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Welcome

UPDATED! The Legacy team has secured preliminary approval for Round 2 of the FY 2006 program. Pending final approval, an additional nineteen natural resources projects and **three cultural resources projects** will be funded in Round 2. Successful applicants will be notified in the coming weeks of their project status. Unsuccessful applicants will be notified soon thereafter, as Round 2 represents all remaining funds available for the FY2006 program.

The Legacy team is now working on the Request for Proposals for the FY2007 Legacy Resource Management Program. Keep your eye on forthcoming **UPDATE** newsletters as well as the Legacy website (www.dodlegacy.org) for more information. An official memo will also be distributed through each Service-specific chain-of-command.

News

NEW! The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation has posted new guidance on its web site to help Federal agencies in meeting their responsibilities under Executive Order 13287 to partner to promote heritage tourism in local communities. The guidance provides recommendations for both Federal land managers and Federal assistance agencies, and highlights innovative initiatives and success stories. The guidance is available at www.achp.gov/ht/ht.html. The ACHP plans to update this guidance periodically with additional examples that highlight successful public/private partnering to promote heritage tourism in local communities. If you would like to contribute information on successful initiatives, contact Druscilla Null at dnull@achp.gov.

NEW! Last year, ICOMOS expanded its International Committee structure to 28 Committees by approving the establishment of a new International Committee on Military Heritage and Fortifications. The Committee is based in Poland and is chaired by Lidia Klupsz. David Hansen of Seattle was a member of the organizing group that helped conceptualize the group and convene its first meeting.

Now that this committee is firmly established at the international level, Milagros Flores of North Carolina, also a founding member of the committee, has volunteered to establish a US/ICOMOS working group or a US Specialized Committee to contribute to the overall work plan of its corresponding international committee. It is expected that a large part of that work will be multi-disciplinary in nature in conjunction with other International Committees within the framework of the ICOMOS triennial work plan being developed by the new ICOMOS Scientific Council. Members of US/ICOMOS should contact Milagros Flores at milagros_flores@nps.gov for more information or to participate in this committee.

Have you or your program recently been in the news? Send the information to brian.lione.ctr@osd.mil and we'll highlight it here!

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New Cultural Resources Documents on DENIX

CR Focus Areas:

[Archaeology](#): **One new document posted**: Federal Register Notice: Advisory Council on Historic Preservation announces Draft Revised Human Remains Policy; comments due by June 28, 2006 ([PDF](#)). **DoD CRMs**: *check with your CR chain-of-command for your Service-specific method of submitting/collecting comments.*

[Cold War](#): **One new document posted for DoD-only**: To Defend and Deter: The Legacy of the United States Cold War Missile Program (Legacy Project 94-1264) – [35 MB PDF](#).

[Historic Contexts](#): **One new document posted**: World War II And The U.S. Army Mobilization Program: A History Of 700 And 800 Series Cantonment Construction (Legacy Project 91-0018) – [43 MB PDF](#). **One document moved** from DoD-only and made publicly accessible: Support And Utility Structures And Facilities (1917-1946): Overview, Inventory And Treatment Plan (Legacy Project 93-0900) – [18 MB PDF](#).

[Historic Preservation](#): **Six new documents posted**: Readiness Subcommittee Hearing on the Department of Defense Historic and Historic-Eligible Military Facilities, March 8, 2006 at 2:00pm: [OSD](#) Witness Statement; [Army](#) Witness Statement; [Navy](#) Witness Statement; [US Marine Corps](#) Witness Statement, and [Air Force](#) Witness Statement. Cultural Resource Management in the Department of Defense - a presentation to the National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers (NCSHPO) Annual Meeting, March 13, 2006 ([712 KB PPT](#)).

[Photo Gallery](#): Send us your photos of DoD cultural resources to share on the internet! Photos must meet the following conditions: must be copyright free; must have a photo credit; must have a caption including a description of the resource and the year the photo was taken. Please email Brian.lione.ctr@osd.mil to submit photos for uploading.

Be sure to check the other CR pages - [Curation](#), [Guidance Documents](#), [Links](#), [National Historic Landmarks](#), [Native Americans](#), [Preserving American Heritage](#), and [Underwater Archaeology](#) - on a regular basis to see new reports, documents, and other information relevant to the DoD CRM mission.

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Upcoming Events of Interest

NEW! Archaeological Resource Investigations (ARI) has scheduled an offering of the firm's three-day Archaeological Law Enforcement class in **Ukiah, California, Tuesday, April 18-20** 2006. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Ukiah Field Office and the BLM National Training Center (NTC) will be the hosts for this class. This class is open to all government and tribal law enforcement officers, archaeologists and prosecuting attorneys. The registration **deadline** for the class is close of business on **Friday, March 31, 2006**. Please visit the [ARI website](#) for more information on this class.

Conservation Strategies for Archaeologists – an NPI seminar offered in **Mount Vernon, VA - April 3-5** in cooperation with Mount Vernon Archaeology. Review the role of conservation in the field and in the laboratory for archaeological projects. Discuss planning and preparation for the care of excavated materials. Learn about the condition of materials upon excavation and "first aid" packing and transport methods for artifacts from both dry and waterlogged contexts. Examine artifact preservation and methods to facilitate interpretation. Learn how to perform simple stabilization techniques such as dewatering waterlogged bone, removing chlorides from objects, and consolidating highly degraded glass, as well as exploring tips for mending vessels. For registration information and agenda: www.npi.org.

NEW! SWCA announces an upcoming training opportunity: **The Cultural Side of NEPA; Addressing Cultural Resources in NEPA Analysis, April 4-5, in Las Vegas NV**. This class addresses how historic properties and other kinds of cultural resources (tribal and other religious practices, traditional ways of life) can be effectively addressed in the analysis of project impacts under the National Environmental Policy Act -- in Environmental Assessments, Environmental Impact Statements, and the review of Categorical Exclusions. Contact Dr Tom King [via email](#) or visit the [SWCA training website](#).

The next **Traditional Building Exhibition and Conference** (formerly known as the Restoration & Renovation Show) will be held on the Navy Pier in **Chicago, Illinois, April 5-8**. Visit their [website](#) for more details and to register. Also: the conference is co-located with the Association for Preservation Technology's **Building Codes and Historic Rehabilitation Conference**. Visit the [APT website](#) for more information on this event.

ENDS SOON! The National Park Service in partnership with the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services is seeking applicants for its **Save America's Treasures 2006 grant program**. Save America's Treasures makes critical investments in the preservation of our nation's most significant cultural treasures. Grants are awarded for preservation and/or conservation work on nationally significant intellectual and cultural artifacts and nationally significant historic structures and sites. Grant amounts range from \$25,000 to \$700,000 to conserve collections and from \$125,000 to \$700,000 for historic property and sites projects. All the awards must be matched 1:1. Complete guidelines, applications and information, as well as a database of previous Save America Treasure's awardees, can be found on the [National Park Service website](#). **Deadline for applications is April 18**. For general information contact [Kimber Craine](#) at the [President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities](#), or call 202/682-5661.

UPDATED! The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's course, **The Section 106 Essentials**, offers participants an in-depth look at historic preservation responsibilities under the National Historic Preservation Act. The next course in 2006 will be held **April 25-26 in San Juan, Puerto Rico, and May 31 - June 1 in Washington, DC**. An additional three dates round out the 2006 schedule. For more information on the 2006 schedule, visit the [ACHP website](#), contact Diane Secchi at dsecchi@achp.gov, or call 202-606-8521.

The **Historic Structures III: Planning and Programming** course is planned for **April 2006** for either **Honolulu, HI** or **Washington, DC**. The purpose of this course is to take information learned in Historic Structures I and apply it to the development of typical historic preservation projects. This course will emphasize the roles of project development team members. Roles will include program/project management, cost engineering, design, functional user, maintenance & repair, fire protection, force protection, sustainable design, cultural resources, and SHPO. This course will focus on how to plan and program Historic Structures renovation and maintenance projects at the installation level and civil works project locations.. For more information and to register for the course, contact CE Registrar Division (PDSC), 256-895-7421/7450 or Fax 256-895-7469; or Mr. Horace H. Foxall, Jr. Manager, CX at 206-764-4482 or 1-800-265-9309, Fax 206-764-6518; e-mail: Horace.H.Foxall.Jr@usace.army.mil

Historic Preservation Law and Section 106 Compliance Course. This course emphasizes legal compliance (the National Historic Preservation Act Section 106 process) through the use of actual case studies. It addresses legislation and the process to meet the requirements of the law. Course content includes, but is not limited to, the stewardship role, use of historic properties, and communications with related oversight agencies. This Interservice Environmental Education Review Board (ISEERB)-approved course is ACHP recognized, and the total course length is 24 hours. The course is scheduled for **April 18-20** in **Denver, Colorado**, and **July 18-20** in **Langley, Virginia**. For more information (including possible date and location changes) or to register, please visit the CECOS [website](#).

NEW! The 9th Annual US/ICOMOS International Symposium will be held **April 19 - 23, 2006** in **Newport , Rhode Island**. The symposium theme is "From World Heritage to Your Heritage." The World Heritage List as a rich source of models for the protection and management of heritage sites with a particular focus on World Heritage cities. For more information on the symposium, visit the US/ICOMOS [website](#). Hosted by the Newport World Heritage Committee; US Senator Lincoln Chafee, Honorary Chair.

The 71st Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology will be held in **San Juan, Puerto Rico, April 26-30, 2006**. DoD will field the joint Legacy – SERDP/ESTCP Cultural Resources exhibit booth at this conference – **stop by and say hello!** Additionally, the Army National Guard will host a session entitled "**Mission Possible! Cultural Resource Preservation Across the Army National Guard: Papers in Honor of Alan Wormser.**" Brian Lione will present recent DoD initiatives as part of the "**DataPalooza! - State and Federal Applied Technology in Support of Cultural Resource Management**" session. Learn more about the conference at the [SAA website](#).

NEW! An **American Indian Cultural Communication Course** will be held **May 16-18, 2006**, in **Seattle, Washington**. Participants will learn about the DoD American Indian-Alaska Native Policy, implementation guidelines, and the skills required for improved communication and consultation with tribal governments. This course provides valuable information for DoD staff, installation tenants, and contractors whose work could impact Indian tribes or who may work with tribal members. The course will be taught by American Indian specialists in history, culture, and communication and by the DoD legal staff who partnered with tribes to shape the American Indian-Alaska Native Policy. For more information, visit the [course website](#), or contact Laura Berg: lberg@teleport.com, 503-281-4716 (Pacific Time). Seating is limited and registration is due no later than **April 14, 2006**.

Introduction to Cultural Resources Management – Laws & Regulations Course. This three-day course provides an integrated overview of all pertinent laws and regulations needed to understand and fulfill cultural resource management responsibilities. The course is taught in conjunction with the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and the sponsor for this course is the Navy Federal Preservation Officer. This ISEERB-approved course is ACHP recognized, and the total course length is 24 hours. The course is scheduled for **August 15-17** in **New London, Connecticut**. For more information (including possible date and location changes) or to register, please visit the CECOS [website](#).

The National Park Service's 2006 workshop on archaeological prospection techniques, entitled Current Archaeological Prospection Advances for Non-Destructive Investigations in the 21st Century, will be held **May 15-19, 2006**, at the **Fort Frederica National Monument, Georgia**. This will be the sixteenth year of the workshop dedicated to the use of geophysical, aerial photography, and other remote sensing methods as they apply to the identification, evaluation, conservation, and protection of archaeological resources across this Nation. The workshop this year will focus on the theory of operation, methodology, processing, interpretation, and on-hands use of the equipment in the field. There is a tuition charge of \$475.00. Application forms are available on the [Midwest Archeological Center's web page](#); for further information, please contact Steven L. DeVore, Archeologist, National Park Service, Midwest Archeological Center, at (402) 437-5392, ext. or via email: steve_de_vore@nps.gov.

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Calls for Papers, Sessions, and Submissions

LAST CHANCE! The Traditional Building Exhibition and Conference (formerly known as the Restoration & Renovation Show) has announced a call for papers for its Fall 2006 conference, to be held **October 5-7** in **Washington, DC**. To submit a seminar topic for consideration call 802-674-6752 or download the PDF [Washington DC Call for Presentation submission form](#). Abstract submission forms are due **April 1**.

National Public Lands Day (NPLD) is an annual event held the last Saturday in September that promotes shared stewardship of our nation's public lands. Through a day of volunteering, NPLD helps build a strong conservation ethic among participants. NPLD is also a great way for installation Resource Managers to get much needed support and funds for **cultural and natural resource conservation** projects. NPLD projects can connect installation personnel with the outside community by working together to conserve cultural and natural resources on DoD lands.

DoD has taken part in NPLD since 1999 with funding supplied by the Legacy Resource Management Program. In 2005, over 1,600 volunteers at 23 installations participated in NPLD projects. For 2006, DoD Resource Managers may apply for up to \$6,000 in Legacy funding for equipment and materials for an NPLD project. NPLD is coordinated by the National Environmental Education and Training Foundation (NEETF) and applications for event funding are available on the NEETF/NPLD website www.npld.com or by contacting Dena Imbergamo at (202) 261-6467 or Dena@neetf.org. **Application deadline is May 31, 2006.** Funding is awarded in early July. In addition to the application form, the NEETF/NPLD website also contains a host of helpful tools including a detailed site manual and media kit.

While projects involving cultural resources have always been permissible, **cultural resource projects will be specifically encouraged for 2006 in light of the 100th Anniversary of the Antiquities Act and the 40th Anniversary of the National Historic Preservation Act.** Cultural resources project proposals should include work that can be performed by volunteers on resources that are publicly accessible (on the day of the National Public Lands Day event).

For more information on what type of projects may qualify for funding, contact Legacy staff members Jane Mallory, Natural Resources Management Specialist at (703) 604-1774 (Jane.Mallory.ctr@osd.mil) or Brian Lione, Cultural Resources Management Specialist at (703) 604-1724 (Brian.Lione.ctr@osd.mil).

NEW! The Southeast Chapter of the Society of Architectural Historians seeks nominations for the **Best of the South: Preserving Southern Architecture Award**. This new award will honor a project that preserves or restores an historic building, or complex of buildings, in an outstanding manner and that demonstrates excellence in research, technique, and documentation. Projects in the eleven-state region of SESA and that were completed in 2004 or 2005 are eligible. Participating states are: Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia. Nominations should consist of no more than two typed pages of description, and be accompanied by hard copy illustrations and any supporting material. A cover letter should identify the owner of the project, the use of the building(s), and the names of all the major participants of the project. Send four copies to Travis McDonald, Jefferson's Poplar Forest, P.O. Box 419, Forest, VA, 24551 [UPS/FedEx mailing address: 1008 Poplar Forest Drive, Forest, VA 24551. Questions: 434-534-8123 or travis@poplarforest.org. **Deadline June 19, 2006.**

Colorado Preservation, Inc. has issued a **Call for Session Proposals for Saving Places 2007**. The theme for the 10th annual Saving Places conference, "Planning, Growth, and Preservation," will provoke discussion on how to best integrate preservation into planning decisions at all levels. Keynote speakers and sessions will be selected highlighting how preservation can offer creative solutions to growth and sprawl issues through adaptive use, creative infill, and raising appreciation for historic places increasing inherent demand. The conference will be held **February 7-9, 2007 in Denver, Colorado**. Please visit [Colorado Preservation's website](http://ColoradoPreservation.org) for more information; deadline for session proposals is **June 20, 2006**.

NEW! The World Archaeological Congress has issued a call for proposals for WAC-6, to be held in **Kingston, Jamaica, May 20-27th, 2007**. WAC-6 will be organized into themes and sessions. A theme contains a number of sessions relating to the same overall issue. Example: Theme - The African Diaspora; Sessions: Maroon Societies, Plantation Archaeology, and Post-Emancipation Free Villages.

Both themes and sessions should emphasize international participation and global perspectives. Sessions can be organized in different formats, including demonstrations, workshops, debates, panels and forums. Selected sessions will provide simultaneous translation into different languages, including Spanish and French.

Proposals for themes will be accepted for consideration through **May 30, 2006**. Proposals for sessions will be accepted through **August 31, 2006**. The deadline for abstracts for individual papers is **November 30, 2006**. More information is available on their [website](#).

Abstracts of 150- 250 words can be submitted via email to: wac6jamaica@gmail.com

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About Legacy

The Legacy program was established by Congress in 1990 to provide financial assistance to DoD efforts to preserve our natural and cultural heritage. The program assists DoD in protecting and enhancing resources while supporting military readiness. A Legacy project may involve regional ecosystem management initiatives, habitat preservation efforts, historic preservation projects, archaeological investigations, invasive species control, Native American consultations, and/or monitoring and predicting migratory patterns of birds and animals, among others. See www.dodlegacy.org for more information.

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