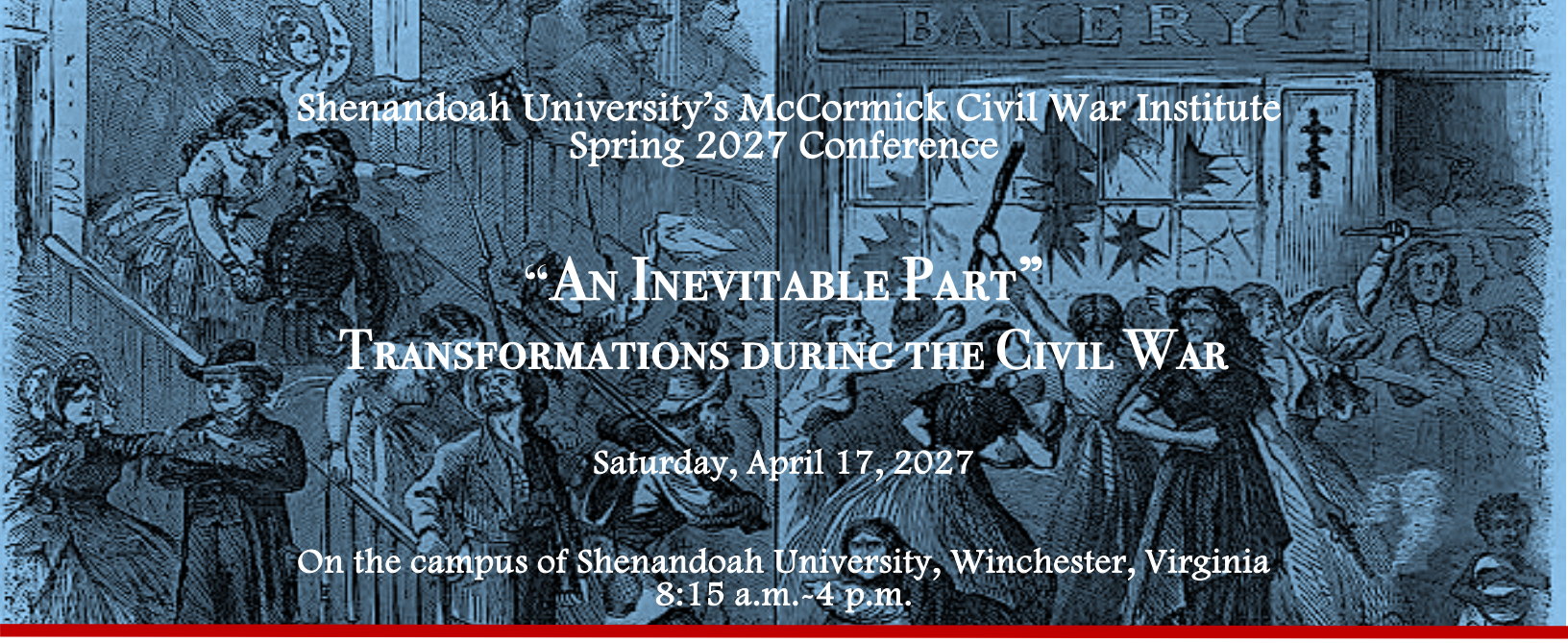


Shenandoah University's McCormick Civil War Institute
Spring 2027 Conference

"An Inevitable Part"
Transformations during the Civil War

Saturday, April 17, 2027

On the campus of Shenandoah University, Winchester, Virginia
8:15 a.m.-4 p.m.



The Civil War proved a transformative moment for the United States and for the soldiers who fought in it, the family members they left behind, the civilians caught in the war's maelstrom, and the communities touched by the war. During its spring 2027 conference, Shenandoah University's McCormick Civil War Institute will explore various transformations that took place during the conflict and the legacies of those changes.

Tentative Schedule of Sessions

8:15-9:10 a.m.	Check-in, Shenandoah University, Henkel Hall (1460 University Drive, Winchester, VA)
9:10-9:15 a.m.	Welcome
9:15-10:10 a.m.	"If… the People… Would Unite": Reflections on Loyalty Among Soldiers, Their Families, and Their Communities (*Jonathan A. Noyalas, Shenandoah University*)
10:10-10:20 a.m.	Break
10:20-11:20 a.m.	General George Meade and the Army of the Potomac (*Jennifer M. Murray, Shepherd University*)
11:20 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Lunch
12:30-1:25 p.m.	In a Fight for Liberty and Equality: The Lives of Free People of Color during the Civil War (*Warren Eugene Milteer, Jr, George Washington University*)
1:25-1:35 p.m.	Break
1:35-2:30 p.m.	"Things had Taken a Change": Loyalty, Property, and the Southern Claims Commission in the Lower Shenandoah Valley (*Jonathan E. Tracey, Cedar Creek and Belle Grove National Historical Park*)
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Break and Book Raffle
2:45-3:40 p.m.	Making Civil War Memory: Portrait Photography and the Rise of Visual Democracy in America (*Ronald S. Coddington, Military Images)*
3:40-**4:0**0 p.m.	Concluding Remarks

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Registration Information

$30 registration fee, check should be made payable to "Shenandoah University." Fee covers cost of all presentations and lunch. Space is limited so register early. You can register via the attached paper form or online at www.su.edu/mcwi. Questions can be directed to MCWI's director via email jnoyalas01@su.edu or phone 540-665-4501.

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