



1763 and the Americas:
Ramifications, Repercussions, Perspectives
*A Public Symposium Marking the Opening of the
Old State House Museum Exhibit*
1763: A REVOLUTIONARY PEACE



Co-Presented by the
1763 Peace of Paris Commemoration *and the*
John Carter Brown Library at Brown University

Thursday, 6 June 2013

MacMillan Reading Room, John Carter Brown Library at Brown University

5:30 “1763 and the Re-evaluation of Empire: The View from Britain” book talk by Jack P. Greene (Johns Hopkins University *emeritus*) drawing on Prof. Greene’s new book *Evaluating Empire and Confronting Colonialism in Eighteenth-Century Britain* (Cambridge University Press, 2013). Eliga H. Gould (University of NH) moderates. Reception and book signing to follow.

Friday, 7 June

Faneuil Hall, Boston

2:00-2:15 Greetings and Opening Remarks

2:15-3:45 New England in the Age of Global War, 1739-63,” roundtable featuring William A. Pencak (Penn State University), B.A. Balcom (Parks Canada, Fortress of Louisbourg National Historic Site (ret.)), and Donald C. Carleton, Jr. (1763 exhibition curator). Eliga H. Gould (University of NH) moderates.

4:00-5:30 “Debating the Seven Years War and the Coming of the Revolution,” roundtable featuring Fred Anderson (University of Colorado, Boulder), Pauline R. Maier (MIT School of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences), and Jack P. Greene (Johns Hopkins University, *emeritus*). Paul W. Mapp (William and Mary) moderates. *Professor Maier is unfortunately unable to attend, and has submitted her remarks in writing.*

Saturday, 8 June

MacMillan Reading Room, John Carter Brown Library at Brown University

10:00-12:00 “Nos Amis les Ennemis’: Intercolonial and Intercultural Relations before, during, and after an Epoch of Global War.” Two part roundtable featuring, in the first part, Charles-Philippe Courtois (Royal Military College of Saint-Jean), Bertie Mandelblatt (New College, University of Toronto), Thomas Truxes (NYU); and in the second, B.A. Balcom (Parks Canada, Fortress of Louisbourg National Historic Site (ret.)), James Eric Francis, Sr. (Penobscot Indian Nation), and Matt J. Schumann (Eastern Michigan University). Fred Anderson (University of Colorado, Boulder) moderates.

Saturday, 8 June (continued)

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Noon-2:00 Break for Lunch

2:00-3:30 “Looking Back, Looking Forward: the Past, Present, and Future of North America’s Political Geography through the Lens of 1763,” roundtable featuring Fred Anderson (University of Colorado, Boulder), Charles-Philippe Courtois (Royal Military College of Saint-Jean), Bertie Mandelblatt (New College, University of Toronto), and Paul W. Mapp (William & Mary).

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