

## Leisure Culture in 19th Century America (Boston U, 7.-8.2.02)

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CALL FOR PAPERS "Getting Away: Country Houses, Resorts, Travel, and Leisure Culture in Nineteenth-Century America"

Location: Massachusetts, United States

Call for Papers Deadline: 2001-10-15

"Getting Away: Country Houses, Resorts, Travel, and Leisure Culture in Nineteenth-Century America"

5TH Annual Graduate Student Conference February 7 & 8, 2002

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How did Americans embrace cultures of leisure in nineteenth-century America? This conference will explore the multiple ways Americans experienced - and recorded their experiences of - traveling, playing, and otherwise escaping everyday routines. We welcome papers on a variety of topics ranging from travel writing to landscape design, photography to public amusements, romanticism to camp meetings, and foodways to consumer culture. We hope to draw scholars from a wide range of disciplines (including but not limited to literature, art history, history, theology, and material culture) in order to generate a lively interdisciplinary discussion.

Please send a 500-word abstract for a 20-minute paper along with your C.V. (including name, telephone number, e-mail address, mailing address, and academic affiliation) postmarked by October 15, 2001 to the address below. Successful panelists will be notified in early November. Completed papers will be due to the commentators by January 7, 2002. The conference will be held in Boston, Massachusetts.

This annual conference is designed to foster SPNEA's ongoing research on New England culture by encouraging emerging scholars to present original research.

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