Interpreting LGBT History at Museums and Historic Sites

A Women's History Month Event at the **Evanston History Center**225 Greenwood Street, Evanston, Illinois
Thursday, March 26th at 7 p.m.



Building from her recently published book, *Interpreting LGBT History at Museums and Historic Sites*, author Susan Ferentinos will discuss the ways historians approach the study of same-sex relationships; the challenges to uncovering this past; and the efforts of museums, historic sites, and community groups to preserve this history and present it to the wider public. This event is designed not only for those connected to a museum or site, but for anyone who is concerned with issues of inclusion and diversity in our interpretation of the past.

Susan Ferentinos is a public history researcher, writer, and consultant based in Bloomington, Indiana, where she specializes in historical project management and the use of the past to create community. Dr. Ferentinos holds a Ph.D. in U.S. history with a focus on the history of gender and sexuality and a Master of Library Science with a concentration in special collections.

The talk will take place Thursday, March 26, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. (6:30 reception) at the Evanston History Center, 225 Greenwood Street, Evanston, Illinois. The cost is \$10; free for Evanston History Center and NCWHS members. Reservations are encouraged.

For more information about the event, visit <u>www.evanstonwomen.org</u> To make a reservation, please contact the Evanston History Center at (847) 475-3410 or email membership@ncwhs.org.

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