

# CROSSING

A MULTI-DISCIPLINARY STUDENT CONFERENCE

# BORDERS

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## CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

### DAY 1 - Friday March 1

- Opening reception
- Keynote address by Sarah Capen, Executive Director of the Niagara Falls National Heritage Area

### DAY 2 - Saturday March 2

- Panel presentations and workshops with undergraduate and graduate students from Canada and the United States
- Luncheon for conference participants

## CALL FOR PAPERS

- Deadline for abstracts: **February 8, 2019**
- Abstracts should be 250 words or less
- Full papers due at conference
- For students who wish to be considered for the **Crossing Borders Best Paper Award**, submission of full paper is February 22, 2019
- Full papers should be 10-15 pages in length
- Abstract and contact information, including full name, university, level of study and program to be submitted to Dr. Shannon M. Risk, Associate Professor of History, Niagara University [srisk@niagara.edu](mailto:srisk@niagara.edu)

## SUGGESTED TOPICS FOR CONFERENCE INCLUDE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

- Canada and U.S. Trade and Business
- Canadian-American Relations
- Canada and U.S. Border Security
- Canada and U.S. Immigration Policies
- Cross Border Crime and Policing
- Comparative Elections
- Environment and Boundaries
- Indigenous Peoples
- Educational Policies
- Tourism and Transportation
- The Border in Art and/or Literature
- Canada and U.S. Energy Policies
- Popular Culture and Mass Media
- Communication and Cultural Policy
- Canadian-U.S. Literacy Studies
- History of Border Regions

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