



The Michigan Historic Preservation Network  
38th Annual Statewide Preservation Conference  
East Lansing, Michigan [www.mhpn.org](http://www.mhpn.org)  
Headquarters: East Lansing Hannah Community Center  
Hotel: Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center at MSU  
Thursday, May 17 - Saturday, May 19, 2018



## “Proactive Preservation”

Founded in 1981, the Michigan Historic Preservation Network (MHPN) is the state’s largest membership organization advocating for historic preservation. The MHPN is pleased to bring its 38th annual conference to East Lansing – a gathering packed with the skills, talents, and passions of the preservation community. We expect upwards of 400 people from across the state and the Midwest to gather in East Lansing to participate in three days of engaging activities.

## YOU can be a part of it...

### SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Through the generous support of our donors, the MHPN has seven conference scholarships to award to students, teachers, volunteers, elected officials, professionals, or anyone who has shown promising work or interest in historic preservation and would like to learn more. They are intended for individuals who would not otherwise be able to participate without some financial assistance.

Scholarships cover registration, conference meals, special events, tours (including the Great Michigan Road Trip on Saturday, May 19), and two nights in the conference hotel. We will help recipients carpool and find roommates to extend their hotel stay, if requested. Recipients are responsible for personal incidentals and travel to and from the conference site. Scholars will be publicly acknowledged at the Conference Welcome that takes place on Thursday, May 17, 9:30-10:30 AM. A thank you letter written to the scholarship donor is the only required follow-up to participation.

#### To apply, provide the following materials:

- A letter of interest including name, address, email, and telephone number, a description of the applicant's connection to historic preservation, and a brief statement of financial need.
- A recommendation from the applicant's academic advisor, employer, or similar individual.

Email materials to [mhpnships@gmail.com](mailto:mhpnships@gmail.com), ATTN: Stacy Tchorzynski by **6 PM, April 11, 2018**. Previous awardees are ineligible, but are encouraged to attend as volunteers.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers to this great networking opportunity receive a 90% registration discount on the days they work; the reduced Student Rate is available for any additional days. Volunteers are asked to put in a minimum of 3 hours in a day. Provided advanced notice, volunteers are scheduled to avoid conflicts with their sessions of interest. Areas of greatest need include registration staff, room monitor, marketplace, and set-up/break-down. To volunteer or for more information, email [volunteermhpn@gmail.com](mailto:volunteermhpn@gmail.com), ATTN: Elizabeth Palmer, by **6 PM, April 11, 2018**. Please do not register for the conference until volunteer assignments are approved.