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### Welcome

Happy New Year! 2006 promises to be a busy year for all of us that work in DoD cultural resources management. Be sure to read the *UPDATE* monthly to find out about news from the field, new documents available on line, and upcoming conferences, workshops, and training opportunities of interest! As always, suggestions for content are welcome [via email](#).

### News

The National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers January 2006 newsletter, *NCSHPO News*, is available from their website in [PDF form](#). The newsletter highlights news from SHPO offices around the country. Visit their [website](#) for more information.

The National Preservation Institute, a nonprofit organization founded in 1980, educates those involved in the management, preservation, and stewardship of our cultural heritage. The 2006 National Preservation Institute seminar schedule is now available online at [www.npi.org](http://www.npi.org). The general NPI News Release "Professional Seminars in Historic Preservation & Cultural Resource Management" includes the seminar calendar from March through December 2006 plus descriptions of NPI seminars. It can be [viewed and downloaded](#) in PDF format from the NPI website.

The Fall 2005 edition of the Army Environmental Center's *Environmental Update* newsletter highlights the 2005 passing of Charlie Chibitty – a Comanche from Oklahoma, World War II Code Talker, and friend of the Army Cultural Resources Community. The entire issue can be found on the [US Army Environmental Center's website](#); the specific article "Army Loses Loyal Friend and Soldier" can be found in HTML format [here](#).

Have you or your program recently been in the news? Send the information to [brian.lione.ctr@osd.mil](mailto: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](#) page: **One new document** posted: Paleo Indian Archaeology and Late Pleistocene/Early Holocene Shorelines on DoD Installations (Legacy Project 05-260) [project website link](#).

[Cold War](#) page: **Two new documents** posted: "Full Moral and Material Strength": The Early Cold War Architectural Legacy at Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico (ca. 1950-1960): [PDF, 31 MB](#); Thematic Study and Guidelines: Identification and Evaluation of U.S. Army Cold War Era Military-Industrial Historic Properties: [PDF, 10 MB](#). **Two documents**

moved to the public side of DENIX (both from Legacy Project 95-10092): Training to Fight: Training and Education During the Cold War: [PDF, 6.5 MB](#), and Forging the Sword-Defense Production During the Cold War: [PDF, 2 MB](#).

[Historic Contexts](#) page: **One new document** posted to the DoD-only side of DENIX (account and password [required](#)): Support And Utility Structures And Facilities (1917-1946): Overview, Inventory And Treatment Plan (Legacy Project 93-0900) [PDF, 18 MB](#).

[Underwater Archaeology](#) page: **three new documents** posted: *H. L. Hunley* Project: Conservation Achievements 2004 ([PDF, 1.5 MB](#)), and *H. L. Hunley* Project: 2004 Archaeological Findings and Progress Report ([PDF, 819 KB](#)) – both from Legacy Project 04-106, and Archaeological Investigation and Remote Operated Vehicle Documentation - Confederate Commerce Raider CSS *Alabama* - 2002 (Legacy Project 02-109) [PDF, 7.5MB](#).

[Photo Gallery](#): The DoD Conservation Photo Gallery is now online. The Pentagon is the inaugural photo in the Gallery; more will be added in the coming months. **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](mailto:Brian.lione.ctr@osd.mil) to submit photos for uploading.

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### Upcoming Events of Interest

**UPDATED!** **Saving Places 2006: Building on the Past**, sponsored by Colorado Preservation, Inc.. Saving Places is the largest statewide historic preservation conference in the country. The conference will take place **February 8-10** at the 1770 Sherman Street Event Complex in **Denver, Colorado**. The program features more than 160 national and regional preservation experts discussing current preservation programs, projects, trends and technology, as well as educational sessions, workshops, tours, networking opportunities, and the only trade show of preservation goods, services and products in the Rocky Mountain region. Online registration is now open; visit their [conference website](#) for more details. ***The Legacy program will sponsor a DoD Cultural Resources Booth at the conference. Please be sure to stop by and say hello!***

**NEW!** **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 **February 14-16** at **Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada**, **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!** An **American Indian Cultural Communication Course** will be held **March 7-9, 2006**, in **Albuquerque, New Mexico**. 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. Evening cultural programs will also be part of the required course instruction. **Seating is limited** and registration is due no later than **February 10**. For more information, contact [Laura Berg](#) or [see the course announcement](#) on DENIX.

**NEW!** 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 **March 14-16** in **Atlanta, Georgia**, and **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 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 first course in 2006 will be held **March 20-21** in **Concord, New Hampshire**. For more information on the 2006 schedule, visit the [ACHP website](#), contact Diane Secchi at [dsecchi@achp.gov](mailto:dsecchi@achp.gov), or call 202-606-8521.

**UPDATED!** The **Joint Services Environmental Management Conference** will be held **March 20-24**, in **Denver, Colorado**. The theme of 2006 JSEM is *Transformation*, highlighting the many new and innovative ways the Department of Defense, other Federal agencies, states, the defense industry, and our partners are transforming how we are meeting our mission needs while protecting the environment. Two sessions related to DoD CRM are planned: “**Integrating Cultural Resources and GIS: Asset Accountability and Management Opportunities**” looks at increasing and standardizing the use of GIS for better cultural resources management. The “**Managing DoD Cultural Resources**” session is targeted at non-specialists working in the DoD CRM field, as well as professional managers overseeing CRM personnel and programs. It will include introductory presentations on the role of CRM in support of the military mission as well as updates from CRM professionals from all echelons talking about their work. For more information, visit the [conference website](#).

**RESCHEDULED!** **Archaeological Damage Assessment Class**. This is the second phase of ARPA training aimed at Archaeologists who may need to do damage assessments under ARPA or ARPA-like situations. The class will be presented by Martin McAllister, ARI, Inc., from **March 20-24**, at **Fort Hood, Texas**. The class is open to all government, tribal and contract archaeologists. There are no prerequisites for the class. The maximum number of participants allowed in the class is 17 so interested archaeologists should register as soon as possible. The registration deadline for the class is **February 24**. Please [contact Dr. Cheryl Huckerby](#), Fort Hood Cultural Resources Manager, for more details.

**NEW!** WHO OWNS THE PAST? **Heritage Rights and Responsibilities in a Multicultural World - 2nd Annual Ename International Colloquium** will be held **22-25 March** in **Ghent, Belgium**. A special feature of this year's colloquium will be a day of Round Table discussions focused on practical problem-solving and the formulation of innovative approaches to public heritage. All interested colloquium participants, including archaeologists, historians, heritage administrators, cultural technologists, and specialists in cultural property law are invited to submit 250-500 word case studies on particular heritage problems they have encountered in their research or professional experience. These case studies will provide the basis for the Round Table discussions and a selection of these case studies will be published in fuller form in the colloquium proceedings. For questions or requests for additional information, please visit our [website](#) or contact us [via email](#).

**NEW!** Goucher College presents **A Critical Look at Authenticity and Historic Preservation:** the Fifth National Forum on Historic Preservation Practice will be held **March 23-25 in Baltimore, Maryland.** The forum explores the meaning of authenticity in historic preservation through 15 competitively selected papers. A PDF of the conference announcement is available [here](#); for more information, visit the Goucher College Master of Arts in Historic Preservation [website](#).

**NEW!** 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.

**UPDATED!** The 71<sup>st</sup> 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](#).

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](mailto:steve_de_vore@nps.gov).

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### **Calls for Papers, Sessions, and Submissions**

**NEW!** The Association for Preservation Technology has issued a call for papers for its 2006 conference: “Crossroads in Heritage Conservation – When Modern Becomes Historic.” The conference will be held **September 13-16 in Atlanta, Georgia.** APT 2006 will explore the challenges and rewards of this current perspective on the historic, which includes recent events, diverse cultural perspectives, and innovations in architecture, industry and technology. More information, including the call for papers, is available on the [APT website](#). Abstract submission forms are due **March 1.**

**NEW!** 2007 Call for Papers: The Archaeological Institute of America will hold its 108th Annual Meeting in **San Diego, California, January 4-7, 2007.** For the 2007 Annual Meeting, the program committee is particularly keen to receive submissions on the following topics: European Prehistory; Ancient Near East; and thematic papers from any region or period that address use of sacred space, funerary art and practices, patterns of urbanism, and identifying ethnicity in the physical record. All submissions, of course, must pass the PAMC's vetting process to be put onto the program. As with past meetings, all submissions must be made electronically. The online submission forms and supporting documents [are now available](#); you can also download the 2007 Call for Papers ([PDF](#)) directly. Abstract submission forms are due **March 17.**

**NEW!** 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**.

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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](http://www.dodlegacy.org) for more information.

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