

Latinx Heritage Preservation in Oregon: Building a Network
Thursday, April 29
8:30-11:30 am PDT

Link to Register: <https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0pduitqjorHNTXkfEh6D2Lca5EjDUGkZ4k>

Schedule:

8:30- Welcome and Introduction, Oregon Heritage
Housekeeping/review agenda/expectations, Desiree

8:45- Presentation: Latinos in Heritage Conservation, Desiree and Sara (45 min.)

- Organizational history, the need, our mission/purpose, our approach to heritage conservation, top priorities and current projects (20 min.)
- Other examples of Latinx heritage conservation from around the country (20 min.)
- National resources (funding, organizations, institutions) (5 min.)

9:30- Presentation of Current Statewide Resources for Latino Heritage, Sara D. will introduce speakers (30 min.)

- Oregon State University Oregon Multicultural Archives, Natalia Fernández
- Latino Roots, University of Oregon, Gabriela Martinez and Lynn Stephen
- Oregon Historical Society, Eliza Canty-Jones

10:00- Break (10 min.)

10:10- First Break-Out Session: (30 min.): Latinx Heritage Conservation in Oregon--Assessing the Landscape, Desiree will lead

10:15--Participants will be placed into break out groups to answer the questions below. The group should decide on a note-taker and a spokesperson. We'll ask the note-taker to place notes in the comments once we all come back together and we'll also ask the spokesperson to share back with the larger group. (5 min.)

10:20--People sent to breakout rooms (15 min.)

- Are there other Latinx heritage resources, projects, or efforts in Oregon not already mentioned?
- What are the biggest needs related to preserving Oregon's Latinx heritage? (i.e. specific communities or geographical areas, historical themes or associations, cultural traditions and practices)
- What are the biggest challenges to preserving Oregon's Latinx heritage? What resources are needed?
- Who is missing from this conversation?

10:30--Group reconvenes and reports back (10 min.)

10:40- Existing statewide models for heritage work: What a coordinated effort could look like (10 min.), Desiree will introduce speakers

- Women's History Consortium, Jan Dilg and Kimberly Jensen
- Oregon Folklife Network, Emily West Hartlerode

10:50- Second Break-Out Session: Next Steps for Oregon--Is a Statewide Strategy Needed? (30 min.), Sara will lead

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10:55--People sent to breakout rooms (15 min.)

- Is there a need for more centralized coordination around preserving Oregon's Latinx heritage?
- If so, who should be involved and/or lead such an effort? Would you want to be involved?
- What is the role for Oregon Heritage and other preservation and institutional partners, if any?
- What additional information or tools are needed to move a statewide strategy forward?
- Would people be interested in a follow-up event?

11:10--Group reconvenes and reports back (10 min.)

11:20- Review and Wrap-up

11:30 - End