EAPSU 2023 Conference
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Theme: Academic Freedom

Suggested paper topics include social justice, book banning, freedom of thought, current teaching shortage, moves to weaken public education. Individual papers, panel discussions, and roundtables are encouraged. Conference coordinators will also consider other ongoing scholarly activities within the discipline.

Please email 300-400 word proposals to Michael Downing (downing@kutztown.edu) prior to September 1, 2023.

CONFERENCE

Start: Friday, October 13 at 3:00 pm
End: Sunday, October 15 at 3:00 pm

All sessions in Academic Forum, Rooms 103, 202, 203

Tentative schedule:

Friday
Registration begins at Academic Forum at 3:00 pm
Welcome from coordinators 3:45
Afternoon sessions: 4-5:15 (accommodate 6 presenters)
Open mic poetry reading at Firefly? 6-7:30
Social/drinks/Tavern/Pub/Other 7:30-10

Saturday
Coffee, tea, doughnuts. Out of town people have priority on presentations.
Sessions: Two concurrent in AF 8-9:15; 9:30-10:45; 11:00-12:15 (accommodate 18 presenters)
Lunch in Georgian Room. Awards. 12:30-1:45
Executive board meeting after lunch Georgian Room 2:00-3:00
Afternoon sessions: two concurrent in AF 2-3:15; 3:30-4:45 (accommodate 12 presenters)
Dinner on your own 5-7
Keynote: Saturday evening. In-person. AF. 7-8:15

Sunday
Morning sessions 8-9:15; 9:30-10:45; 11:00-12:15
Conference end

Hotel
Hampton Inn Kutztown. The discounted rate is $125 per night. Please note that in order to get that rate, reservations must be booked one month in advance of the conference. After that, the rooms go back out to the general public and a person may not receive the discounted rate. We will share a direct link for reservations, once provided.