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### **National Register news**

The William and Ann Copeland, Jr., House, located in the vicinity of the small town of Shiloh, Harris County, was listed in the National Register on December 4, 2008. William Copeland, Jr. built the house around 1856. Copeland was a prominent cotton planter who owned or leased as many as 74 slaves in 1860. The William and Ann Copeland, Jr., House is significant in the area of architecture on the state level as a good and rare intact example of a mid-19th-century Plantation Plain-type house with elements of the Greek Revival style. For more information and to see a photo, visit our Web site at <http://www.gashpo.org/content/displaycontent.asp?txtDocument=375>

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### **National Preservation Conference session proposal deadline**

“Creating the Future in Harmony With Our Pasts” is the theme of the National Preservation Conference in Nashville, Tennessee, October 13-17, 2009. The National Trust is still soliciting proposals for educational sessions; the deadline for submissions is January 16, 2009. Online submission is available at <http://www.preservationnation.org/conference>.

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### **NTHP now accepting nominations for 2009 National Preservation Awards**

Each year the National Trust for Historic Preservation celebrates the best of preservation by presenting National Preservation Awards to individuals and organizations whose contributions demonstrate excellence in historic preservation. They invite you to nominate a deserving individual, organization,

agency, or project for a National Preservation Award. The postmark deadline for all award nominations, including the Louise du Pont Crowninshield Award, Trustees' Award, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Award, National Trust/HUD Secretary's Award, and National Preservation Honor Awards, is March 2, 2009. Those nominations not selected to receive a Trustees', ACHP, or HUD Award will automatically be considered for an Honor Award.

Go to <http://www.preservationnation.org/take-action/awards/> to download the 2009 Nomination brochure and view video highlights of last years award winners. The nomination form can be completed electronically but must be submitted by mail. If you have questions or need additional information about the awards or the nomination process, please call Heather Johnson at 202.588.6315 or e-mail [awards@nthp.org](mailto:awards@nthp.org).

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### **2009 Georgia Women of Achievement Inductees announced**

Georgia Women of Achievement is a statewide women's historical organization dedicated to educating students of all ages about the contribution of Georgia's women throughout our state's great history. In honor of Women's History Month the induction ceremony will be held at Historic Wesleyan College March 12, 2009.

This year's inductees are:

Caroline Pafford Miller (1903 – 1992) Georgia's First Pulitzer Prize Winner for Literature in 1934 for *Lamb in His Bosom*.

Harriet Powers (1837 – 1910) Born a slave near Athens, Georgia who could not read or write Harriet Powers created 'story quilts' which recorded life and events in the 19th century American South. One quilt hangs in the American History Museum of the Smithsonian and another that hangs in the Museum of Fine Art in Boston.

Jane Hurt Yarn (1924 – 1995) Georgia Conservationist/Environmentalist - Jane Yarn founded SAVE (Save our Vital Environment) the first full time environmental lobbying organization in the State of Georgia and the Nature Conservancy of Georgia. Mrs. Yarn was appointed by President Carter to serve as a member of the White House's Council for Environmental Quality.

For more information, visit their Web site at [www.georgiawomen.org](http://www.georgiawomen.org)

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## **Heritage Documentation Programs summer employment**

Heritage Documentation Programs seeks applications from qualified individuals for summer employment documenting historic sites and structures of architectural, landscape and technological significance throughout the country. Duties involve on-site fieldwork and preparation of measured and interpretive drawings and written historical reports for the HABS/HAER/HALS Collections at the Prints and Photographs Division of the Library of Congress. Projects last 12 weeks, beginning in late May or early June. Salaries range from approximately \$6,000 to approximately \$11,000 for the summer, depending on job responsibility, locality of the project, and level of experience. Summer 2009 applications must be postmarked by February 1, 2009.

<http://www.nps.gov/history/hdp/jobs/summer.htm>

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## **HAER Maritime Documentation Internship**

The Historic American Engineering Record (HAER) and the Council of American Maritime Museums (CAMP) are pleased to announce the HAER Maritime Documentation Internship. The internship permits a student of architecture, engineering, or history, interested in maritime preservation, to work as a summer intern on a HAER maritime documentation project in conjunction with the HABS/HAER/HALS Summer Program. Summer 2009 applications must be postmarked by February 1, 2009.

<http://www.nps.gov/history/hdp/jobs/maritime.htm>

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## **Positions available in Georgia**

The City of Canton is accepting applications for a Main Street Program Manager to perform the following functions: to organize and manage the City of Canton's participation in the Main Street program, a Georgia Department of Community Affairs affiliation. Interested candidates should send a resume with salary requirements by January 15 to: City of Canton, 151 Elizabeth Street, Canton, Georgia 30114, Attention: Trish Fowler. For details, visit

<http://www.glga.org/Detail.aspx?CNID=34268>

The City of Decatur, located 4 miles outside Atlanta, is seeking proposals to conduct a citywide historic resource survey. The deadline for proposals is January 30, 2009. For further information contact Regina Brewer at [regina.brewer@decaturga.com](mailto:regina.brewer@decaturga.com). Decatur's Web site is at [www.decaturga.com](http://www.decaturga.com)

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## **Preservation events calendar**

Check the Events Calendar at [www.gashpo.org](http://www.gashpo.org) for complete listings by date.

*Please note that items on the "Preservation Events Calendar" are events and meetings of interest to preservationists. It is not to be used for the detailed scheduling of meetings with HPD staff without contacting those individuals.*

Submit your listings to: [helen.talley-mcrae@dnr.state.ga.us](mailto:helen.talley-mcrae@dnr.state.ga.us).

### This week's new listings -

January 22 – Cobb Landmarks and Historical Society's 2009 Annual Meeting – Marietta – [www.cobblandmarks.com](http://www.cobblandmarks.com)

February 5-6 – Historic Tax Credits for Developers Conference – Miami Beach – [www.ipedinc.net](http://www.ipedinc.net)

February 19-20 – Southern Garden Heritage Conference – Athens – contact 706-542-1244 or [garden@uga.edu](mailto:garden@uga.edu)

February 26 – DeKalb History Center's 2nd Annual Black History Month Celebration: "A Salute to Civil Rights Leaders" - Decatur - contact Melissa Forgey at [director@dekalbhistory.org](mailto:director@dekalbhistory.org) or 404-373-1088, ext 22; [www.dekalbhistory.org](http://www.dekalbhistory.org)

March 1-4 – National Main Streets Conference – Chicago – [www.mainstreet.org](http://www.mainstreet.org)

March 11-15 – National Housing and Rehabilitation Association Affordable Housing Developers Conference and Annual Meeting – Key Largo, FL – [www.housingonline.com/events.aspx](http://www.housingonline.com/events.aspx)

March 12-14 – Traditional Building Exhibition and Conference – Boston – [www.traditional-building.com](http://www.traditional-building.com)

March 26-29 – Conference of the Organization of American Historians – Seattle – [www.oah.org/meetings/2009/](http://www.oah.org/meetings/2009/)

May 15-17 - Georgia Trust Annual Meeting and Spring Ramble - Augusta - 404-885-7812 - [www.georgiatrust.org/whatsnew/calendarevents.htm](http://www.georgiatrust.org/whatsnew/calendarevents.htm)

### National and state conferences and meetings (listed in previous newsletters)-

January 10 - Georgia Chapter of the Trail of Tears Association membership meeting - Waleska - 770-704-6338 - [www.gatrailoftears.org](http://www.gatrailoftears.org)

January 10-17 - Preservation Leadership Training (PLT) - National Trust - Birmingham, AL - <http://www.PreservationNation.org/plt> or contact Alison Hinchman at 202-588-6067 or [plt@nthp.org](mailto:plt@nthp.org)

January 22-24 - 8<sup>th</sup> annual New Partners for Smart Growth conference – Albuquerque – [www.newpartners.org](http://www.newpartners.org)

January 30 – National Register Review Board meeting – Atlanta - <http://www.gashpo.org/content/displaynavigation.asp?TopCategory=177>

February 3-14 - Georgia Days in commemoration of the 276th anniversary of the founding of the Georgia colony - Georgia Historical Society - statewide events - <http://georgiahistory.com/stories/79>

February 9-10 – UGA School of Environmental Design Career Fair – Athens - contact Audra Lofton at [alofton@uga.edu](mailto:alofton@uga.edu)

February 19-21- 6th biennial Savannah Symposium: World Heritage and National Registers in Perspective - Savannah College of Art and Design - Savannah - <http://www.scad.edu/architectural-history/dept/events/symposiums.cfm>

March 8-11 - 2009 NCSHPO Annual Meeting and Historic Preservation Advocacy Day - Washington DC - <http://www.ncshpo.org> - or contact Giselle Rahn at 202-588-6167

March 11-15 – 12<sup>th</sup> US/ICOMOS International Symposium: Preservation in Peril – New Orleans – [www.usicomos.org](http://www.usicomos.org)

March 12 - Georgia Women of Achievement Annual Induction Ceremony with guest speaker author Mary Kay Andrews - Wesleyan College, Macon - [www.georgiawomen.org](http://www.georgiawomen.org)

March 19-21 – 6<sup>th</sup> National Forum on Historic Preservation Practice: A Critical Look at Sustainability and Historic Preservation – Baltimore, MD – [www.goucher.edu/forum2009](http://www.goucher.edu/forum2009)

March 26-27 - 2009 Landmark and Preservation Conference - South Carolina SHPO - Columbia - <http://shpo.sc.gov/conf>

April 8-11 - The Popular Culture Association and American Culture Association annual conference - New Orleans - contact - <http://www.pcaaca.org/conference/national.php>

April 22 -26 - Society for American Archaeology (SAA) 74th Annual Meeting - Atlanta - [www.saa.org](http://www.saa.org)

May 5 – Preservation 101: A Georgia Orientation – Historic Preservation Division – Atlanta or Decatur -

<http://www.gashpo.org/content/displaycontent.asp?txtDocument=414>

May 29-June 7 – Victorian Society in America's 29<sup>th</sup> annual American Summer School – Newport, RI – [www.victoriansociety.org](http://www.victoriansociety.org)

June 10-13 - Vernacular Architecture Forum Annual Meeting - Butte, Montana - [www.vafweb.org](http://www.vafweb.org)

August 23-26 - National Scenic Byways 2009 conference: Elevate Your Expertise - Denver, CO - [www.bywaysresourcecenter.org](http://www.bywaysresourcecenter.org) or [center@byways.org](mailto:center@byways.org)

August 26-29 - 2009 AASLH (American Association for State and Local History) Annual Meeting - Indianapolis, IN - <http://www.aaslh.org/2009-annual-meeting.htm>

October 13-17 - 2009 National Preservation Conference - Nashville, TN - <http://www.preservationnation.org/resources/training/npc/>

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