

Featured Speaker

John Dougan is the chief administrator for the Records and Archives Division of the Office of the Secretary of State of Missouri. His leadership has led to the development of the award-winning Missouri State Archives and Missouri Digital Heritage websites, numerous innovations in the State Imaging Lab and State Records Center, growth of the onsite and online volunteer program, and ongoing work with a pilot electronic records archives. He is an advocate for free online access to genealogical records.



John became the Missouri State Archivist in 2008 and has been working since then to make available the treasure trove of records in our state. Prior to coming to Missouri, John worked for the Shelby County Archives in Memphis, Tennessee.

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Hidden Gems at the Missouri State Archives



Featuring John Dougan
Missouri State Archivist

- Plundering the Bounty of the Missouri State Archives
- All Hands on Deck: Using State Government Publications to Track Your Ancestor's Career
- X Marks the Spot: Researching Land Records at the Missouri State Archives
- Peg Legs, Rum, and Eye Patches: Reasons Your Ancestors Did Not Serve in the Civil War

Plus StLGS books and products for sale

Saturday, 27 June 2020

at

Maryland Heights Community Center
2300 McKelvey Road
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PROGRAM

Come along on a treasure hunt through the records at the Missouri State Archives!

1. **Plundering the Bounty of the Missouri State Archives**

Begin with an overview of the genealogical resources at the archives and then learn how to use the online databases and submit research requests.

2. **All Hands on Deck: Using State Government Publications to Track Your Ancestor's Career**

Using Missouri state school reports, professional registration lists, official manuals, and other publications, track details about your ancestor's career.

3. **X Marks the Spot: Researching Land Records at the Missouri State Archives**

Time to explore land grant records available from the French and Spanish era to U.S. land sales plus person to person land sales preserved in county deed records.

4. **Peg Legs, Rum, and Eye Patches: Reasons Your Ancestors Did Not Serve in the Civil War**

Discover available resources to determine why a service-eligible ancestor does not appear in military records.

For more detail, visit our website www.stlgs.org.



SCHEDULE

8:30 a.m.	Registration
9:00–10:00	Lecture No. 1
10:00–10:20	Break
10:20–11:20	Lecture No. 2
11:20–12:10	Lunch (included with registration)
12:10–1:10	Lecture No. 3
1:10–1:30	Break
1:30–2:30	Lecture No. 4

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LUNCH PREFERENCE

(PLEASE CHECK ONE, SANDWICH OR SALAD)

Roast Beef Ham Turkey Chef's Salad

Gluten Free Dairy Free

(Coffee/Tea/Water provided; feel free to bring your own snacks.)

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