



# RAILROAD HISTORY & ARCHIVAL RESEARCH

A Symposium

Wednesday  
12.3.2014  
8:30–4:30 PM

University of Nebraska-Lincoln  
Lied Commons  
12th & R Streets  
Lincoln, NE 68588

**8-8:30 a.m. COFFEE & CONVERSATION**

8:30-9 a.m. **Katherine Walter**  
Introductions & the impetus for the symposium

9-10 a.m. **William G. Thomas, III**  
*Understanding Railroad Funnel Points  
in 19th Century America: A Civil War  
Case Study*

10:05-11:05 a.m. **Shelton Stromquist**  
*Railroad Labor History: New Directions for  
Global & Comparative Archival Research*

11:05-12:15 p.m. **John P. Hankey**  
*Records by the Carload, Data by the Ton:  
The Scale & Scope of North American  
Railroad Resources*

**12:15- 1 p.m. LUNCH PROVIDED**

1-2 p.m. **Alison Hinderliter**  
*Presenting the New & Improved Guides  
to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy  
Railroad Records at the Newberry Library*

**2-2:15 p.m. BREAK**

2:15-3:30 p.m. Archives & Museums Panel

**Tom Mooney**, Nebraska State Historical Society, Moderator

**Nick Fry**, John W. Barringer III, National Railroad Library  
*Embracing the Crowd: What Happens  
When a Railroad Library Puts 22,000  
Images on Flickr*

**Patricia LaBounty**  
*The Union Pacific Museum: What This  
94 Year Old Corporate Museum Has  
to Offer*

**Andrew Bullen**  
*The Pullman State Historic Site: House  
History, Music & Digital Directions*

**3:30 p.m. CONCLUSION**

4-5 p.m. **Optional Exhibit**  
UNL Archives & Special Collections  
29 Love Library South

