

BrANCH

British American Nineteenth Century Historians



Joint BrANCH/HOTCUS Conference

University of Reading
5-7 September 2014

PLENARY SPEAKERS:

Leslie Butler (Dartmouth College)
Sarah T. Phillips (Boston University)

In order to foster links between nineteenth- and twentieth-century United States historians, the 2014 annual conferences of BrANCH and HOTCUS will be held jointly at the University of Reading. Papers are invited on all topics concerning the history of the U.S. from 1789 to the present. Individual or panel proposals are welcome (panels should have no more than three presenters in total). The organisers are also keen to encourage papers and panels that bridge the gap between nineteenth- and twentieth-century history in imaginative and innovative ways. Topics for papers or panels might include:

- Race and racism
- Gender and sexuality
- Warfare
- Citizenship
- Capitalism and economics
- Religion
- Domesticity and the home
- Environmental history
- Cultural and intellectual history
- The medical humanities
- International and transnational history
- Historiography and memory

Please send a brief CV and a summary of the proposed paper or panel of no more than 300 words per paper by **30 April 2014** to **BOTH** the conference organizer, Emily West, and the HOTCUS Events Secretary, Nick Witham:

- Emily West (e.r.west@reading.ac.uk)
- Nick Witham (nick.witham@canterbury.ac.uk)

Further information on membership and forthcoming events can be found at the BrANCH and HOTCUS websites: www.br-anch.org and www.hotcus.org.uk

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