

Announcing:
National Meeting
Tribal Museums and
Cultural Centers

held in conjunction with the
8th Annual NATHPO Meeting

to be held at the
Institute of American Indian Arts
Santa Fe, New Mexico
July 20-21, 2006

Co-Hosted by
NATHPO and The Makah Cultural
& Research Center (MCRC)



INSTITUTE OF AMERICAN INDIAN ARTS



The National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers
“Meeting of Tribal Museums & Cultural Centers”

May 5, 2006

On behalf of the board of directors of the National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers (NATHPO) and as the director of the Makah Cultural & Research Center (MCRC), I am honored to invite you to participate in a National Meeting of Tribal Museums and Cultural Centers (TMCCs). NATHPO and MCRC are working together to provide a two-day meeting to discuss a variety of cultural institution issues in Indian country. In order to keep your travel costs to a minimum, we will be meeting on the new campus of the Institute of American Indian Arts just outside Santa Fe, New Mexico. Based on our discussions of the TMCCs, the following agenda is proposed and will be completed upon additional feedback and contributions from the TMCCs:

- Wednesday, July 19, 2006: * Afternoon: Site visit to a nearby Tribal museum
* Evening event at IAIA Museum in downtown Santa Fe
- Thursday, July 20, 2006: * General Assembly with Keynote Address, Federal Funding Forum
* Afternoon - Training and breakout session on current issues
- Friday, July 21, 2006: * General Assembly to be followed by strategic planning session and next steps for the continued support and expansion of TMCCs

Lodging & Meeting Space: The Institute of American Indian Arts (IAIA) will be the site of this year’s meeting. IAIA is a congressionally-chartered tribal college that recently moved to a new campus that is located just outside the city of Santa Fe, New Mexico. IAIA has state-of-the-art facilities, including housing that is being offered at a very low rate. NATHPO has also secured a block of discounted rooms at the Camel Rock Suites, which is nearby and is a tribally-owned hotel. See attached page on lodging and transportation information.

The 8th Annual NATHPO Meeting will be held just prior to the TMCCs meeting. If you will be attending both meetings, please register for each (separate forms). In 2006, NATHPO has begun a two-year effort to stop illegal looting and trafficking of Native American remains and cultural properties. There is a separate registration procedure for the 8th Annual NATHPO Meeting that dovetails to the National Meeting of TMCCs. That meeting will occur on July 17-20, 2006.



Other panels and speakers will be announced as confirmed (please check the NATHPO website www.nathpo.org for regular Annual Meeting updates). We encourage you to take a moment and read through this year’s program and pre-register today. Thank you for all of your support over the years and we look forward to seeing you in New Mexico this summer.

Janine Bowechop, THPO and NATHPO Vice-Chairman,
and MCRC Director



**The National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers
Tribal Museums & Cultural Centers (TM/CCs)
 National Meeting -- July 20-21, 2006**

Meeting Registration Form

Name _____

Title _____

Tribe/Organization _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Email _____ Website _____

Meeting Registration Rates	Individual Registration
Pre-registration (postmarked by 6/20/06)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 75
On-site (after 7/7/06)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 100
Registration Amount:	\$ _____

Return completed form to:

**NATHPO
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 Washington, DC 20036-9189
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 Email: info@nathpo.org**

Category –	Please check which category <u>best</u> describes your work with Tribal Museums and/or Cultural Centers (TM/CC). If more than one category fits your situation, please number your answers in order of priority - 1 highest priority.
_____	Director of a museum and/or cultural center that is operated by Tribe(s), Alaska Natives or Native Hawaiians (includes stand-alone department of tribal government)
_____	Director of a non-profit organization (501c3) that is related to Tribe, Alaska Natives, or Native Hawaiians. May be independent or under tribal code/law – includes “7871”
_____	Director of a TM/CC tribal business enterprise
_____	Native Employee working for a non-Native museum
_____	Supporter (examples: retired, federal employee, work in related field, etc.)
_____	Other (please describe): _____ _____

Questions?

- * We will be posting regular updates to the Annual Meeting on our Web site www.nathpo.org
- * Please contact NATHPO by sending an email to [“info@nathpo.org”](mailto:info@nathpo.org)
- * Still have questions? Call NATHPO at (202) 628-8476.



The National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers

8th Annual NATHPO Meeting

"Tribal Historic Preservation: Protecting Cultural Resources"

Campus of the Institute of American Indian Arts

Santa Fe, New Mexico July 17-20, 2006

Lodging and Transportation Information

NATHPO has arranged for two lodging choices. You may choose to stay in the new student housing on the IAIA campus, or a room at the Camel Rock Suites, which is a nearby, tribally-owned hotel. See below for rates, lodging configurations and costs.

Note: Almost all meetings and presentations will occur on the IAIA campus.

IAIA Campus: How to Reserve a Room:

Dormitory rooms are configured into four-bed units. Each unit has two bedrooms with two twin beds (four people per unit) with a private bath and a common shared space. Please let IAIA know if there are people with whom you would like to share a unit. Four units have kitchens.

* For room reservations: Call (505) 424-2313, Ms. Vangie Redsteer, Economic Development Coordinator (fax 505 424 0900) email: vredsteer@iaia.edu or Mr. Chad Gasper at (505) 424-2310 and email: cgasper@iaia.edu

* Ask for "NATHPO" rate.

* Rate: \$25.00/night for single plus \$5 which is a one-time fee for key and linens.

* Cut off date for room reservations is June 26, 2006.

Camel Rock Suites: Reserving a Room at the Meeting Rate:

* Book online at <http://www.camelrocksuites.com> -- click on "Book Online Here" and enter "NATHPO" where it says "Group ID"

* Or call for room reservations: (505) 501-1846 for Ms. Cindy Lammers, Sales Director

* Ask for "NATHPO" rate.

* Rates: \$79.00/night+ tax for single; \$89.00/night + tax for double (includes breakfast)

* Cut off date Friday, June 15, 2006 (after which rate increases to \$119/night + tax).

**NATHPO strongly urges you to make your hotel room reservations
and purchase your airline ticket as soon as possible.**

Airports Serving Santa Fe Area:

- < Major Airport - Albuquerque, New Mexico (airport code: ABQ). The drive to Santa Fe from ABQ is estimated to be about 60 minutes.
- < Travelers can fly directly into Santa Fe (airport code: SFE), but it will be much more expensive than ABQ and you will have far fewer flight choices. The drive from Santa Fe airport to IAIA is about 15 minutes.

Travel Tips:

- < Weather is in the 80s - 90s during the day and in the 50s - 60s at night.
- < Don't forget sunglasses and a hat!
- < We recommend you bring comfortable shoes, as well as a light jacket for the evenings.
- < Be prepared for rain in the afternoons.
- < Federal Rates: Lodging \$85. Per diem \$59

Links to General Information about IAIA and Map of IAIA Campus:

<http://www.iaia.edu/>

<http://www.iaia.edu/map.php>



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Meeting-at-a-Glance (subject to change)

NATHPO = NATHPO 8th Annual Meeting

TMCCs = Tribal Museums and Cultural Centers

Week of July 17-21, 2006

	Sun (7/16)	Monday (7/17)	Tues (7/18)	Wed (7/19)	Thurs (7/20)	Friday (7/21)	Sat (7/22)
Morning		Two Training Choices on: 1. ARPA 2. NAGPRA	NATHPO: General assembly – Welcome and Keynote Speeches	NATHPO: General assembly Keynote Speeches and Presentations	NATHPO: All-day site visit <i>TMCCs: General assembly</i>	<i>TMCCs: General assembly and strategic planning and next steps</i>	check out
Lunch							
Afternoon	Check-in and Registration	Repeat of morning training: Two Training Choices on: 1. ARPA 2. NAGPRA	NATHPO: 3 Breakout choices	NATHPO: * 2 Breakout choices <i>TMCCs: Site visit to nearby tribal museum</i>	<i>TMCCs: Training and/or two breakout sessions</i>	<i>TMCCs: Strategic planning and next steps, continued</i>	
Evening				Event in downtown Santa Fe			

As of May 8, 2006