



COSCA's 4th Annual Scottish Caucus Historic Rural Hill, North Carolina

April 17 - 19, 2015

Weekend Workshop Menu

All workshops FREE to COSCA Individual Members and \$10 for non members. [Join COSCA!](#)

Saturday April 18, 2015

8:00am - 11:30am: Introductory Scottish Genealogy Class - with a North Carolina Flair!

Join COSCA's Seanchaidh Dr. Bruce Durie and the staff of The Robinson Spangler Carolina Room of the Charlotte Mecklenburg Library and get started digging up your own past!

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11:30am - 1:00pm: Unlocking, Understanding and Perpetuating Scottish Family Legacy

Do not miss this extremely rare opportunity to hear the views and ask questions of Scotland's Lord Lyon King of Arms Dr. Joseph Morrow. Dr. Morrow will discuss his vision of where Scottish heraldry and clan tradition are and where they should be headed. Dr. Morrow will be joined by Lord Dunrossil, respectively the President and Chairman of the Society of Scottish Armigers, an association of Armigers whose mission is to promote an interest in, and a correct understanding of, Scottish heraldry - correct titles, coats of arms and more, and by Sir Malcolm MacGregor, Convenor of the Standing Council of Scottish Chiefs. This remarkable panel discussion will be hosted by COSCA's own Seanchaidh Dr. Bruce Durie, himself one of the foremost Scottish historical, genealogical and heraldic scholars in the world. [REGISTER NOW!](#)

1:30pm - 2:30pm: Exploring the History of Scottish Literature with Prof. Donna Heddle

Prof. Donna Heddle of the University of the Highlands & Islands will share some of her research and insights into the many literary traditions of the place we call Scotland today.

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2:30pm - 3:30pm: A Gaelic Afternoon with Dr. Michael Newton

Join leading Gaelic literature, music and history scholar Michael Newton for a Book Talk and Signing featuring Michael's newest book *The Naughty Little Book of Gaelic*. [REGISTER NOW!](#)



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8:30am – 9:30am: Small Clan Focus: Fundraising Readiness COSCA and fundraising consultant DonorPath will offer a great little workshop that focuses on the steps your Scottish Clan, Family or Society needs to take in order to be ready to effectively raise funds through membership growth, special events and programs and product sales. It's a different way to look at fundraising and we warrant it will be worth your time. Come join us! [REGISTER NOW!](#)

9:30am - 11:30am: Scottish Genealogy Master Class with Dr. Bruce Durie Learn advanced technique, resources, tricks, hacks and other extremely cool and useful stuff from the Master of genealogical masters, Dr. Bruce Durie. [REGISTER NOW!](#)

12:00pm – 1:30pm: Unlocking, Understanding and Perpetuating Scottish Family Legacy
This is an encore performance of this presentation by Lord Lyon, Lord Dunrossil and Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor. See Saturday Menu above for full description. [REGISTER NOW!](#)