Symposium and Art Showcase
Saturday, March 8, 2014
William T. Young Library
Preliminary Program

9:00-9:30 Coffee and light breakfast; setup posters

9:30 Welcome

9:35-10:25 Keynote Address by Victoria LeBeaux followed by Question & Answer session

10:25-10:45 Break

Panel I: Socioeconomic Concerns and Regional Comparisons

10:45 Identity and Marginalization in Contemporary Appalachia, Mariah Jade Zimpfer (mjadez@gmail.com), University of Edinburgh

10:55 Appalachia and the Georgian Caucasus: Grounds for a Regional Comparison, Jasper Waugh-Quasebarth (jasper.waugh@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

11:05 A Future After Coal: Report on Elkhorn City's Post-Coal Transition Plan Implementation, Kaytlin Cox (kaytlin.cox@uky.edu) and Leslie Bentley (lsbe223@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

11:15 Binational Farming Families in the Appalachian South and Mexican Bajio, Mary Beth Schmid (mary.beth.schmid@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

11:25 Politics Below the Surface: A Political Ecology of Mineral Rights and Land Tenure in Appalachia and the Andes, Lindsay Shade (lindsay.shade@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

11:35 Question & Answer for panel

11:45-12:15 Poster Session

12:15-12:45 Lunch

Panel II: Health and Justice

12:45 Mountains of Health: Mountaintop Coal Removal and Health in Appalachia, 2000-2010 James Kent Pugh (jkpugh01@louisville.edu), University of Louisville

12:55 Analyzing School Health Statistics to Create a Metric for Action in Perry County: One Community's Response to Creating a Health, Rebecca Jones (rebecca_jones122@mymail.eku.edu), Eastern Kentucky University

1:05 Kentucky Justice: Practices that are not Justified, Bethany Nelson (bethany_nelson19@mymail.eku.edu), Eastern Kentucky University

1:15 Question & Answer for panel

1:25-1:40 Break

Panel III: Identity, Art, and Education in Appalachia

1:40 Queer as Folk Art: Cutting Into Kentucky Mountain Manhood, Mark Snyder (m1084620@moreheadstate.edu), Morehead State University

1:50 GLBTQ Organizing and Scholarship in Appalachia: A Review of Case Studies and Literature, Tammy Clemmons (tammy.clemons@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

2:00 Proceed with Caution: Lessons in Neoliberalism from Appalachian Reality TV Mother June Shannon, Rachel Brown (rachael.brown@uky.edu), University of Kentucky

2:10 21st Century Learning & Web 2.0, Amber Hall (amnichall@gmail.com), Morehead State University

2:20 The Haldeman After-School Program: A Model for Community Service, Andrew Kuchenbrod (arkuchenbrod@moreheadstate.edu), Joseph Rivers (josephtrivers@yahoo.com), and Sarah Shepherd (seshepherd2@moreheadstate.edu), Morehead State University

2:30 Question & Answer for panel

2:45-3:00 Break

3:00-3:50 Keynote Address by Amanda Fickey followed by Question & Answer session

3:50-4 Closing of the conference