

**International Society for Educational Biography**  
**35<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference April 19 – 21, 2018**  
**San Antonio, Texas USA**

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**ISEB Elected Officers**

President: Penny Craig, Ball State University (2017-2018)  
President-elect: Roy Tamashiro, Webster University (2017-2018)  
Secretary: Martha Tevis, University of Texas-Rio Grande Valley (2016-2019)

**ISEB Elected Executive Committee Members**  
**2015-2018**

Joan Smith, Dean Emeritus, University of Oklahoma, USA  
Robert Bérard, Mount St. Vincent University, Canada

**2016 - 2019**

Maria Laubach, University of Oklahoma, USA

**2017 – 2020**

Edward Janak, University of Toledo, USA  
Prairie Endres-Parnell, Tarleton State University, USA

**Appointed Executive Committee Members**

**Treasurer:** Lora Helvie-Mason, Tarleton State University, USA (2015-2018)  
***Vitae Scholasticae* Editor:** Lucy Bailey, Oklahoma State University, USA (2016 – present)  
**Webmaster:** Penny Craig, Ball State University, USA  
**Site Coordinator:** Martha Tevis, University of Texas-Rio Grande Valley

**Future Conferences Site Chairs (Appointed by Executive Committee):**

2019: April 11-13: San Antonio, Texas (USA) Site Coordinator: Martha Tevis  
2020: *To be determined*

**Conference Program Committee:**

Robert Bérard, Mount St. Vincent University, Canada  
Penny Craig, Ball State University, USA  
Prairie Endres-Parnell, Tarleton State University, USA  
Edward Janak, University of Toledo, USA  
Lora Helvie-Mason, Tarleton State University, USA  
Luigi Iannacci, Trent University, Canada  
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Joan Smith, University of Oklahoma, *Emerita*, USA  
Roy Tamashiro, Webster University, USA  
Martha Tevis, University of Texas-Rio Grande Valley, USA

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**2018 ISEB Conference Program<sup>[1]</sup>**

(NOTE: *This schedule is subject to change. See: <https://tinyurl.com/2018ISEB> )*

Thursday April 19	Minuet Room	Patio Room
12:00 - 5:00 PM	Registration	
12:45 - 1:00 PM	Welcome! President Penny Craig and President-elect Roy Tamashiro	

<b>1:00 - 2:10 PM</b> (70 minutes)	<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Martha Tevis</i></p> <p><b>Larry Prochner (University of Alberta)</b> An educational biography of kindergartner Grace Fulmer, 1868-1954</p> <p><b>Edward Janak (University of Toledo)</b> What a difference 50 years can make: The Messrs. Rockefeller and the Shift in the General Education Board's Philanthropic Work</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Prairie Endres-Parnell</i></p> <p><b>Lois Kamenitz (York University)</b> Stories from both sides of the desk: Women over fifty-five in university graduate programmes</p> <p><b>Thalia M. Mulvihill (Ball State University)</b> Educational Biographies of Universities: Reimagining Beneficence Through the Eyes of the Women</p>
<b>2:10 - 2:20 PM</b>	<i>Break</i>	
<b>2:20 - 3:35 PM</b> (75 minutes)	<p style="text-align: center;">PANEL SESSION</p> <p><b>Thalia M. Mulvihill (Chair), Rosalinda Ortiz, Jessica DuBois, and Emilee Mabrey (Ball State University)</b> Navigating the road through doctoral programs</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PANEL SESSION</p> <p><b>Prairie Endres-Parnell (Chair), Lora Helvie-Mason, Nathalie Jones, Paul Stafford (Tarleton State University)</b> Family identity and cultural influences: Truth, perception, and understanding self in familial narratives.</p>
<b>3:35 - 3:45 PM</b>	<i>Break</i>	
<b>3:45 - 5:00 PM</b> (75 minutes)	<p style="text-align: center;">ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS</p> <p><b>RT1: Favorite Readings in Educational Biography. Chair: Lucy Bailey</b></p> <p><b>RT2 Tips &amp; Best Practices in Writing Educational Biography. Chair: Thalia M. Mulvihill</b></p> <p><b><i>PRESIDENTIAL ROUNDTABLE</i></b> <b>RT3 Technology Applications &amp; Resources for Educational Biographers. Chair: Penny Craig</b></p>	
<b>5:00 - 5:45 PM</b>		<i>Executive Committee Meeting #1</i>

<b>Friday April 20</b>	<b>Minuet Room</b>	<b>Patio Room</b>
<b>8:30 AM – 4:00 PM</b>	<i>Registration</i>	
<b>9:00 - 10:10 AM</b> (70 minutes)	<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Penny Craig</i></p> <p><b>Gerald L. Gutek (Loyola University)</b> The Four Lives of Margaret Naumburg</p> <p><b>Joyce Kemuma (Dalarna University, Sweden)</b> Audacity of hope: Narratives of inclusivity and/or exclusivity of African teachers in Swedish schools</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Joan Smith</i></p> <p><b>Roy Tamashiro (Webster University)</b> Facing Atrocities, Traumas, and the Inhuman: Pilgrimage into Witness Consciousness</p> <p><b>Rebekah Miller-Levy (Tarleton State University)</b> The Battle in my Head and Heart: Situating Writing about Family in a Historical Writing Worldview</p>
<b>10:10 - 10:25 AM</b>	<i>Break</i>	
<b>10:25 - 11:45 AM</b> (80 minutes)	<p style="text-align: center;">Part 1: PAPER SESSION [30 minutes]</p> <p><b>Holly Lamb, Jim Gentry (Tarleton State University)</b> Influencing the Beliefs in Diversity with Preservice Teachers: The Story of EDUC 2300</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Part 1: PAPER SESSION [30 minutes]</p> <p><b>Rachel K. Turner, Eliel Hinojosa, Jr., (Texas A&amp;M University)</b> Selling biography: An analysis of the opportunity cost of teaching with biographies in World Cultures</p>

	<p>Part 2: MODIFIED PANEL [50 minutes]</p> <p><b>Cessna Winslow, James Gentry (Tarleton State University)</b> Exploring student stories, biography, and service learning</p>	<p>Part 2: WORKSHOP [50 minutes]</p> <p><b>Eliel Hinojosa, Jr., Rachel K. Turner, (Texas A&amp;M University)</b> What's your biogiraffe? Using biography World Cultures</p>
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<b>Friday April 20</b>	<b>Renaissance Room</b>	
<b>12:00 – 12:30 PM</b>	<i>Lunch</i>	
<b>12:30 – 1:15 PM</b>	<i>Presidential Address: Penny Craig</i> Whose story is it anyway? Ethnography, biography, and storytelling in the age of Instagram, Twitter, and SnapChat	
<b>1:15 – 2:00 PM</b>	<i>Business Meeting</i> (open to all members, students and guests)	

<b>Friday April 20</b>	<b>Minuet Room</b>	<b>Patio Room</b>
<b>2:10 – 3:20 PM</b> (70 minutes)	<p>INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Rosalinda Ortiz</i></p> <p><b>Raji Swaminathan (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)</b> Krishnamurti as a Teacher Educator: Learning from dialogues with teachers</p> <p><b>Jie Zhang (Trinity University)</b> Li Yu: A Seventeenth-Century "Mountain Man" from China</p>	<p>INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Maria Laubach</i></p> <p><b>Vivien Geneser (Texas A&amp;M University-San Antonio)</b> Illuminating Influential Women in Early Childhood</p> <p><b>Vanessa Garry (University of Missouri-St. Louis)</b> One African American Woman's Moxie: Integrating St. Louis' Suburbs in the Early 1960s</p>
<b>3:20 - 3:30 PM</b>	<i>Break</i>	
<b>3:30 – 4:40 PM</b> (70 minutes)	<p>INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Robert Berard</i></p> <p><b>Barbara A. Mebane (Ball State University)</b> The Sisterhood Is Alive and Well</p> <p><b>Melissa Brevetti (Langston University)</b> Understanding the Moral Experiences of Women Who Attended Parochial Schools in the 1950s and 1960s, and the Role of the Theory of Care, Which Shaped Their Families and Communities</p>	<p>INDIVIDUAL PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Pat Inman</i></p> <p><b>Penny Craig (Ball State University)</b> Following the Food Trail in the Writings of Laura Ingalls Wilder</p> <p><b>Eriona Jaupi (York University)</b> Storytelling in the music lesson</p>
<b>4:45 – 5:45 PM</b>		<i>Executive Committee Meeting #2</i>
	<b>Renaissance Room</b>	
<b>6:30 – 7:30 PM</b>	<i>Presidential Reception</i>	

<b>Saturday April 21</b>	<b>Minuet Room</b>	<b>Patio Room</b>
<b>8:00 – 9:00 AM</b>	<i>Continental Breakfast</i>	
<b>9:00 – 10:00 AM</b>	<b>Lucy Bailey (Editor) Vitae Scholasticae</b> Session,	
<b>10:00 – 11:10 AM</b> (70 minutes)	<p>INDIVIDUAL &amp; CO-AUTHORED PAPERS <i>Session Chair: Edward Janak</i></p> <p><b>Robert Nicholas Berard (Mount Saint Vincent University)</b> Frank Herbart Hayward (1872-1954): Religion, Morality, and the Humanist Approach to Citizenship Education"</p>	

**Lora Helvie-Mason, Alexandria Cooper  
(Tarleton State University)**

“Keep your hands on the wheel, son”: Family  
storytelling as a mechanism to instruct men of  
color about behavior around police officers.

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