## BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

A proclamation.

Whereas, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, a proclamation was issued by the President of the United States, containing, among other things, the following, to wit:

"That on the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, all persons held as slaves within any State or designated part of a State, the people whereof shall then be in rebellion against the United States, shall be then, thenceforward, and forever, free; and the Executive government of the United States, including the military and naval authority thereof, will recognize and maintain the freedom of such persons, and will do no act or acts to repress such persons, or any of them, in any efforts they may make for their actual freedom.

"That the Excentive will, on the first day of January aforesaid, by proclamation, designate the States and parts of States, if any, in which the people thereof, respectively, shall then be in robolice against the United States, and the fast that any State, or the people thereof, shall on that day be in good faith represented in the Congress of the United States, by members chosen thereto at elections wherein a majority of the qualified voters of such State shall have participated, shall, in the absence of strong countervailing testimony, be deemed conclusive evidence that such State, and the people thereof, are not then in rebellion against the United States."

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all parsons hold as slave- within and designated States and parts of States are and henceforward shall be free; and that the Executive government of the United States, including the military and naval authorities thereof, will recognize and maintain the freedom of said persons.

And I hereby enjoin upon the people so declared to be free to abstain from all violence, unless in necessary self-defence; and I recommend to them that, in all cases when allowed, they labor faithfully for reasonable wages.

And I further declare and make known that such persons, of suitable condition, will be received into the armed service of the United States, to garrison forts, positions, stations, and other places, and to man vessels of all sorts in said service.

And upon this act, sincerely believed to be an act of justice warranted by the Constitution upon military necessity, I invoke the considerate judgment of mankind and the gracious favor of Almighty God.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the CITY OF WASHINGTON this first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the eighty-seventh.

By the President :

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Secretary of State.

A true copy, with the antograph signatures of the President and the Secretary of State.

# AT A GLANCE

## WHO WE ARE

Founded in 1994 by philanthropists Richard Gilder and Lewis E. Lehrman, the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History is the nation's leading nonprofit purveyor of K–12 teacher training and classroom resources; our programs promote excellence in the teaching and learning of American history.

## WHAT WE DO

Gilder Lehrman changes lives by working with K–12 teachers, schools, and students to improve American history education and equip students with the skills and knowledge they need to succeed in college, careers, and the global marketplace. Our programs span public, private, charter, and independent schools and reach students of all backgrounds to help close the achievement gap. In the course of nearly twenty years, we have worked with more than 20,000 teachers serving hundreds of thousands of students.

## WHY WE DO IT

Knowledge and understanding of American history are the basis of intellectual inquiry, engaged citizenship, and national pride.

The examination of primary source historical documents is fundamental, not only to bring history to life, but also to teach important literacy and critical-thinking skills that are essential to success in college and careers.

## How WE DO IT

To achieve success, the Institute draws on its unparalleled access to top American history scholars; the Gilder Lehrman Collection—a unique treasury of more than 60,000 original historical documents; and a national network of schools and teachers. We create and provide a broad range of innovative resources that help new generations of students learn about American history in a way that is engaging and memorable, and promotes lifelong skills. Four operational components include:

**Professional Development:** We connect leading historians with teachers to enhance classroom performance and improve student achievement.

School Programs: Our Affiliate School network and Saturday Academies provide students with rich academic and intellectual development opportunities.

**Resources:** Our unique materials and original documents provide students and teachers with firsthand exposure to American history.

Awards: Through a series of grants and nationally recognized awards, we celebrate and promote excellence.

## HOW WE ARE SUPPORTED

The Institute is a public charity that annually raises its \$7 million operating budget from sources that include foundation, corporate, and individual donations; government grants support approximately 7 percent of the budget.

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Henry Knox, Certification of Romeo Smith's status as a freeman, January 9, 1784 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

We are pleased to share with you some of the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History's highlights in 2012.

We are honored that Pulitzer Prize-winning historian David McCullough joined our board this year. Our first annual McCullough Lecture was held in May 2012 as a fundraiser for the Institute and is becoming a much-anticipated annual event (*please see page 46*).

Our Affiliate School network grew to nearly 2,600 schools by the end of December. Supported by a \$1million challenge grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the program target was to reach 2,500 schools in our network by March of 2014, a goal we surpassed in half the time allotted *(please see page 16)*.

This past April we unveiled Home for History, Gilder Lehrman's new website, which has tripled in usage in under a year. The site has won the 2012 Best in Class Award, the highest honor bestowed by the Interactive Media Awards *(please see page 35)*.

This fall we launched our new Teaching Literacy Through History professional development program, Gilder Lehrman's response to the Common Core State Standards. The program ensures a place for history in the classroom involving close reading of primary source texts— a teaching practice Gilder Lehrman has been promoting for the past twenty years. We piloted the program in the 2012–2013 academic year in twenty-five schools in the Archdiocese of New York, and the results have surpassed our expectations. We plan to scale up significantly in 2013–2014 (*please see page 12*).

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William McKinley, Note to unknown correspondent, January 23, 1900 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Teacher Seminars Teaching Literacy Through History Scholars & Teachers Teaching American History Grants

The Gilder Lehrman Institute provides exceptional, high-impact professional development on the subject of American history. Through our network of leading historians and master teachers from across the country, elementary- and secondary-level teachers enhance classroom performance and improve student achievement. To date more than 20,000 educators have participated in Gilder Lehrman's range of programs, to the benefit of hundreds of thousands of students nationwide.

# TEACHER SEMINARS

The Gilder Lehrman Institute sponsors intellectually rich and academically rigorous seminars each summer for elementary, middle, and high school teachers, community college faculty, and educators from museums and the National Park Service. These weeklong, intensive seminars, taught by renowned historians, mainly take place at colleges and universities across the United States. Limited to thirty participants, the seminars are highly competitive and are consistently reported among the best professional development experiences for educators.

Gilder Lehrman's 2012 Teacher Seminars served 1,012 educators, selected through a competitive application process, in the following programs:

Professor Shawn Leigh Alexander Presidential Politics, Civil Rights, and the Road to *Brown* University of Kansas

Professors Fred Anderson and Andrew Cayton New Perspectives on America's Early Wars University of Colorado, Boulder

Professor Edward L. Ayers The South in American History University of Richmond

Professor Anthony J. Badger The Civil Rights Movement Clare College, Cambridge University, UK

Professor Carol Berkin American Women from the Colonial Era to the Modern Era Barnard College

Professor Ira Berlin North American Slavery in Comparative Perspective University of Maryland

Professor David W. Blight 9/11 and American Memory New York University Co-sponsored by the National September 11 Memorial & Museum

Professor Colin G. Calloway Native American History Dartmouth College

Professor Peter Carmichael **The American Civil War through Material Culture** Gettysburg College *Co-sponsored by the Civil War Institute*  Since 1994, nearly 10,000 teachers from fifty states, the District of Columbia, and thirty foreign countries have participated in 370 Gilder Lehrman Teacher Seminars.

Professors Frank Cogliano and Peter S. Onuf The Age of Jefferson University of Virginia and Monticello

Professor Andrew Delbanco Literature, History, and Culture of the Civil War Era Columbia University

Professor John Demos Everyday Life in Early America Yale University

Professor Joseph J. Ellis John and Abigail Adams Amherst College

Professor James Engell Rhetoric and American Democracy Harvard University

Professor Gary W. Gallagher The American Civil War: Origins and Consequences University of Virginia

Professor Allen C. Guelzo The World of Abraham Lincoln Gettysburg College

Professor Jonathan Scott Holloway Jim Crow and the Fight for American Citizenship Yale University

# TEACHER SEMINARS

Professors Kenneth T. Jackson and Karen Markoe Empire City: New York from 1877 to 2001 (offered twice) Columbia University An NEH Landmarks of American History and Culture Workshop

Professors Michael Kazin and Michael W. Flamm The Sixties in Historical Perspective Georgetown University

Professor Jennifer Keene Teaching American History with Images Chapman University

Professor David M. Kennedy The Great Depression and World War II Stanford University

Dean Larry D. Kramer The Role of the Supreme Court in American History Stanford University

Professor Patricia Nelson Limerick The American Environment in Historical Perspective University of Colorado, Boulder

Professor Stephanie McCurry Gender, Race, and Nation in Civil War America University of Pennsylvania

Professor Robert McMahon Ronald Reagan and the Global Cold War University of California, Santa Barbara

Professor Steven Mintz and Curator Sandra Trenholm Using Primary Documents in the Digital Age New-York Historical Society

Professor Gary B. Nash The American Revolution University of California, Los Angeles

Professors James Oakes and Matthew Pinsker Lincoln and Emancipation Columbia University

Professor Ted Ownby Race and Ethnicity in the Modern South University of Mississippi Co-sponsored by the Center for the Study of Southern Culture Professor Andrew W. Robertson The Founding Era James Madison's Montpelier

Professor Jeffrey Rosen Constitution 3.0: Freedom and Technological Change George Washington University

Professors Vicki Ruiz and Ana Rosas Immigration and American Life University of California, Irvine

Professor Matt Sakakeeny New Orleans Jazz and the American Public Sphere Tulane University Co-sponsored by the New Orleans Center for the Gulf South at Tulane University and the Music Rising Initiative of the Gibson Foundation

Professor Jeremi Suri The History of United States Foreign Policy since 1898 University of Texas at Austin

Professor Richard Sylla Economic and Financial Crises in American History New York University

Professor Elliott West American Indians and the American Southwest Institute of American Indian Arts

Professor Richard White The Gilded Age and Its Modern Parallels Stanford University

Professor Gordon S. Wood The Era of George Washington George Washington's Mount Vernon

Through support from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, The Council of Independent Colleges offered the following Gilder Lehrman seminar for full-time faculty members in history and related fields:

Professor David W. Blight **Slave Narratives** Yale University

# TEACHING LITERACY THROUGH HISTORY

Gilder Lehrman *Teaching Literacy Through History* is a new professional development program for teachers that integrates history and literacy and aligns with the national movement to adopt the Common Core State Standards.\* The program ensures a place for history in the classroom involving close reading of primary source texts—a teaching practice Gilder Lehrman has been developing for the past twenty years.

## **PILOT IMPLEMENTATION**

During the 2012–2013 school year, Gilder Lehrman coordinated with the Archdiocese of New York to implement a pilot of the Gilder Lehrman *Teaching Literacy Through History* program for history and English language arts teachers.

The program aimed to:

- prepare teachers for the implementation of the Common Core State Standards
- improve the quality of history and English language arts (ELA) classroom instruction
- increase the use and efficacy of primary documents in both history and ELA classes
- improve students' critical reading and analytical writing skills

## Method

The Archdiocese of New York selected a cohort of 50 paired seventh- and eighth-grade history and English language arts teachers to participate in the pilot program. Over the course of six months, in three intensive, daylong workshops, the program focused on the integration of primary documents in history and ELA instruction under the Common Core. We trained the teachers in using *Teaching Literacy Through History* lesson plans and resources and they learned to create their own integrated, Common Core–aligned units based on our model. Throughout the pilot program, we encouraged the paired teachers to collaborate across disciplines and practices using our program methods and resources in the classroom.

In September 2012, the ASCD (formerly the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development) cited Gilder Lehrman as one of the top five resources for aligning social studies curricula to the Common Core.

\* The Common Core State Standards represent an effort by the National Governors Association and the Council of Chief School Officers to establish a shared set of guidelines in English language arts and mathematics. Voluntarily adopted by forty-six states since 2010, the Common Core outlines achievement benchmarks in math and English language arts for students as they move through the educational system toward college and careers.

Teaching Literacy Through History and TLTH are trademarks of the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History.

# TEACHING LITERACY THROUGH HISTORY

## **Pilot Implementation Outcomes**

At the conclusion of the pilot, the teachers evaluated the effectiveness of the program in improving their instruction and students' literacy skills, as well as the quality of the *Teaching Literacy Through History* model.

In the area of *writing*, teachers indicated improvement in both instruction and student performance:

- 97% reported improved writing instruction, with 61% reporting "greatly" improved instruction.
- 97% also said Gilder Lehrman's methods improved their students' analytical/argumentative writing skills.

 I am much more comfortable in modeling, discussing, and encouraging the student to write more proficiently.
 Teacher evaluation

In the area of *reading*, there was also significant improvement:

- 100% reported improved reading instruction, with 64% reporting "greatly" improved instruction.
- 100% also said Gilder Lehrman's methods improved student critical-reading skills, with 46% reporting "greatly improved" student engagement with difficult texts.

Using these methods students are able to comprehend more complex texts in spite of all the unfamiliar vocabulary words they encounter.
— Teacher evaluation

All participants planned to continue using *Teaching Literacy Through History* strategies and lessons. Many also reported sharing the program methods with colleagues, with one teacher even noting, "We have taken these methods to our science colleague, and I have adopted some methods in math class."



High school student, Academy of American Studies, New York, NY (Lance Warren)

# SCHOLARS & TEACHERS

The Gilder Lehrman Institute brings its roster of master historians and speakers to schools to work with teachers to develop their knowledge of specific areas of American history toward the goal of engaging their students. In 2012, nearly 100 historians served more than 1,000 teachers and, through them, many thousands of students. A selection of forums includes:

#### ARIZONA

**Stephanie McCurry**, University of Pennsylvania *Westward Expansion* Sandra Day O'Connor High School

CALIFORNIA Gary B. Nash, University of California, Los Angeles Forging a New Nation Long Beach Unified School District

#### DELAWARE

Maya Jasanoff, Harvard University Loyalists in the Revolutionary Era Freedom Project Consortium of Christina and Red Clay Consolidated School Districts

#### **FLORIDA**

**Steven Hahn**, University of Pennsylvania *Slavery, the Civil War, Emancipation, and Reconstruction* Orange County

**Woody Holton,** University of South Carolina *The American Revolution* The School Board of Palm Beach County

#### **GEORGIA**

Annette Gordon-Reed, Harvard University American History Education and Lessons on Race and Freedom Savannah-Chatham County Public Schools

#### INDIANA

John Stauffer, Harvard University Slavery and the Underground Railroad Goshen Community Schools

Elliott West, University of Arkansas Reconstruction and Indian Wars Goshen Community Schools

#### **KENTUCKY**

Jeremi Suri, University of Texas at Austin Reagan and Economic History Central Kentucky Special Education Cooperative

#### LOUISIANA

Richard B. Bernstein, New York Law School Bill of Rights Archdiocese of New Orleans Schools

**Brian DeLay,** University of California Berkeley *Western Expansion and the U.S.-Mexican War* Charleston School District (held in New Orleans)

Clement Price, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Civil Rights Archdiocese of New Orleans Schools

#### **NEW JERSEY**

**Carol Berkin**, Baruch College, CUNY *The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution* Archdiocese of Newark

Alan Brinkley, Columbia University *The Great Depression* Ramapo Indian Hills High School District

Andrew W. Robertson, The Graduate Center, CUNY *The Revolutionary War* Morristown High School

#### **NEW YORK**

Malcolm Byrne, The National Security Archive at the George Washington University *The Cold War* Putnam-Northern Westchester BOCES

Vincent J. Cannato, University of Massachusetts Boston History of Political Parties Archdiocese of New York School/Diocese of Brooklyn Schools

Jonathan Holloway, Yale University African American History from the Great Migration to the Great Society NYC DOE – District 23/Flushing

# SCHOLARS & TEACHERS

Jennifer D. Keene, Chapman University Word War I and Civil Rights Patchogue-Medford High School, Suffolk County (also attended by Long Island Affiliate Schools including Garden City High School, Levittown High School, and The Wheatley School)

James Oakes, The Graduate Center, CUNY *The Emancipation Proclamation and Lincoln's Second Inaugural* Archdiocese of New York

Duane Tannenbaum, Lehman College, CUNY US Foreign Policy Putnam-Westchester BOCES

**Clarence Taylor,** Baruch College, CUNY *The Modern Civil Rights Movement* Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn

### TEXAS

**Brian DeLay**, University of California Berkeley *Western Expansion and the U.S.-Mexican War* Charleston School District (held in San Antonio)

#### VIRGINIA

Allen C. Guelzo, Gettysburg College *The Civil War* Deer Valley Unified School District

#### WISCONSIN

**Neil Foley**, The University of Texas at Austin *The Latino Struggle for Civil Rights* Milwaukee Public Schools

**Clement Price**, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey *African American Literature as a Reflection of History* Milwaukee Public Schools

Clement Price, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Civil Rights North Division High School, Milwaukee

Kristin Swinth, Fordham University Women's Struggle for Civil Rights North Division High School, Milwaukee



# TEACHING AMERICAN HISTORY GRANTS

Since 2001, the US Department of Education has awarded Teaching American History grants to school districts across America for expert professional development and programming. Through the grants, school districts could choose any organization for these services. Gilder Lehrman has been selected by 164 schools to date; we have worked with teachers to improve instruction in 39 states, the US Virgin Islands, and American Samoa. During the 2011–2012 academic year alone, more than 2,300 teachers participated in the Institute's TAH programming, learning from top scholars during workshops and historical study trips and taking advantage of our resources to create innovative and effective classroom instruction. An additional 101 staff development programs are planned for the 2012–2013 academic year through TAH funding.

During the 2011–2012 academic year, the Gilder Lehrman Institute partnered with 76 school districts in 33 states and territories.

AMERICAN SAMOA Department of Education

ARIZONA Deer Valley School District Mesa Public Schools Phoenix United School District

**CALIFORNIA** Berryessa Union School District Del Norte County Unified School District Long Beach Unified School District Los Angeles Unified School District Morgan Hill Unified School District Saddleback Valley Unified School District San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools

**DELAWARE** Christina and Red Clay School Districts

FLORIDA Brevard Public Schools Orange County Public Schools The School Board of Palm Beach County

GEORGIA Cobb County Public Schools Paulding County Public Schools Savannah-Chatham Public Schools

IDAHO Madison School District #321 Lewiston Independent School District **ILLINOIS** Bloom Township

INDIANA Goshen Public Schools

**IOWA** Des Moines Public Schools

KANSAS

Andover School District Educational Services and Staff Development Association of Central Kansas

KENTUCKY

Central Kentucky Special Education Cooperative Ohio Valley Educational Cooperative

LOUISIANA Algiers Charter Schools Association Caddo Parish Schools Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities

MASSACHUSETTS Arlington Public Schools Dedham Education Cooperative Newton Public Schools

MICHIGAN Alpena-Montmorency-Alcona Educational Service District

MISSISSIPPI Jackson Public Schools Simpson County Public Schools

**NEW JERSEY** Newark Public Schools Ramapo Indian Hills Regional High School District

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NEW MEXICO

Rio Rancho Public Schools

### **NEW YORK**

Maverick Educational Partnership New York City DOE, Bronx Districts 8, 11, 12 New York City DOE, Citywide K–2 New York City DOE, District 23 New York City DOE, District 75 Putnam/Northern Westchester BOCES Rockland County BOCES

#### NORTH CAROLINA

Beaufort County Schools Durham Public Schools Guilford County Schools Pender County Schools

**OHIO** Cincinnati Public Schools

**OKLAHOMA** Arkoma Public Schools Osage Public Schools Tulsa Public Schools

**PENNSYLVANIA** Philadelphia Public Schools

RHODE ISLAND Lincoln and Providence School Districts

**SOUTH CAROLINA** Orangeburg Consolidated School District Charleston Public Schools

#### **TENNESSEE**

Bedford/Shelbyville School System Bledsoe County School System Hamilton County School System Sequatchie County School System

### TEXAS

Dallas Independent School District Navasota Independent School District Pasadena Independent School District

**US VIRGIN ISLANDS** St. John and St. Croix School District

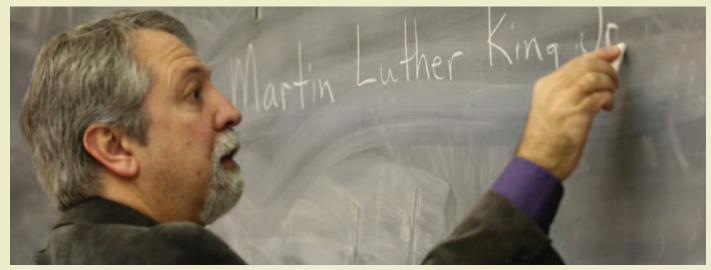
**UTAH** Alpine Public Schools Jordan School District

VIRGINIA Bedford County Public Schools Charlottesville Public Schools Richmond Public Schools

WASHINGTON Edmonds School District

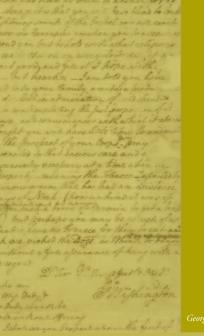
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WISCONSIN Milwaukee Public Schools



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Alonzo Chappel, "Lord Stirling at the Battle of Long Island," 1859 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)



ge Washington, letter to Burwell Bassett, August 28, 1762 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

# School Programs

Affiliate Schools Saturday Academies Scholars & Students

The Gilder Lehrman Institute works to improve student outcomes in every kind of school—public, private, parochial, and charter—from elementary to secondary levels. To this end, we maintain ongoing relationships with schools across the country. We are building an active national network through our Affiliate Schools program; we work directly with students through our Saturday Academies; and we bring renowned historians to schools in our Scholars & Students program, providing lectures that benefit students and their teachers.

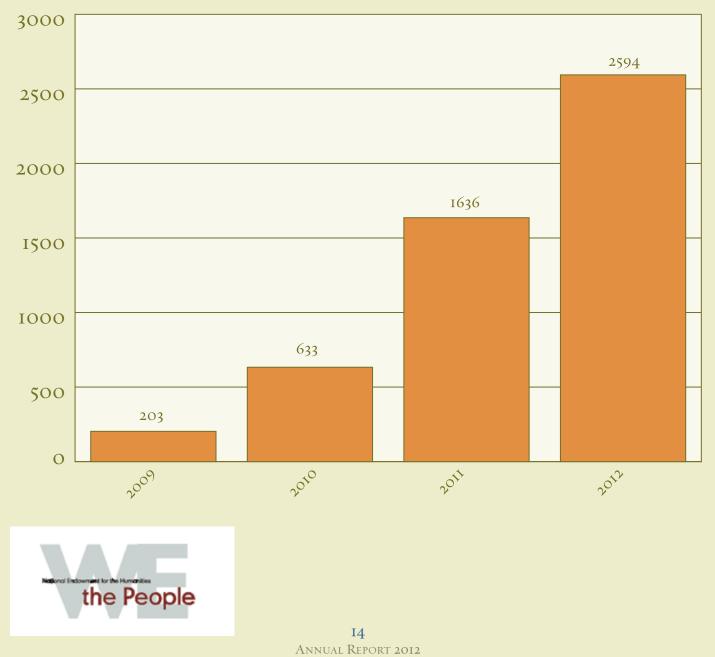
# Affiliate Schools

The Gilder Lehrman Affiliate School Program promotes teacher development and innovation in history teaching. Through a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Institute provides Affiliate Schools with free educational resources, professional development, and tools designed to bring American history to life in the classroom. As of December 2012, we have 2,594 Affiliate School members in all fifty states and twelve different countries with new membership applications arriving at an average of 75 each month.

Total schools as of December 31, 2012: 2,594

Approximate number of students reached: **750,000** 

Locations represented: 50 states, 4 US territories, and 12 countries



## AFFILIATE SCHOOL PROGRAM GROWTH BY YEAR

# AFFILIATE SCHOOLS

## GILDER LEHRMAN AFFILIATE SCHOOLS OF AMERICAN HISTORY BY STATE, 2012\*

Alabama	Kentucky
Alaska 9	Louisiana
Arizona	Maine9
Arkansas	Maryland 30
California	Massachusetts
Colorado	Michigan 55
Connecticut	Minnesota27
Delaware 8	Mississippi8
District of Columbia 12	Missouri
Florida 110	Montana4
Georgia	Nebraska
Hawaii 9	Nevada
Idaho15	New Hampshire 10
Illinois 155	New Jersey 131
Indiana	New Mexico 15
Iowa	New York 305
Kansas	North Carolina 132

North Dakota	4
Ohio	82
Oklahoma	
Oregon	
Pennsylvania.	
Rhode Island.	
South Carolina	
South Dakota	
Tennessee	
Texas	
Utah	
Vermont	
Virginia	
Washington .	
West Virginia	
Wisconsin	
Wyoming	

Australia, China, Germany, Morocco, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Russia, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland Taiwan, United Kingdom

US Territories . . . . . . . . . 4 Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, US Virgin Islands

\* Go to www.gilderlehrman.org for the names of specific schools in any particular state.

Affiliate Schools of American History by Grade Level: Elementary (K-4): 653, Middle (5-8): 1282, High (9-12): 1440

Note: Schools that serve students in multiple age groups (such as K-12, K-8, etc.) are counted in each applicable category.



## **TEN MOST ACTIVE AFFILIATE STATES**

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# AFFILIATE SCHOOLS

## CIVIL WAR ESSAY CONTEST

The Gilder Lehrman Institute joins the Civil War Round Table of New York to co-sponsor an annual essay contest for Gilder Lehrman Affiliate School students on the subject of our county's most divisive conflict.

## **2012 CONTEST WINNERS**

High School Division (Grades 9-12)

**First Place Abraham Suriel,** Yonkers High School, Yonkers, NY "Private Citizens: Government behind Closed Doors"

Second Place Elizabeth Robertson, Los Altos High School, Los Altos, CA "The Union's 'Other Army'"

Third Place

**Cresonia Hsieh,** Spanish River Community High School, Boca Raton, FL "The African American's War"

Honorable Mention Monica Cosia, Montville Township High School, Montville, NJ "Battle between Branches"

**Philip Esterman,** Spanish River Community High School, Boca Raton, FL "Meditation on Justice: A Just War Theory Examination of Lincoln's Decision to Go to War"

**Aglaia Ho,** Stuyvesant High School, New York, NY "A Rich Man's War, But a Poor Man's Fight" **Lauren Robertson,** Roanoke Rapids High School, Roanoke Rapids, NC "The Lost Cause"

**Jacob Singer,** Collegiate School, New York, NY "Scapegoat of the Solid South: The Career and Vilification of General James Longstreet"

Maria Tsamutalis, West Morris Central High School, Chester, NJ "Violent Disturbances in New York City: Civil War Draft Riots"

### Middle School Division (Grades 6-8)

**First Place Libby Dondero,** Trinity School of Durham and Chapel Hill, Durham, NC "The Unknown Battle of the Civil War"

Second Place Vaughn Eviston-Jahnke, U.S. Grant Elementary School, Milwaukee, WI "A Soldier's View"

Third Place David Carr, Summit Academy, Draper, UT "Civil War Deserters: Cowards or Heroes?"



2012 Civil War Essay Contest Winners (I-r): Cresonia Hsieh, Elizabeth Robertson, Vaughn Eviston-Jahnke, Abraham Suriel, Libby Dondero, and David Carr (Don Pollard)

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## DEAR GEORGE WASHINGTON CONTEST

The Gilder Lehrman Institute launched a new contest for elementary-age students attending Affiliate Schools in the 2011–2012 school year. Students were asked to imagine themselves as early Americans and write letters to George Washington about the issues they think the newly elected first president should concentrate on during his tenure.

## **2012 CONTEST WINNERS**

First Place Joli Dou, Fourth Grade, Haaff Elementary School, Pueblo, CO

Second Place Lucas Lemas, Fifth Grade, Brighton School, Lynnwood, WA

Third Place Jackson Davis, Fifth Grade, Ravenscroft School, Raleigh, NC

Fourth Place Konnor Rafferty, Fourth Grade, Puesta del Sol Elementary School, Rio Rancho, NM Honorable Mention *in alphabetical order:*Giselle Berrilon, Third Grade, Shuman Elementary School, Savannah, GA
Sarah Diane Hafley, Fourth Grade, Tallwood Elementary
School, Virginia Beach, VA
Zachary Miles Hagen-Smith, Fifth Grade,
Toluca Lake Elementary School, North Hollywood, CA
Jadyn Jeantete-Gonzales, Third Grade, Puesta del Sol
Elementary School, Rio Rancho, NM
Lindsey Pepper, Fifth Grade, St. George's Independent School,
Collierville, TN
Trevor Sanders, Third Grade, Puesta del Sol Elementary School,
Rio Rancho, NM



Rembrandt Peale, Portrait of George Washington, ca. 1852 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

## GILDER LEHRMAN HOME FOR HISTORY BEST PRACTICES AWARDS

In October 2012, the Gilder Lehrman Home for History Best Practices Awards were introduced. The program awarded ten grants of \$500 to teachers in Affiliate Schools who submitted the best lesson plans or student projects using resources from the Gilder Lehrman website. The top submissions will be posted on our website. Winners are:

Gale Carter, East Chicago Central High School, East Chicago, IN Christopher Gill, Newcomers High School, Long Island City, NY Marsha Greco, Magnolia Science Academy, San Diego, CA Martin Haber, John Dewey High School, Brooklyn, NY Gary Klotzkin, Belleville High School, Belleville, NJ Tamara Lanning, Benton Elementary School, Benton, TN Joy Ravona, Christa McAuliffe Intermediate School 187, Brooklyn, NY
Amy Sabbadini, Bend Senior High School, Bend, OR
Robert Sandler, Stuyvesant High School, New York, NY
Kati Searcy, Mountain Park Elementary School, Roswell, GA

# SATURDAY ACADEMIES

The Gilder Lehrman Institute's Saturday Academies, winner of the 2011 National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award—the nation's highest honor for outstanding after-school and out-of-school programs—are elective, six-week courses for high school and middle school students, offered free of charge on Saturday mornings. Through topics such as American History Through Film, the Economic System and the American Dream, and African American History, students improve their basic literacy and critical reading skills, work on creative projects, and prepare for Advanced Placement and SAT exams as well as a lifetime of active learning and civic engagement. In 2012, 23 Saturday Academies were held at 15 locations serving more than 4,000 students.

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

**School Without Walls** Founded 2008 Spring 2012 enrollment: 121

### KANSAS

**Andover High School** (Andover) Founded 2011 Fall 2012 enrollment: 170

Heights High School (Wichita) Founded 2006 Spring 2012 enrollment: 212

### LOUISIANA

**Algiers Charter Schools Association** (New Orleans) Founded 2007 Spring 2012 enrollment: 37

### **NEW YORK**

**Abraham Lincoln High School** (Brooklyn) Founded 2005 Spring 2012 enrollment: 59

Academy of American Studies (Queens) Founded 2004 Spring 2012 enrollment: 86 Fall 2012 enrollment: 117

All Hallows High School (Bronx) Founded 2003 Spring 2012 enrollment: 262 Fall 2012 enrollment: 285 **Brooklyn Historical Society** (Brooklyn) Founded 2007 Spring 2012 enrollment: 22

**Monsignor Farrell High School** (Staten Island) Founded 2005 Spring 2012 enrollment: 109 Fall 2012 enrollment: 181

**Museum of the City of New York** (Manhattan) Founded 2006 Spring 2012 enrollment: 247 Fall 2012 enrollment: 201

New Dorp High School (Staten Island) Founded 2004 Spring 2012 enrollment: 228 Fall 2012 enrollment: 264

New-York Historical Society (Manhattan) Founded 2005 Spring 2012 enrollment: 254 Fall 2012 enrollment: 183

Notre Dame School (Manhattan) Founded 1997 Spring 2012 enrollment: 286 Fall 2012 enrollment: 261

Salesian High School (New Rochelle) Founded 2005 Spring 2012 enrollment: 230 Fall 2012 enrollment: 288

**St. Francis Prep** (Queens) Founded 2012 Fall 2012 enrollment: 241



High school student and teacher in the Saturday Academy

# SCHOLARS & STUDENTS

Since 2004, the Gilder Lehrman Institute has sponsored lectures, public forums, and field trips that bring scholars together with middle and high school students and their teachers. Taking place all over the country, these programs feature university historians, authors, and leading public officials who provide participants with the opportunity to listen to advanced lectures, analyze documents, and discuss the historian's craft. In 2012, Gilder Lehrman sponsored 26 programs with dozens of schools schools across the country.

### KANSAS

Amity Schlaes, author *The New Deal* Unified School District 259 Public Schools and Bishop Carroll Catholic High School, Wichita); Andover High School, Andover

#### **NEW JERSEY**

Clement A. Price, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey The First Emancipation American History High School, Newark (Sponsored by Sid Lapidus)

Andrew W. Robertson, The Graduate Center, CUNY *The Revolutionary War* Morristown High School

David Zonderman, North Carolina State University World War II Archdiocese of Newark Schools

#### **NEW YORK**

**Carol Berkin**, Baruch College, CUNY *Declaration of Independence* All Hallows High School, Bronx

**Gen. Josiah Bunting III**, Ret., United States Military Academy at West Point *The End of World War II* Salesian High School, New Rochelle

Vincent J. Cannato, University of Massachusetts Boston Immigration Archdiocese of New York Schools

Thomas R. Heinrich, Baruch College, CUNY *The Age of Jackson* Salesian High School, New Rochelle Kenneth T. Jackson, Columbia University Early New York Frederick Douglass Academy, NY (also attended by West Morris Central High School, Chester, NJ)

Wilbur R. Miller, Stony Brook University *The Causes of the Civil War* Patchogue-Medford High School, Suffolk County (also attended by Long Island Affiliate Schools including Garden City High School, Levittown High School, and The Wheatley School)

**Clement Price**, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey *Civil Rights* Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn

Manisha Sinha, University of Massachusetts Amherst Black Abolitionists Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn New Dorp High School, Staten Island (Sponsored by Sid Lapidus)

**Bruce J. Schulman**, Boston University *The 1920s* Patchogue-Medford High School, Suffolk County (also attended by Long Island Affiliate Schools including Garden City High School, Great South Middle School, and William Floyd High School)

Lawrence J. Taylor, author *The Tunnel Kids* All Hallows High School, Bronx

#### NORTH CAROLINA

David Zonderman, North Carolina State University Social Movements of the 1920s and The Drafts of the Declaration of Independence Roanoke Rapids High School

# School Programs

# Scholars & Students

### OHIO

Richard Crawford, Clermont County Historian Bill of Rights and Student Rights Glen Este High School, Cincinnati

George Vredeveld, University of Cincinnati Bill of Rights Glen Este High School, Cincinnati

#### PENNSYLVANIA

Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and Hon. Marjorie Rendell The Role of Federal Judges Constitution High School, Philadelphia

#### WASHINGTON, DC

**Chad Heap,** The George Washington University *Historical Research: The Process* School Without Walls Senior High School

James A. Miller, The George Washington University *The Harlem Renaissance* School Without Walls Senior High School

Calvin Warren, The George Washington University Gettysburg School Without Walls Senior High School

#### WISCONSIN

**Neil Foley**, The University of Texas at Austin *Latino Struggle for Civil Rights* Milwaukee Public Schools

**Clement Price**, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey *African American Literature as a Reflection of History* Milwaukee Public Schools

Clement Price, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Civil Rights North Division High School, Milwaukee

Kristin Swinth, Fordham University Women's Struggle for Civil Rights North Division High School, Milwaukee



High school students, Academy of American Studies, New York, NY (Lance Warren)



#### VOTES FOR WOMEN! THE WOMAN'S REASON. BECAUSE

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# Resources

The Gilder Lehrman Collection Home for History: Gilder Lehrman Website History Now Multimedia Publications **Traveling Exhibitions** 

Over the course of nearly two decades, the Gilder Lehrman Institute has assembled an array of primary source documents, publications, exhibitions, and multimedia tools through which to see American history up close in the classroom, the local library, museums, and elsewhere. Whether used on their own, as teacher aids, or combined with historians' talks for community presentations, Gilder Lehrman's resources are the essential elements of our efforts to bring history to life.

# THE GILDER LEHRMAN COLLECTION

The Gilder Lehrman Collection, housed at the New-York Historical Society, includes more than 60,000 letters, diaries, maps, pamphlets, printed books, newspapers, photographs, and ephemera that document the political, social, and economic history of the United States. Ranging from 1493 through the twentieth century, the Collection is widely considered one of the nation's great archives in the Revolutionary, early national, antebellum, and Civil War periods.

## EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH

In 2012, the curatorial staff conducted presentations for more than 600 educators and students using the original documents from the Collection. In these engaging interactive workshops, participants learned the stories behind the documents and explored historical events through primary sources.

# GILDER LEHRMAN COLLECTION DOCUMENTS ON DISPLAY AT THE NEW-YORK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

*1862: "A Long & Bloody War,*" an exhibition curated by the Gilder Lehrman Institute at the New-York Historical Society in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the Civil War. *(through February 1, 2013)* 

*Liberty/Liberté* by artist Fred Wilson includes slave identification tag and shackles from the Gilder Lehrman Collection. *(permanent main floor exhibition)* 

*New York Rising* features slave shackles meant for a young child and several letters from the Gilder Lehrman Collection. *(permanent main floor exhibition)* 

**Revolution!** The Atlantic World Reborn included an anti-emancipation engraving by Adalbert Volck from the Gilder Lehrman Collection. (*February 16–April 15, 2012*)

*Titanic Voices* featured a firsthand account of the sinking of the *Titanic* by first-class passenger Dr. Washington Dodge. (April 6–June 25, 2012)

Revolutionary Kids featured a patriotic verse written in student John Barstow's math notebook. (June 26-August 26, 2012)

# PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS FEATURING DOCUMENTS FROM THE GILDER LEHRMAN COLLECTION

## Gettysburg National Military Park and Visitors Center

*The diary of William Woodlin* of the 8th Regiment US Colored Troops and an inkwell from Appomattox (*Main Gallery, ongoing*)

*The Emancipation Proclamation and the Thirteenth Amendment,* special exhibition for the 150th anniversary of the issuing of the Preliminary Emancipation Proclamation (September 19–25, 2012)

George Washington's Mount Vernon Estate, Museum and Gardens Five pivotal documents from the Revolutionary War and the founding era (*The Books and Manuscripts Gallery, ongoing*)

The National Constitution Center

An anti-Jackson broadside as part of the Constitution Center's core exhibition, The Story of We the People (ongoing)

### The Virginia Historical Society

A special exhibition of the Thirteenth Amendment (Civil War & Emancipation Day, April 14 and 15, 2012)

## Resources

# THE GILDER LEHRMAN COLLECTION

## **New Acquisitions**

In 2012, the Gilder Lehrman Collection acquired 50 new items, primarily from the twentieth century. Highlights include:

- a collection of four letters dated between January 1914 and January 1915 to newspaper editor A. G. Johnson regarding a proposed literacy test for immigrants;
- four World War I propaganda posters encouraging enlistment, food conservation, and working on military defense construction projects; and
- 38 World War II propaganda posters covering topics such as enlistment, food conservation, buying war bonds, and nursing.



## **REFERENCE AND RIGHTS AND REPRODUCTIONS**

- Reference requests rose by 80 percent in 2012, reaching a total of 275 inquiries including reading room visits, distance reference services, and rights and reproduction requests.
- The Collection began working with Bridgeman Art Library to expand Collection use in print publications.

# Home for History Gilder Lehrman Website

In April 2012, the Gilder Lehrman Institute launched its new website, the Gilder Lehrman *Home for History* at **www.gilderlehrman.org,** as a comprehensive and interactive destination for American history online. This is the beginning of a major expansion of the Institute's online offerings. Created by a team of master teachers, renowned historians, and technical consultants, Gilder Lehrman's new site draws on advanced digital technology to ensure full access to its rich collection of resources, with the goal of supporting every K–12 classroom in the country.

In less than a year, the new site has proved to be a valued and vital resource for teachers, students, and American history enthusiasts, with usage more than tripling in eight months. It has also won the 2012 Best in Class Award, the highest honor in the Interactive Media Awards competition. These awards are sponsored by Interactive Media Council, Inc., a nonprofit organization of leading web designers, developers, programmers, advertisers, and other web-related professionals.

Central to the Gilder Lehrman website is "History by Era," a framework that organizes the full sweep of American history into ten chronological periods that are familiar signposts for most school history courses:

- The Americas to 1620
- Colonization and Settlement, 1585–1763
- The American Revolution, 1763–1783
- The New Nation, 1783–1815
- National Expansion and Reform, 1815–1860
- Civil War and Reconstruction, 1861–1877
- Rise of Industrial America, 1877–1900
- Progressive Era to New Era, 1900–1929
- Great Depression and World War II, 1929–1945
- 1945 to the Present



A final section called "Themes" allows the reader to follow a specific subject such as African American History, Women's History, or Immigration and Migration across the decades or centuries.

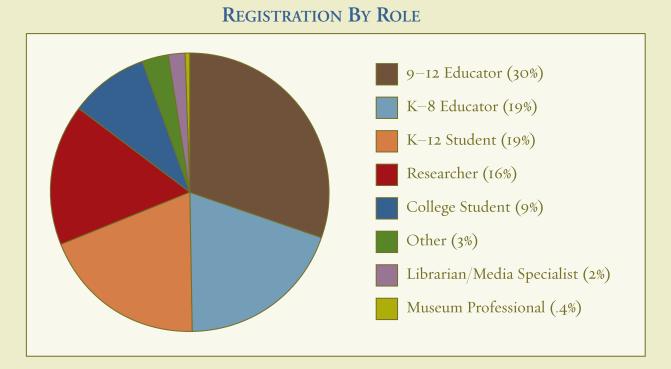
Each section features a wealth of primary sources including letters, government or legal documents, prints, photographs, and other media drawn from the extensive holdings of the Gilder Lehrman Collection; essays and podcasts through which renowned historians interpret the eras; teaching resources, including Common Core lessons; and a bibliography of recommended sources for further reading or viewing. Tools enable teachers to create their own effective and stimulating history curricula, and students can conduct independent research.

Visitors to the Gilder Lehrman website may register to review the site; teachers and students have free access while others may subscribe on an annual basis.

## Resources

# Home for History Gilder Lehrman Website

On the Gilder Lehrman website, each registrant identifies his or her role, which enables us to determine how our site is used. We are pleased to see that nearly 20 percent of our registrants are K-12 students.



**REGISTERED USERS** 



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HISTORY NOW

In September 2012, *History Now*, the Gilder Lehrman Institute's quarterly online journal, entered its ninth year of publication. Each issue addresses a major theme in American history with articles by historians, lesson plans by master teachers, and other resources.

Editor: Carol Berkin (Baruch College and The Graduate Center, City University of New York); Associate Editor: Lesley S. Herrmann; Managing Editors: Justine Ahlstrom and Sasha Rolon Pereira; Archivist: Mary Jo Kline (University of Virginia)

## PERSPECTIVES ON AMERICA'S WARS, NO. 31 (SPRING 2012)

"George Washington's French and Indian War," by Theodore J. Crackel
"No Way Out: Lord Cornwallis, the Siege of Yorktown, and America's Victory in the War for Independence," by James Kirby Martin
"The Battle for Baltimore," by Alan Taylor
"When Myth and Meaning Overshadow History: Remembering the Alamo," by Linda K. Salvucci
"The Battle of Antietam: A Turning Point in the Civil War," by James M. McPherson
"The War against Spain in the Philippines in 1898," by Richard Meixsel
"The Zimmermann Telegram and American Entry into World War I," by Michael S. Neiberg
"D-Day or Operation Overlord, June 6, 1944," by Antony Beevor
"The Korean War," by Allan R. Millett
"The Vietnam War and the My Lai Massacre," by George Herring
"Technology in the Persian Gulf War of 1991," by Robert Citino Interactive: News from 1812

## THE MUSIC AND HISTORY OF OUR TIMES, NO. 32 (SUMMER 2012)

"The Forties and the Music of World War II," by Elihu Rose "Fun, Fun Rock 'n' Roll High School,'" by Glenn C. Altschuler and Robert O. Summers "People Get Ready': Music and the Civil Rights Movement of the 1950s and 1960s," by Brian Ward "The Sixties and Protest Music," by Kerry Candaele "Women and the Music Industry in the 1970s," by Elizabeth L. Wollman "Globalizing Protest in the 1980s: Musicians Collaborate to Change the World," by Douglas R. Egerton and Leigh Fought "Pop Music and the Spatialization of Race in the 1990s," by Mark Anthony Neal "9/11 and Springsteen," by Craig Werner Interactive Feature: Playlist accompanies each essay

### ELECTING A PRESIDENT, NO 33 (FALL 2012)

"Adams v. Jackson: The Election of 1824," by Edward G. Lengel "The Making of the President: Abraham Lincoln and the Election of 1860," by Harold Holzer "The Contentious Election of 1876," by Michael F. Holt "Franklin Delano Roosevelt—Four-Term President—and the Election of 1944," by Matthew Dallek "Hanging by a Chad—or Not: The 2000 Presidential Election," by James Gormly Interactive Timeline: Electing a President, 1789–2012

## THE REVOLUTIONARY AGE, NO. 34 (WINTER 2012)

"The Other Theater: The War for American Independence beyond the Colonies," by Patrick Spero "Advice (Not Taken) for the French Revolution from America," by Susan Dunn "Two Revolutions in the Atlantic World: Connections between the American Revolution and the Haitian Revolution,"

by Laurent Dubois

"The US and Spanish American Revolutions," by Jay Sexton

Interactive Feature: Liberty and the American Revolution: Selections from the Collection of Sid Lapidus, Princeton University

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## **ONLINE EXHIBITIONS AND INTERACTIVES**

**Civil War 150,** an online accompaniment to the traveling exhibition *Civil War 150*, created in partnership with The Library of America

**Excerpts from American Antislavery Writings: Colonial Beginnings to Emancipation,** provides readings of texts excerpted from the publication of *American Antislavery Writings: Colonial Beginnings to Emancipation*, edited by James G. Basker (New York: The Library of America, 2012) (*Please see page 30.*)

**Liberty and the American Revolution: Selections from the Collection of Sid Lapidus,** an interactive feature published in The Revolutionary Age: *History Now* 34 (Winter 2012)

Electing a President: 1789–2012, an interactive timeline published in Electing a President: History Now 33 (Fall 2012)

## **ONLINE VIDEOS**

James G. Basker, President, Gilder Lehrman Institute: "American Antislavery Writings: Colonial Beginnings to Emancipation" www.gilderlehrman.org/multimedia/Basker

Joshua Bill, *Waukegan High School, Waukegan, IL:* National History Teacher of the Year profile www.gilderlehrman.org/programs-exhibitions/2012-joshua-bill

Laurent Dubois, *Duke University:* "The Haitian Revolution: A New Vision of Freedom in the Atlantic World" www.gilderlehrman.org/multimedia/Dubois

James Oakes, *The Graduate Center, City University of New York:* "Emancipation and the Question of Agency: The Power of the Enslaved, the Power of Policy" www.gilderlehrman.org/multimedia/Oakes

Gordon S. Wood, *Brown University:* "Taxation and Representation: The Imperial Debate between Britain and the Americans" www.gilderlehrman.org/multimedia/Wood



## NEW PUBLICATIONS IN 2012

*Freedom to Move: Immigration and Migration in US History.* Volume 8 in the Gilder Lehrman series History in a Box: People, Places, Politics. Lead scholar: Donna Gabaccia, Professor of History and Director, Immigration History Research Center, University of Minnesota. *Freedom to Move* draws upon new scholarship that presents movement and migration as a framework for understanding the history of immigration in the United States. We identify four motives for movement and migration—the search for livelihood, safety, home and family, and rights—that permit us to consider links among the stories of men and women spanning three centuries. Movement and migration connect the histories of American Indians, enslaved and free Africans, immigrants, and emigrants in inspiring and challenging ways. The materials in the book and the box encourage students and teachers to consider how movement and restrictions on movement have mattered in American history.

Includes:

- A resource book with annotated primary sources, artwork, maps, discussion questions, and a list of additional resources; accompanied by an electronic version of the book on CD
- A sequential set of posters of documents and illustrations
- Ten portrait placards of key individuals
- A timeline
- Historians on the Record: Lectures by eminent historians (DVD)
- Music and dramatic readings of letters (CD)
- Treasures of American History: Documents Presented in Honor of New Citizens of the United States booklet



## American Antislavery Writings: Colonial Beginnings to Emancipation. Edited by James G. Basker. New York:

**The Library of America, 2012.** The Gilder Lehrman Institute helped support the publication of this compilation, edited by Professor James G. Basker, president of the Institute. Aimed primarily at teachers and students, this volume contains some 215 pieces of literature in every genre—fiction, poems, slave narratives, sermons, speeches, essays, even children's literature—by more than 150 different authors who wrote against slavery between 1688 and 1865.

# PUBLICATIONS

## GILDER LEHRMAN PUBLICATIONS IN PRINT

### **BOOKS AND BOOKLETS**

2013 Wall Calendar of the Civil War Abraham Lincoln in His Own Words Alexander Hamilton and the Creation of the United States Citizen or Slave: The Dred Scott Decision, 1857 Early American Abolitionists: A Collection of Anti-Slavery Writings 1760–1820 Great Lincoln Documents: Historians Present Treasures from the Gilder Lehrman Collection "I take up my pen": Letters from the Civil War James Madison and the Birth of the U.S. Constitution Slavery in the Founding Era Treasures of American History: Documents Presented in Honor of New Citizens of the United States Why Documents Matter: American Originals and the Historical Imagination, Selections from the Gilder Lehrman Collection Wilberforce, Lincoln, and the Abolition of Slavery

### **CD-ROMs and DVDs**

Alexander Hamilton: The Man Who Made Modern America (CD-ROM)
American Sampler
Freedom: A History of US (CD)
Historians on the Record: Selected Topics (DVD)
Historians on the Record: Slavery and Abolition (DVD)
Historians on the Record: Twentieth Century (DVD)

### HISTORY IN A BOX: PEOPLE, PLACES AND POLITICS

American History: An Introduction The Founding Era Alexander Hamilton and the Creation of the United States Slavery and Abolition Abraham Lincoln The Civil War The American West The Freedom to Move: Immigration and Migration in US History



Twenty-star - "Abolitionist Flag," ca. 1859 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

### POSTERS

North American Colonies, 1733 The Boston Massacre, March 5, 1770 Phillis Wheatley, 1773 Declaration of Independence, 1776 United States Constitution, 1787 **Runaway Slave Ads** Anti-Slavery Broadside, 1836 Abolitionist Flag, c. 1859 John Brown, 1800-1859 Abraham Lincoln, 1860 Civil War Scenes United States, 1862 **Emancipation Proclamation** Civil War Recruiting Poster, 1863 (2) Emancipated Slave Children, 1863 Black Troops in the Civil War, 1863 President Abraham Lincoln, 1863 Sojourner Truth, 1864 Yosemite Land Grant, 1864 Lincoln's Second Inaugural Address, 1865 Frederick Douglass, c. 1870 Fifteenth Amendment, 1870 African American History, 1619–1897 Theodore Roosevelt, 1906 20th-Century Immigration The Women's Suffrage Movement World War I Recruiting Poster, 1918 (2) The Little Rock Nine, 1957 School Desegregation, 1963 Civil Rights Placard, 1968 (2)

# TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS

Since 1997, the Gilder Lehrman Institute has developed traveling panel exhibitions for display at schools, libraries, and historic sites as a way to bring American history, its characters, and stories to underserved urban and rural communities across the country. These lively, colorful displays, featuring research by leading scholars and images of important original documents, circulate nationwide and provide an introduction to critical moments and individuals in American history for students, teachers, and the public.

# THE NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) has been an important partner to the Gilder Lehrman Institute, especially through its support of panel exhibitions. In 2012, we received a fouryear grant from the NEH to develop *Civil War 150* in partnership with The Library of America. The exhibition traces major events during the Civil War through the eyes of leaders and ordinary Americans from 1860 to 1865. Through this grant, 50 sites will receive funds to host the exhibition and plan programs around it through March 2015. An additional 150 sites will receive small grants to develop Civil War programming.

Another NEH grant concluded in 2012: A four-year grant supported the creation and distribution of *Abraham Lincoln: A Man of His Time, A Man for All Times,* with a national tour beginning in November 2008 and concluding in December 2012. During the four-year period, the exhibition was hosted at 75 sites in 33 states, including public libraries, academic libraries, historic sites, and museums.

## THE CURRENT COLLECTION OF TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS INCLUDES:

- Freedom: A History of US
- The Many Faces of George Washington
- Alexander Hamilton: The Man Who Made Modern America
- Frederick Douglass
- Abraham Lincoln: A Man of His Time, A Man for All Times
- Looking at Lincoln: Political Cartoons from the Civil War Era
  Civil War 150
- The Progressive Era: Creating Modern America, 1900–1917
- Free at Last: A History of the Abolition of Slavery in America\*
- Freedom Riders
- \* Because of flooding at our storage facility from Hurricane Sandy in October 2012, Free at Last exhibitions were damaged beyond repair and are no longer available.

# Over the course of 2012, ten Gilder Lehrman traveling exhibitions were hosted by 73 sites in 33 states by the following types of host institutions:

- K-12 Schools (25)
- Libraries (14)
- Colleges (10)
- Museums (10)

- Historic Sites (8)
- National Park Sites (3)
- Historical Societies (2)
- School Districts (1)

# TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS

## **2012 TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS AND LOCATIONS**

#### Freedom: A History of US

Calvin Coolidge Senior High School, Washington DC School District of Manatee County, Bradenton, FL Drake Community Library, Grinnell, IA Southeast Junior High School, Cherokee, KS Norfolk Senior High School, Norfolk, NE Great Neck South Middle School, Great Neck, NY Schenectady County Historical Society, Rotterdam Junction, NY Glen Este High School, Cincinnati, OH Sequoyah Middle School, Auburn, WA

#### The Many Faces of George Washington

Museum of Arts and Sciences, Daytona Beach, FL Alvin Sherman Library at Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL Cowles Library at Drake University, Des Moines, IA Ernest J. May Elementary School, Las Vegas, NV Guilderland Public Library, Guilderland, NY City College of New York Libraries, New York, NY The Old Exchange Building, Charleston, SC Museum of History and Industry, Seattle, WA Oshkosh Public Library, Oshkosh, WI

#### **Alexander Hamilton**

Escondido Charter High School, Escondido, CA Silver Springs-Martin Luther School, Plymouth Meeting, PA Perkiomen Valley Middle School West, Zieglerville, PA

#### Frederick Douglass

Knoxville, TN

Center Point High School, Center Point, AL Ovitt Family Community Library, Ontario, CA San Bernardino County Museum, Redlands, CA BREC's Magnolia Mound Plantation, Baton Rouge, LA US Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases, Fort Detrick, MD University of Tennessee, Office of Multicultural Student Life,

Abraham Lincoln: A Man of His Time, A Man for All Times
Carnegie Visual Arts Center, Decatur, AL
North Valley Regional Library, Anthem, AZ
White Tank Library, Waddell, AZ
Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum, Colorado Springs, CO
Lincoln Home National Historic Site, Springfield, IL
Adams Gallery at Suffolk University, Boston, MA
1855 Harris Kearney House Museum at the Westport Historical Society, Kansas City, MO
Old Courthouse, Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, St. Louis, MO
Hillsborough Public Library, Hillsborough, NJ
Alfred C. O'Connell Library, Genesee Community College, Batavia, NY
Heritage Village Museum, Sharonville, OH Gettysburg National Military Park Museum & Visitors Center, Gettysburg, PA Milwaukee Public Library, Milwaukee, WI

### Looking at Lincoln

Pea Ridge National Military Park, Garfield, AR Shasta Union Elementary School, Shasta, CA Griswold Middle School, Griswold, CT Archbishop Curley Notre Dame Prep, Miami, FL French Icarian Colony, Corning, IA Brentwood Library, Brentwood, TN West Tennessee Delta Heritage Center, Brownsville, TN

#### Civil War 150

Central Rappahannock Regional Library, Fredericksburg, VA Central Washington University Brooks Library, Ellensburg, WA Cabell County Public Library, Guyandotte Branch, Huntington, WV

#### The Progressive Era

Madison High School, Rexburg, ID Churchill High School, Livonia, MI Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, MO Southwest High School, San Antonio, TX Slinger High School, Slinger, WI

#### Free at Last

Stanley-Whitman House, Farmington, CT
King Low Heywood Thomas, Stamford, CT
Saint Brendan School, Ormond Beach, FL
Indiana University Northwest, Gary, IN
Indiana University East, Richmond, IN
St. Mary's Academy, New Orleans, LA
Thomas F. Eagleton US Courthouse, St. Louis, MO
Gettysburg National Military Park Museum & Visitors Center, Gettysburg, PA
Abington Friends School, Jenkintown, PA
Highland Junior High School, Ogden, UT

### Freedom Riders

Monta Vista High School, Cupertino, CA King Low Heywood Thomas, Stamford, CT University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA Cowles Library at Drake University, Des Moines, IA Cottagers Corner, Oak Bluffs, MA Gerald R. Ford Museum, Grand Rapids, MI ITOW Veterans Museum, Perham, MN The Griot Museum of Black History, St. Louis, MO Thomas F. Eagleton US Courthouse, St. Louis, MO Roosevelt High School, Portland, OR Fort Worth Museum of Science and History, Fort Worth, TX

# TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS

## WHERE GILDER LEHRMAN TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS WERE VIEWED IN 2012

ALABAMA

Center Point High School, Center Point Carnegie Visual Arts Center, Decatur

ARIZONA North Valley Regional Library, Anthem White Tank Library, Waddell

**ARKANSAS** Pea Ridge National Military Park, Garfield

### CALIFORNIA

Escondido Charter High School, Escondido Ovitt Family Community Library, Ontario San Bernardino County Museum, Redlands Shasta Union Elementary School, Shasta

COLORADO Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum, Colorado Springs

### CONNECTICUT

Stanley-Whitman House, Farmington Griswold Middle School, Griswold King Low Heywood Thomas, Stamford

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA** Calvin Coolidge Senior High School

### **FLORIDA**

School District of Manatee County, Bradenton Museum of Arts and Sciences, Daytona Beach Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale Archbishop Curley Notre Dame Prep, Miami Saint Brendan School, Ormond Beach

**GEORGIA** University of West Georgia, Carrollton

**IDAHO** Madison High School, Rexburg

**ILLINOIS** Lincoln Home National Historic Site, Springfield

INDIANA Indiana University Northwest, Gary Indiana University East, Richmond

### IOWA

French Icarian Colony, Corning Cowles Library at Drake University, Des Moines Drake Community Library, Grinnell

**KANSAS** Southeast Junior High School, Cherokee

LOUISIANA

BREC's Magnolia Mound Plantation, Baton Rouge St. Mary's Academy, New Orleans

MARYLAND

US Army Medical Research Institute, Fort Detrick

### MASSACHUSETTS

Adams Gallery at Suffolk University, Boston Cottagers Corner, Oak Bluffs

MICHIGAN

Gerald R. Ford Museum, Grand Rapids Churchill High School, Livonia

MINNESOTA ITOW Veterans Museum, Perham

### MISSOURI

Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City Westport Historical Society, Kansas City The Griot Museum of Black History, St. Louis Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, St. Louis Thomas F. Eagleton US Courthouse, St. Louis

NEBRASKA

Norfolk Senior High School, Norfolk

**NEVADA** Ernest J. May Elementary School, Las Vegas

**NEW JERSEY** Hillsborough Public Library, Hillsborough

### **NEW YORK**

Genesee Community College, Batavia Great Neck South Middle School, Great Neck Guilderland Public Library, Guilderland City College of New York Libraries, New York Schenectady County Historical Society, Rotterdam Junction

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### Resources

# TRAVELING EXHIBITIONS

#### OHIO

Glen Este High School, Cincinnati Heritage Village Museum, Sharonville

**OREGON** Roosevelt High School, Portland

#### PENNSYLVANIA

Gettysburg National Military Park, Gettysburg Abington Friends School, Jenkintown Silver Springs-Martin Luther School, Plymouth Meeting Perkiomen Valley Middle School West, Zieglerville

SOUTH CAROLINA

The Old Exchange Building, Charleston

#### TENNESSEE

Brentwood Library, Brentwood West Tennessee Delta Heritage Center, Brownsville University of Tennessee, Knoxville

#### TEXAS

Fort Worth Museum of Science and History, Fort Worth Southwest High School, San Antonio **UTAH** Highland Junior High School, Ogden

VIRGINIA Central Rappahannock Regional Library, Fredericksburg

WASHINGTON Sequoyah Middle School, Auburn Central Washington University Brooks Library, Ellensburg Museum of History and Industry, Seattle

WEST VIRGINIA

Cabell County Public Library, Guyandotte Branch, Huntington

#### WISCONSIN

Milwaukee Public Library, Milwaukee Oshkosh Public Library, Oshkosh Slinger High School, Slinger



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Abraham Lincoln, Note on Military Forces, May 4, 1861 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

# Awards

National History Teacher of the Year National Book Prizes Scholarly Fellowships History Scholar Awards

Gilder Lehrman rewards teachers and scholars for their outstanding work. We draw on our national network of K–12 schools, historians, and institutions to identify and recognize excellence.

# NATIONAL HISTORY TEACHER OF THE YEAR



2012 National History Teacher of the Year Joshua Bill, Caroline Kennedy, and Waukegan High School student Eduardo Cruz (Don Pollard)

The 2012 National History Teacher of the Year Award, co-sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute, HISTORY<sup>®</sup>, and Preserve America, was presented to **Joshua Bill** of Waukegan High School in Waukegan, Illinois. Mr. Bill accepted the award from a friend of the Institute, Caroline Kennedy, on December 4, 2012, at a ceremony held at the Frederick Douglass Academy, a Gilder Lehrman Affiliate School in New York City.

Since 2004, the Institute has honored the best K–12 American history teachers in the country. In 2012, more than one thousand teachers were nominated for the national award. The national winner is selected from among the fifty-plus state winners. Each state winner received \$1,000 and a large archive of American history classroom resources presented to his or her school library. The national winner received an additional \$10,000 and a trip to New York City for the national award ceremony along with two of his students. Elementary (K–6) and middle and high school teachers (7–12) are considered in

separate categories in alternate years. The jurors for the 2012 national award were Stacy Hoeflich (2011 National History Teacher of the Year), Edward Ayers (President, University of Richmond), and Elaine Reed (Executive Director Emerita, National Council for History Education).

### **2012 HISTORY TEACHERS OF THE YEAR BY STATE**

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2012 Lincoln Prize winners William C. Harris and Elizabeth D. Leonard beside Augustus Saint-Gaudens bust of Lincoln (Don Pollard)

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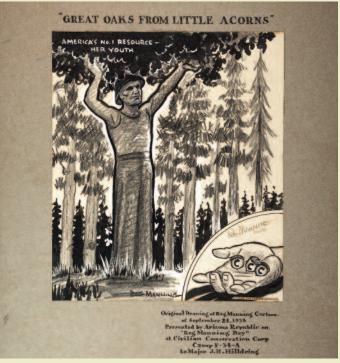
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Notes from a Slave Ship Doctor: Interpreting the 1749–1751 Diaries of William Chancellor



Enlistment poster for the Arizona Civilian Conservation Corps, September 24, 1938 (Gilder Lehrman Collection)

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2012 History Scholars (I-r): Carly Anderson, Sarah Hoover, Jonathan Green, David Donatti, Jeffrey Lollar, Mattea Sanders, Emily Hopkins, and Franklin Sacha (Jaime Bermudez Esteban)

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#### Fall International Conference "Abolition, Past and Present: Scholars, Activists and the Challenge of Contemporary Slavery" Fourteenth Annual International Fall Conference, November 8–10, 2012.

The conference continued the effort to forge a field of study about the origins and nature of current human trafficking and bonded labor systems in the world by bringing together historians of slavery and abolition with activist-leaders in the current movement to counteract and abolish modern forms of slavery. Speakers included: Kevin Bales, Co-Founder of Free The Slaves; Jean-Robert Cadet, Jean R. Cadet Restavek Organization; Luis CdeBaca, Ambassador-at-Large, Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons, US State Department; Claude d'Estrée, University of Denver; Seymour Drescher, University of Pittsburgh; Siddharth Kara, Harvard Kennedy School and Harvard School of Public Health; Jenny Martinez, Stanford Law School; Aidan McQuade, Anti-Slavery International; Kenneth B. Morris, Jr., Frederick Douglass Family Foundation; Samuel Moyn, Columbia University; Brad Myles, Polaris Project; Alicia Peters, University of New England; Jessica Pliley, Texas State University; Joel Quirk, University of the Witwatersrand; David Richardson, University of Hull; Stacey Robertson, Bradley University; Louise Shelley, George Mason University; Pamela Shifman, NoVo Foundation; E. Benjamin Skinner, Brandeis University; James Brewer Stewart, Macalester College and Historians Against Slavery; Zoe Trodd, University of Nottingham; Kerry Ward, Rice University.

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