

North Eastern Public Humanities Consortium Meeting 2023

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Call for Applicants

Meredith Linn and I invite doctoral students who are interested in public humanities to apply to participate in this year's meeting of the North Eastern Public Humanities Consortium (NEPH), taking place from April 20 to 22 at Bard Graduate Center and Columbia University. *If you are interested, please see the criteria below and apply by responding to this email message (catherine.whalen@bgc.bard.edu) by Friday, March 24th.* **

With us, you will represent Bard Graduate Center at this gathering of academic institutions in the northeastern U.S. invested in teaching and practicing public humanities. The consortium (NEPH) fosters public projects animated by humanistic inquiry in support of art, culture, history, and education for a more democratic society. Linking diverse institutions across the region (Bard Graduate Center, Brown, Columbia, Lehigh, Rutgers-Newark, Tufts, and Yale), the consortium provides opportunities for faculty, students, professionals, and community members to build partnerships and enhance the relationship between liberal arts and the public through public humanities practices such as historic preservation, oral history, public history, material culture, curation and exhibition, documentary work, digital humanities, public art, and cultural heritage. See the NEPH website for more information, <http://www.neph.org/>.

The meeting will include presentations by member institutions, panel discussions, break-out sessions, graduate student lightning talks, site visits, public humanities training workshops, and networking opportunities. Several meals are included. *As BGC delegates, participants are expected to attend all events.* For the full schedule, see <http://www.neph.org/conference/neph-spring-symposium-2023/>

***To apply, please submit a brief statement of interest along with a proposed topic for a lightning talk.* There are limited number of spots. Preference will be given to students with a demonstrated interest in public humanities. Selection will be made by a faculty committee.