



2011

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Lancaster, PA — August 4th, 5th and 6th, 2011

**Please Register Now!**

**CONFERENCE OVERVIEW:** The SRCA is partnering with the Preservation Trades Network, the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, and the Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology to bring one of the largest gatherings of preservation and traditional trades people and enthusiasts in the world to Lancaster, Pennsylvania this August. The SRCA annual meetings and conference will coincide with the 15th annual International Preservation Trades Workshop (IPTW) on the campus of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, 750 E. King Street in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. This conference will bring together hundreds of the best preservation and traditional trades crafts people, as well as preservation architects, preservation consultants, building trades contractors and others from the US, Canada, Europe and beyond, who are interested in learning more about preservation and traditional trades techniques, tools, materials and practices. For those who work in the preservation and traditional building trades, this is a gathering of the "tribe." For others, it offers a unique opportunity to see some of the finest crafts people at work and learn more about how historic building preservation is accomplished in construction. Special thanks to Rudy Christian and Barry Loveland for organizing this conference.

The theme is "*Hands on Heritage: Trades, Knowledge, Community.*" More than 50 presentations and in-depth hands-on demonstrations will showcase the talents of some of the world's best preservation and traditional crafts people. Conference and workshop sessions are eligible for American Institute of Architects continuing education units. The SRCA will have two tents for demonstrations. We will also be installing a demonstration slate roof on a small bake oven building. Please come and help out!

**BRING YOUR SPOUSE OR PARTNER:** Why not extend your stay and bring the whole family? There are so many things to do in the Lancaster region including historic sites, museums, amusement parks, recreational facilities, parks, outlets, specialty shopping, Amish farms and other attractions. Start planning your summer vacation now at [www.padutchcountry.com](http://www.padutchcountry.com).

### SCHEDULE

#### THURSDAY AUGUST 4

8:00 AM - Registration for Conference  
7:30 AM - Venues open for set up  
7:30 AM – 5 PM: Exhibits  
9 AM: IPTW welcome and keynote  
10:30 AM: Workshop sessions 1  
12 noon: Lunch (Ticket required)  
1:30 PM: Workshop sessions 2  
3 PM: Break  
3:30 PM: Workshop sessions 3  
**5:30 PM: Slate Roofing Demonstration at Landis Valley Museum (slating the bake oven)**  
6:30 PM: Reception - LV Museum  
8:00 PM: Dinner on your own and Lancaster pub crawl

#### FRIDAY AUGUST 5

8 AM – 5 PM: Exhibits  
**9:00 – 10:30: SRCA Board Meeting**  
**10:30 – Noon: SRCA Member Meeting**  
**9:00 – 5 PM: Slate Roof Demonstrations**  
8:30 AM: Workshop sessions 4  
10 AM: Break  
10:30 AM: Workshop sessions 5  
12 noon: Lunch (Ticket required)  
1:30 PM: Workshop sessions 6  
3 PM: Break  
3:30 PM: Workshop sessions 7  
6:30 PM: Dinner, Awards and Auction (registration required)

#### SATURDAY AUGUST 6

Community Day (free public admission)  
8 AM – 1 PM: Exhibits  
8:30 AM – noon: Community Day demonstrations and children's activities  
**9:00 AM – Slate Roof Demonstrations**  
8:30 AM: Workshop sessions 8  
10 AM: Break  
10:30 AM: Workshop sessions 9  
12 noon: Lunch (Ticket required)  
1:00 PM: PTN annual meeting  
2 PM – 5 PM: Tear down of venues

### LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA

Lancaster is the oldest inland city in the United States, and served as the capital city of Pennsylvania from 1799 until 1813, until it was replaced by Harrisburg. In 1709, the town was known as "Hickory Town." Later, a prominent citizen named John Wright gave "Hickory Town" the name "Lancaster" after Lancaster, England where he used to live. The City of Lancaster is known as the "Red Rose City" because of its link to Lancaster, England. The city became a borough in 1742, a chartered city in 1818, and surrendered its ancient city charter and became a Third Class City under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania May 27, in 1924.

A relatively small city of 7 square miles and 56,000 residents, Lancaster is located within driving distance of Washington DC, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Delaware beaches and the Jersey shore. Lancaster is a place where historic preservation and a cutting-edge arts scene live and thrive side by side; a city of neighborhoods that are safe and welcoming; a city that values the cultural, ethnic, and diverse lifestyles of residents.

### THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

The Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology offers associate degrees and certificates in technical education programs to academically qualified residents of Pennsylvania. A residential college originally founded to benefit the State's indigent orphans, it serves economically disadvantaged as well as tuition-paying students. Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology dedicates itself to the development of Pennsylvania's technical workforce.

The Preservation Trades Technology Program at Thaddeus Stevens College is directed toward those individuals entering or already employed in the building trades who seek the specialized skills in traditional and preservation trades needed to prepare them for this growing segment of the construction industry. Industry surveys of the Lancaster area have indicated not only a demand for a workforce well trained in these preservation skills, but also that historic building owners recognize the value of proper training and experience in having a successful preservation project.

### KEYNOTE: DONOVAN RYPKEMA

#### HISTORIC PRESERVATION AND ECONOMICS – RECENT LESSONS

*Principal, PlaceEconomics, Washington, DC*

Research on the economic impact of historic preservation continues to demonstrate its effective role not only in job creation, but also in additional areas of importance to "sustainable development." This session will identify recent current findings in the historic preservation/economic development nexus and particularly note the important role of those working in the preservation trades. Donovan D. Rypkema is principal of PlaceEconomics, a Washington, D.C.-based real estate and economic development consulting firm. The firm specializes in services to public and non-profit sector clients who are dealing with downtown and neighborhood commercial district revitalization and the reuse of historic structures. He is the author of numerous articles and publications as well as a book, *The Economics of Historic Preservation: A Community Leader's Guide*, that has been translated into Russian and Korean. Rypkema holds a Master of Science degree in Historic Preservation from Columbia University. He also teaches a course on the economics of historic preservation at the University of PA where he received the 2008 G. Holmes Perkins Award for Distinguished Teaching.

**CONFERENCE ACCOMMODATIONS — Reserve Your Rooms Now!**

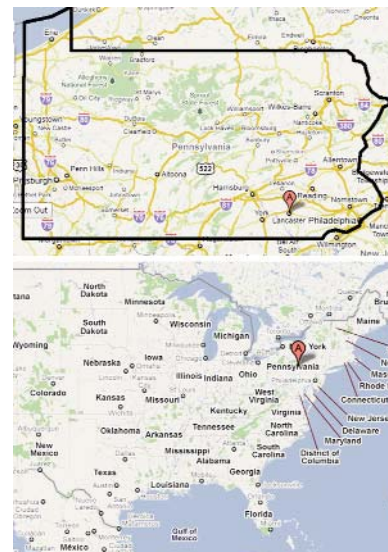
- **Courtyard by Marriott Lancaster**, 1931 Hospitality Dr., Lancaster, PA 17601, 717-393-3600, \$139/night plus tax, Hot Breakfast buffet available (reduced rate vouchers provided for \$5.95), Business center, indoor pool and spa, fitness center, guest laundry; bar/lounge in lobby. Courtyard Café restaurant on premises. Free shuttle to Lancaster Airport (and Harrisburg Airport with some prior arrangement) and free shuttle to Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology. Interior corridors, elevator. Room block code: PTNC.
- **Hampton Inn Lancaster**, 545 Greenfield Road, Lancaster, PA 17601; 717-299-1200; 75 room block (15 on Aug. 1, 2 and 6); \$134/night plus tax. Free hot and continental breakfast. Business center, outdoor pool, fitness center, guest laundry. Interior corridors, elevator. Room block code: IPTW.
- **Cork Factory Hotel**, 480 New Holland Ave., Suite 3000, Lancaster, PA 17602; 717-735-2075, \$119/night plus tax; Member of Historic Hotels of America; Free continental breakfast; Cork and Cap Restaurant and Bar on premises; walking distance to Lancaster Brewing; Company Microbrewery/bar/restaurant; Business center, fitness center; Interior corridors, elevator.
- **Hawthorn Suites Lancaster**, 2045 Lincoln Hwy E, Lancaster, PA 17602; 717-290-7100; \$99/night plus tax; Free hot and continental breakfast; Business center, laundry, fitness center; Interior corridors, elevator.
- **Days Inn and Suites Lancaster**, 1492 Lititz Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601; 866-382-0449, 717-293-8400, \$84/night + tax; Free continental breakfast; Business center, outdoor pool, fitness center, laundry; Rooms renovated 2007/08; 2 story, exterior entry, no elevator; Room block code: Preservation Trades Network.

**CAMPING OPTIONS:**

- **Visit the Lancaster County Tourism Site** ([padutchcountry.com/lodging/lancaster-campgrounds.asp](http://padutchcountry.com/lodging/lancaster-campgrounds.asp)) for listings of all campgrounds in the Lancaster region. Closest campgrounds to Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology are:
- **Old Mill Stream Campground** — Perfectly peaceful! Nestled along a quiet stream on 15 acres, Old Mill Stream Campground combines the modern amenities of great campground with convenient location close to the area attractions of Pennsylvania Dutch Country. 4.3 miles from the college; (717) 299-2314; [oldmill-streamcampground.com/](mailto:oldmill-streamcampground.com/); E-mail: [CampingInfo@OldMillStreamCampground.com](mailto:CampingInfo@OldMillStreamCampground.com)
- **Circle M Campground** — A western-themed campground in the heart of Amish Country with a long list of nearby attractions and on-site amenities. 4.5 miles from the college; (717) 872-4651.
- **Beacon Hill Camping** — Quiet and relaxing campground for campers 16 years of age and older. Spectacular hilltop views. Walk to the Village of Intercourse. Pets allowed. 10.25 miles from the college; (717) 768-8775; E-mail: [beaconhillcamping@frontiernet.net](mailto:beaconhillcamping@frontiernet.net)

**AIRPORTS:** The nearest international airport is Harrisburg International Airport (MDT / KMDT), which is 26 miles from Lancaster. The Philadelphia International Airport (PHL / KPHL) is 57 miles away.

**PRESENTERS:** Please contact us ASAP if you would like to teach or display slate or tile roofing, metal flashing or copper work skills and knowledge in live demonstrations under a tent or in a Powerpoint presentation indoors. Call us at 814-786-7015, or email us at [mail@slateroofers.org](mailto:mail@slateroofers.org).



This is the bake oven we will be installing a slate roof on.

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NAME (PLEASE PRINT) <small>There is no conference registration charge for children.</small>	FULL CONFERENCE — MEMBER \$275.00 (Includes three lunches and the award dinner.)	FULL CONFERENCE — SPOUSE \$100.00 (Includes three lunches and the award dinner.)	AWARD DINNER ONLY \$30.00	TOTAL
Make additional copies of this form as needed. Keep a copy of the original for your records.	Grand Total (make checks payable to SRCA):			

**PHONE CONTACT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL CONTACT:** \_\_\_\_\_

The full conference fee includes three lunch tickets, Thursday reception, and the Friday awards dinner and auction. Your room accommodation and travel fees are not included in the registration payment. Please send checks by mail to: SRCA, 143 Forest Lane, Grove City, PA 16127 • Download additional registration forms at [slateroofers.org](http://slateroofers.org) • Ph: 814-786-7015 • Fax: 814-786-8209. Children are free.