

Call for Papers and Session Proposals

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Virginia Humanities Conference

April 5-6, 2002
at Christopher Newport University

Explorations: Crossing Boundaries, Discovering New Frontiers

Possible topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Physical and Cognitive Mapping
- Boundaries of Time, Space, and Thought
- Personal / Individual Boundaries
- Social, National, and Cultural Boundaries
- The Experience on the "Line"
- Anticipating What Lies Ahead
- Explorations Then and Now
- Pushing the Limits: Man vs. Nature
- Cultural Encounters and Exchanges
- Wonder and Awe
- The New and the Old
- Worlds Beyond and Worlds Within
- Expanded / Retracted Boundaries
- Limits of Knowledge and Experience
- Self-discovery / Self-recovery / Self-annihilation

Papers, panels, and performances are invited from a full range of the humanities--art, music, theatre, literature, history, philosophy, and religion--as well as from the social and natural sciences and mathematics.

Graduate and undergraduate student papers are also welcome.

Presentations should be 20 minutes long. Presenters are invited to share copies of their papers/presentations with conference participants through the published Proceedings of the conference.

Participants may submit proposals for papers, panels, and performances in the form of one-to-two page abstracts to Jean S. Filetti, President, Virginia Humanities Conference, Christopher Newport University, English Department, One University Place, Newport News, Virginia 23606

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Keynote Speaker

William Kelso, Director of Archaeology, Jamestown Rediscovery Team

Deadlines

November 15, 2001 FOR ABSTRACTS