

URARA Symposium 2022

Uintah Conference Center and the Uintah County Heritage Museum



Uintah Conference Center
313 East 200 South, Vernal, UT



Uintah County Heritage Museum
155 East Main, Vernal, UT

September 29/Thursday

Workshops various starting times (see below)

See a detailed description of Thursday's workshops and meeting times on the URARA website. Workshops include:

Site Stewardship: Join an archaeologist from the State Historic Preservation Office and be trained to become a site steward in Utah. There is a morning session at the Heritage Museum starting at 9:00, and an afternoon session in the field location at the Alhandra archaeo-astronomy site.

Site Documentation: Join archaeologists from the State Historic Preservation Office and the Bureau of Land Management and be trained in how to document an archaeology site. This will be in the field. Meeting at 9:00 in the parking lot behind the Field House Museum at [496 E Main St, Vernal](#).

Drawing for documentation: Join archaeologist Carol Patterson and learn how to fill out site forms, stage and process site photographs, and execute drawings of panels at the park next to the Heritage Museum. Class starts at 9:00.

Photography: Join photographer Robert Crifasi and learn how to improve your rock art photography. Session starts at 1:00 at the Heritage Museum and runs for 4 hours

Field Survey Join Kent Williams for a great day in the field to help locate undocumented sites in an area proposed for development. This workshop will take place in the Brush Creek area. Meet at east side of the library parking lot at 204 E 100 N, Vernal, UT

September 30/Friday

Field Trips 8:00 a.m.

See a detail description of field trips on the website. Meet at the Uintah Conference Center in the east parking lot at 8:00 AM. Look for your field trip leader with a sign for the trip you signed up for.

Speaker Meeting 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Speakers should bring copies of their presentations to the Uintah Conference Center so they can be tested and loaded onto the presentation computer.

Watermelon Social 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

The watermelon social is in the park adjacent to the Heritage Museum from 6:00 to 7:00 PM. The Heritage Museum will stay open an extra hour so you can visit and attend a special lecture.

Heritage Museum Special Speakers 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Following the watermelon social, listen to Dr Byron Loosle and Dr Judson Finley speak on the Uinta Basin Fremont at the Heritage Museum. This event is open to the public.

October 1/Saturday

Doors Open 7:00 a.m.

Breakfast snacks and coffee available in the morning.

Speaker Presentations 8:00 a.m.

The lectures are at the Uintah Conference Center. See a complete list of speakers and scheduled times on the URARA website. Coffee and snacks available during breaks.

Lunch 11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Speaker Presentations 1:00 p.m. – 4:10 p.m.

Banquet 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

The banquet is at the Uintah Conference Center. Buffet: Steak, chicken, veggie pasta salad, baked potato, salad, cheesecake, lemonade

Auction and Awards 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

The auction and awards ceremony is at the Uintah Conference Center.

October 2/Sunday

Doors Open 7:00 a.m.

Breakfast snacks and coffee available in the morning.

Speaker Presentations 8:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.

The lectures are at the Uintah Conference Center. See a complete list of speakers and scheduled times on the URARA website. Coffee and snacks available during breaks.

Lunch/Board Meeting 11:40 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Membership Meeting 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Speaker Presentations 1:30 p.m. – 4:40 a.m.

October 3/Monday

Field Trips 8:00 a.m.

See a detailed description of field trips on the website. Meet at the Uintah Conference Center in the east parking lot at 8:00 AM. Look for your field trip leader with a sign for the trip you signed up for.