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**DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM SYMPOSIUM TO EXAMINE  
REVOLUTIONARY WAR IN DETROIT SATURDAY, APRIL 25**

*Revolutionary Detroit: A Global Legacy* is a symposium developed by **Wayne State University** and the **Detroit Historical Society** designed to generate and present fresh local history scholarship and discussion. It takes place at the **Detroit Historical Museum** on **Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>** from **10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Admission – which includes lunch -- is \$20 for adults, \$15 for Society members, and \$10 for students. For more information and reservations, call **(313) 833-1801**, or go to [www.detroithistorical.org](http://www.detroithistorical.org).

The symposium will examine Detroit during the American War of Independence, concentrating on the town's unique role during the Revolution, and how the war determined social and political activity regionally and globally. Thirty-five researchers and writers will present a wide range of topics, from migration to slavery. The program is coordinated by **Asst. Professor Denver Brunsman** of the Department of History at WSU.

The luncheon keynote speaker is **Brian Leigh Dunnigan**, curator of maps at the **William L. Clements Library** at the **University of Michigan** and author of the books *A Picturesque Situation: Mackinac Before Photography 1615-1860* and *Frontier Metropolis: Picturing Early Detroit 1701-1838.*

The symposium is sponsored by the **Detroit Historical Society**; **CommunityEngagement@Wayne**, a program of the Irvin D. Reid Honors College at Wayne State University; the **Michigan Humanities Council**, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities; the **Louisa St. Clair Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution**; and the **John Paul Jones Society of the Children of the American Revolution**.

The Detroit Historical Museum, located at 5401 Woodward Ave. (NW corner of

Kirby) in Detroit's Cultural Center area, is open to the public Wednesday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday from Noon to 5 p.m. On Mondays and Tuesdays, the Museum is not open to the public but available for group tours by calling **(313) 833-7979**. Adult admission is \$6. Seniors (60+), college students with valid college ID, and youth ages 5-18 pay \$4. Admission for children ages four and under is free. Parking in the Museum's lot is \$4 at all times. Permanent exhibits include the famous *Streets of Old Detroit*; *Frontiers to Factories*; *The Motor City*; and *The Glancy Trains*. New exhibits include *Detroit's Classic TV Personalities*; *Hero or Villain? Metro Detroit's Legacy of Leadership*; *100 Years Ago*; and *Automotive Showplace*, spotlighting the Model T Centennial. For more information, call the Museum at **(313) 833-1805** or check out our website at [www.detroithistorical.org](http://www.detroithistorical.org).

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