

Defined by innovation and perseverance, Ohio has long been a land of *firsts*—from transformative inventions and historic movements to pioneering cultural institutions. As we approach America's 250th anniversary, museums are not just reflecting on the legacy we've inherited, but actively shaping the future to come.

In an era of challenge and change, museums have proven their *resilience*—adapting to new realities, redefining their roles, and continuing to serve as vital pillars in their communities. But resilience is more than survival, it is the soil in which we *grow*.

What will it take to sustain this momentum? How can we continue to innovate while honoring our roots? What does it look like to grow with intention—driven by mission, grounded in equity, and ready to meet the next generation head-on?

Join us in Columbus, April 18-20, 2026 for the Ohio Museums Association's Annual Conference, [Resilience through Growth: From Firsts to Futures](#), as we chart a course forward—rooted in legacy, powered by resilience, and inspired by the promise of what's next.



SATURDAY FIRSTS & FUTURES TOURS—APRIL 18, 2026

(Ticket Required)

See more of Columbus and join us on Saturday, April 18 for a full day of exploration on our *Firsts to Futures* tour. This immersive experience will take attendees to seven organizations that celebrate the city's trailblazers and visionaries. From historic landmarks to creative spaces leading the way forward, these stops celebrate innovators and pioneers who defined Columbus' past, and places that continue to inspire its future. For complete details, see page 4.

SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2025

9:00am-3:00pm

Conference Registration at Embassy Suites Dublin

Welcome to Columbus, and the [Embassy Suites Dublin!](#)

10:00 am–11:30 am OSU Morning Walking Tour *(Ticket Required)*

(Transportation to/from OSU not provided for morning tour)

Join us for a special walking tour of several locations on The Ohio State University's storied "Oval," with Dr. Loren Babcock, Professor, School of Earth Sciences and Director of the Orton Geological Museum. On this tour, attendees will explore the treasures in OSU's Orton Hall, Hayes Hall, Hopkins Hall, the Wexner Center for the Arts, the John Glenn Center, and OSU's Main Library.

12:00 pm–2:00 pm NEW FOR 2026: Affinity Group Lunches

(Ticket required, lunch included in ticket)

Introducing Affinity Group Lunches for 2026! Continue the energy of our bi-monthly virtual chats, only this time, face-to-face. Join fellow professionals in your area of focus—**Directors, Membership, and Underground Railroad Sites**—for a guided lunchtime discussion that digs deeper into the topics shaping your work. Connect, share insights, compare challenges, and walk away with ideas you can immediately put into practice.

12:30 pm–3:00 pm OSU Afternoon Walking Tour *(Ticket Required)*

(Transportation to/from OSU IS provided for afternoon tour to evening event)

Join us for a special walking tour of several locations on The Ohio State University's storied "Oval," with Dr. Loren Babcock, Professor, School of Earth Sciences and Director of the Orton Geological Museum. On this tour, attendees will explore the treasures in OSU's Orton Hall, Hayes Hall, Hopkins Hall, the Wexner Center for the Arts, the John Glenn Center, and OSU's Main Library.

Sunday Workshops

(Ticket Required—Can be included as add-on to conference registration)

12:00am-2:00pm The Death of the Gala: Fundraising Reimagined at the National Museum of the Great Lakes

Faced with changing donor expectations and post-pandemic realities, the National Museum of the Great Lakes abandoned its traditional gala to reimagine fundraising through mission-driven sponsorships, strategic partnerships, and the creation of The Admiral Society. Learn how intentional innovation can deepen community impact, grow revenue, and align fundraising with core values.

Speaker: *Sara Smith, Director of Institutional Advancement, National Museum of the Great Lakes*

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Sunday Workshops, continued

12:00-3:00pm Building the Dream: A Case Study in Designing A Collections Care Center for Diverse Collections

Off-Site Workshop at Ohio History Center—Transportation Included

Curators from the Ohio History Connection share their new Collections Care Center, a 29,000 square foot state-of-the-art, environmentally sustainable collections storage facility. See and learn how the building safely houses a variety of collection types, from textiles and taxidermy to art and fossils, and accounts for future growth.

Speakers: *Becky Odom, History Curator/Manager, Ohio History Connection; David Dyer, Senior Curator of Natural History, Ohio History Connection; Marlise Schoeny, Curator of History, Ohio History Connection*

3:00 pm Buses Leave Embassy Suites for Evening Event

3:30pm–4:15pm Explore [Ohio History Center](#)

4:30pm-6:30pm Downtown Columbus Museum Party

Enjoy the rest of our evening exploring three downtown Columbus museum gems: [Columbus Museum of Art](#), [COSI](#), and the [National Veterans Memorial and Museum](#). Guests can walk and explore on their own, or after about 40 minutes at each stop, buses will rotate to a new location before returning to the Embassy Suites at 6:30pm.

7:00 pm –9:30 pm OMA Annual Awards Program Dinner

Sponsored by Museum Acrylics Co.

Dinner will be held at OMA2026 HQ, the Embassy Suites Dublin.

Enjoy networking with museum professionals from across the state as the Ohio Museums Association recognizes our [2025 Visual Communication and Award of Achievement](#) winners.

10:00 pm -? 2026 Opening Night Afterparty

Sponsored by Ohio's EMP Chapters

Join fellow conference attendees off-site, at Dublin's nearby iconic Bridge Park district at this OMA 2025 opening night afterparty! Ohio's EMP Chapters welcome all museum pros and Emerging Museum Professionals to enjoy networking & fun at this annual conference kickoff afterparty.

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8:00am-3:05pm Registration Desk and Exhibit Hall Open

8:20am-9:10am Welcome Breakfast & OMA Annual Meeting

The 2026 Conference begins with the Annual Meeting of the Membership. Meet the OMA Board of Trustees, vote on officers, and learn what OMA has in store for 2026!

8:00am-3:05pm OMA 50/50 Raffle

Get your raffle tickets for OMA's 50/50 raffle! Support Ohio's museums and the work OMA does on behalf of Ohio's museum community, and enter to win a cash prize in the process!



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8:00am-3:05pm NEW FOR 2026:

Museum Pro Little Free Library

Give a book, take a book! Share your gently used museum-related titles—reference works, admin guides, exhibition resources, and more—with fellow attendees. Browse the community pile, discover something new, and pass along the books you're ready to let go. It's an easy, sustainable way to swap knowledge and support your colleagues across the field.

9:15am-10:15am CONCURRENT SESSIONS MORNING I:

Growing Donations with Sustainable Strategies

Individual donors are the largest source of philanthropy in the United States. At a time when nonprofits are seeking resiliency and growth, our focus on fundraising must be a top priority. Learn practical strategies that you can implement and sustain that will help build transparency, trust, and long term relationships.

Speakers: *Catherine Timko, Executive Director, Lake Erie Nature & Science Center*

Corridor Culture: Museum-Led Revitalization on Livingston Avenue

Discover how a neighborhood museum can drive corridor revitalization through art, storytelling, and community partnerships. Learn from Rickenbacker Woods Foundation's low-cost "micro-win" model—combining youth programs, local merchants, and historic legacies—to boost safety, engagement, and economic vitality while creating a replicable blueprint for museum-led neighborhood transformation.

Speakers: *Michael Aaron, Executive Director, Rickenbacker Woods Foundation*

"I'm Board"—Ideas on how to "Game-ify" your Collections Using Non-Digital Games

After a brief introduction, this session will aim to provide inspiration, through a series of examples, of how museum staff can better engage visitors of all ages by utilizing their collections and the popular pastime of gaming (board games, card games, role-playing). Learning really can be fun!

Speakers: *Gwenyth Haney, Collections Manager/Registrar, Dayton History*

Growing Together in Central Ohio: A Community Approach to Museum Resilience

Discover how Central Ohio museums turned collaboration into a membership powerhouse. Learn how our CMAP (Columbus Member Advantage Program) network of membership managers shares ideas, solves challenges, and creates reciprocal benefits for members—and leave with a roadmap to build your own community-wide partnership.

Speakers: *Patrick Bradford, Membership Manager, Wexner Center for the Arts; Meghan Federer, Assistant Director, The Works; Holly Guggenbiller, Membership Manager, Columbus Museum of Art; Maureen Mason, Annual Giving Manager, National Veterans Memorial and Museum; Deidra Nolan, Membership Relations Manager, Franklin Park Conservatory & Gardens; Dawn Orozco, Membership Coordinator, Columbus Zoo & Aquarium; Truda Shinker, Membership Department Manager, Ohio History Connection; Ashley Witte, Membership Manager, COSI*

10:15am-11:00 am MORNING BREAK AND ROUNDTABLE SESSION

Take a break to explore the OMA exhibit hall, and network with your colleagues in the ballroom during our morning roundtable sessions. Choose one of many discussion tables with topics important to Ohio museum professionals.

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11:05am-12:05pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS MORNING II:

Historic Building Envelopes: How to Approach Maintenance + Repair + Restoration

We will discuss several issues with historic building envelopes, reviewing how to identify causes and repair methods. We will outline when to bring in another party such as an architect, structural engineer, or contractor to assist the solution process. We encourage attendees to bring photos of their exteriors for discussion.

Speakers: *Patrick Hyland, Senior Architect, Perspectus; Brian Broadus, Senior Architect, Perspectus; Mike Mazzocco, Structural Engineer, Barber & Hoffman*

Eco Made: Celebrating Art, Science, and America 250

A dynamic panel discussion exploring how art, science, and environmental leadership intersect to celebrate 250 years of American innovation while inspiring sustainable futures through creativity, collaboration, and care for Ohio's natural resources and landscapes.

Speakers: *Margarita Vilshanetskaya, Manager of the Office of the President and Community Art Curator, COSI; Kim Nagorski, Executive Director, Ohio Craft Museum; Marcia Armstrong, Environmental Artist, Ohio Craft Museum; Stephen White, Sr. VP of Partnerships & Business Development, COSI; Laurie Miller, Director of Living Collections, COSI; Mary Mertz, Director, Ohio Department of Natural History; Brandon Miller, Owner, 3rd Reality Media; Maria Burke, Owner, Stromatolite Studios*

Nature as Living History: How to Expand Your Museum Outdoors

Trees are living history. A museum's landscape can attract an audience that appreciates both the outdoors and history. Learn more about arboreta and how they act as a tree museum that provides beauty, education, & plant knowledge while learning horticulture best practices.

Speakers: *Leslie Wagner, Historian, Dawes Arboretum; Greg Payton, Curator of Living Collections*

Pilot to Practice: Lessons from the OMA Accessibility Committee

Discover how to establish, structure, and maintain effective accessibility committees within cultural organizations. Drawing on the 2024-2025 pilot OMA Accessibility Committee's experiences, leading up to the 2025 OMA conference, attendees will leave with a practical toolkit of templates and action plans to enhance inclusivity for this disability community.

Speakers: *Megan Fitze, Executive Director, Art Possible Ohio; Katie Shelley, Conda Family Manager of Access Initiatives, Toledo Museum of Art; Tom Babinski, Founder, Even Grounds*

12:10pm-1:30pm LUNCHEON & PLENARY ADDRESS

OMA Welcomes Laura Huerta Migus, Director of Fellowship Alumni Engagement and National Activation & Impact, Aspen Institute

Museums as Anchors for Community Resilience

Over the last decade, we have all had to navigate an unrelenting pace of change: from economic upheavals to the global health crises, to quantum leaps forward in technology, and more.

These changes affect us as individuals, institutions, and communities—how do we respond as people and professionals effectively and within our mission and means?

How do we lean into the strengths of our practice and places for sustainability and community connection? This talk will explore these questions and offer ways forward for museum leaders at all levels.



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1:30pm-2:30pm CONCURRENT
SESSIONS AFTERNOON I:



Keynote Workshop: Leading Resilient Museums

The role of museum executive has always been complex, requiring high-functioning across a number of domains: fundraising, talent management, content expertise, and political acumen, just to name a few. In this focused session, museum leaders will have the opportunity to dig deeper into the opportunities and challenges the current landscape offers from the local to the federal level.

Speaker: *Laura Huerta Migus, Director of Fellowship Alumni Engagement and National Activation & Impact, Ascend at the Aspen Institute*

Bridging the Divide: Insights into Museum and Academic Library Collaborations

This session presents national survey results investigating collaborative efforts between museums and academic libraries. From the responses, professionals across both sectors, a nuanced landscape of partnership potential, barriers, and benefits emerges. Benefits of collaboration include shared expertise, programming, and resource exchange; particularly in digitization, grant writing, and educational outreach.

Speakers: *Virginia Dressler, Digital Projects Librarian, Kent State University; Kelley Rowan, Digital Archives Librarian, Florida International University*

The New Discursive Exhibition: GenAI and Participatory Museum Experiences

This session explores how GenAI could redefine discursive museum exhibitions, enabling participatory storytelling, interactive interpretation, and responsive engagement. Focusing on GenAI driven dialogue systems, virtual guides, and creative co-production, it examines how museums can use GenAI to foster critical reflection, inclusivity, and collaboration while navigating emerging ethical and curatorial challenges.

Speakers: *Basil Masri Zada, Assistant Professor of Instruction, Digital Art + Technology, Ohio University; Carlos R. Pacheco, Adjunct Professor, School of Art, CVPA, George Mason University*

Beyond the Register: Building Community Through Museum Shops and Marketing

Marketing and museum merchandising aren't just support—they engage audiences, reinforce mission, and drive revenue. Gift shops can become community hubs, connecting local artisans, crafters, and authors. Aligning marketing with merchandise and hosting events like craft fairs or workshops creates cohesive, engaging experiences that strengthen brand identity and invite repeat visits.

Speaker: *Madison Maniaci, Marketing & Engagement Manager, Lorain Historical Society*

2:35pm-3:05pm AFTERNOON BREAK

Take a break to explore the OMA exhibit hall, network with your colleagues, and get those final 50/50 raffle tickets! Raffle winner will be announced prior to the Afternoon II sessions.

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3:10pm-4:10pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS AFTERNOON II:
Moving a BIG Organization on a TINY Budget

Whatever the reason, and whatever the obstacles—the funding, strategic planning, logistics and public relations for museums are universal. In March 2022, Columbus Glass Art Center learned they would move for a 4th time in its 38 year history. We'll discuss triumphs and tragedies that a small non-profit studio, with a staff of five and an annual budget well under \$1M came up against to get its doors reopened. Whether you work with a large institution or a small enterprise, there are lessons to be learned from our experience.

Speaker: *Melody Reed, Executive Director, Columbus Glass Art Center*

Summer and Beyond! Building Community-Centered Partnerships with Public Libraries

Much like museums, libraries offer more than many people expect. Join library consultants from the State Library of Ohio to brainstorm ways to collaborate with your public libraries for programming, education and engagement. Let's make connections, elevate our shared values, and enhance our visibility and community impact together.

Speakers: *Katy Hite, Adult Services Library Consultant, State Library of Ohio; Janet Ingraham Dwyer, Youth Services Library Consultant, State Library of Ohio*

Creating, Recreating, and Sunsetting Educational Programs

In this workshop, attendees will learn the tools to evaluate current programs based around staff needs, fiscal responsibility, and audience and attendance goals, while keeping accessibility in mind. These tools can be utilized to measure new and established programming with a goal of avoiding burnout.

Speaker: *Caylan Rentsch, Outreach and Programs Coordinator, Massillon Museum; Jessica Runyon, Senior Manager of Learning and Outreach, Taft Museum of Art*

Creating a More Inclusive Art Museum Experience for the Blind and Other Disabled Visitors

This session will illustrate key digital tools and takeaways for blind and other disabled museum visitors within augmented reality, virtual reality, artificial intelligence, and visual interpreting. Examples and resources will be provided in creating a more accessible and inclusive museum experience for all.

Speakers: *Joy Mistovich, Assistant Education Director/Digital UX Accessibility Specialist, Butler Institute of American Art*

4:10pm CONFERENCE
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FIRSTS AND FUTURES TOUR

9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (Ticket Required—Includes transportation)

Cost: \$60

Guests will start at OMA2026 HQ, the Embassy Suites Dublin, where we'll load the bus for a full day of museum exploration. Tour stops will include:

Poindexter Village + Union Grove Baptist Church: 10:15am - 11:05am

Franklin Park Conservatory & Botanical Gardens: 11:15am - 12:50pm

Rickenbacker Woods Foundation & Learning Center: 1:10pm - 1:40pm

Ohio Statehouse Museum: 1:55pm - 2:55pm

OSU Urban Art Space: 3:05pm - 3:35pm

Columbus Museum of Art at the Pizzuti: 3:45pm - 4:30pm

Lunch will be on the attendee's own at the Franklin Park Conservatory's beautiful Garden Cafe. Bus will return guests to the Embassy Suites Dublin at the conclusion of the tour.

Visit ohiomuseums.org/2026conference for a full description of what attendees can experience during the 2026 *Firsts to Futures* Tour.

SUNDAY TOUR - APRIL 18, 2026

Join us for a special walking tour of several locations on The Ohio State University's storied "Oval," with Dr. Loren Babcock, Professor, School of Earth Sciences and Director of the Orton Geological Museum. On this tour, attendees will explore the treasures in OSU's Orton Hall, Hayes Hall, the Wexner Center for the Arts, the John Glenn Center, and OSU's Main Library. Two tour opportunities will be held:

OSU SUNDAY MORNING WALKING TOUR

10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. (Ticket Required)

Cost: \$15 members; \$25 non-members

PLEASE NOTE: Transportation to and from Embassy Suites Dublin is **NOT** provided, and is the responsibility of the attendee

OSU SUNDAY AFTERNOON WALKING TOUR

12:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m. (Ticket Required)

Cost: \$50 members; \$60 non-members

PLEASE NOTE: The afternoon tour **INCLUDES** transportation from the Embassy Suites to OSU. At the end of the tour, attendees will be shuttled to the Ohio History Center for the Start of the Sunday Evening Event—Downtown Columbus Museum party. If attendees have not purchased a full conference registration or a Sunday evening event ticket, they will need to secure transportation back to the Embassy Suites Dublin.

Visit ohiomuseums.org/2026conference for a full description of what attendees can experience during the 2026 OSU Walking Tour.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

Embassy Suites Dublin, 5100 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, Ohio, 43017

Book by phone: 800.220.9219 or [online at this link](#).

Group name: 2026 Ohio Museum Association Conference; Group Code: 92X

Discounted room rates:

All rooms: \$129.00 per night, + tax.

Ask for the "2026 Ohio Museum Association Conference" group name at the time reservation is made. Reservation cut-off date: **March 28, 2026.**

Rates will be honored pending hotel availability.

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Ohio Museums Association's Student Scholarship

Through generous donations, OMA is very proud to once again offer students seeking careers in the museum field **Full Conference Student Scholarships** for OMA 2026 in Columbus.

Scholarships include all Sunday and Monday conference activities and registration, a one night (Sunday, April 19) stay at the Embassy Suites, and a 2026 OMA Student Membership.

As part of the OMA Scholarship, each recipient is also responsible for writing one article for the OMA blog.

[Click here to submit your scholarship packet online](#), or get complete student scholarship information on the [Scholarship Page](#).

Deadline to apply: February 9, 2026.

Those selected for 2026 Scholarships will be notified no later than March 13, 2026.

Scholarships are non-refundable, and not exchangeable for cash.

Travel is not included in this scholarship, and is the responsibility of the attendee.

OMA Conference Fellowships

OMA is excited to offer conference fellowships to museum professionals at OMA2026. These fellowships are available to non-students, currently working or volunteering at an Ohio museum, or for professionals currently seeking a career in museums.

Fellowships include all Sunday and Monday conference activities and registration, along with a 2026 OMA Individual Membership.

As part of the OMA Fellowship, each recipient is also responsible for writing one article for the OMA blog. Each fellowship recipient must also serve on an OMA standing committee for one year. These committees meet virtually throughout the year, typically once every 2-3 months, at the discretion of the committee chair.

[Click here to submit your fellowship application online](#), or get complete information on the [Fellowship Page](#).

Deadline to apply: February 9, 2026.

Those selected for 2026 Fellowships will be notified no later than March 13, 2026.

Fellowships are non-refundable, and not exchangeable for cash. Travel is not included in this fellowship, and is the responsibility of the attendee.

OMA Conference Social Media Ambassadors

Back for 2026, OMA is excited to continue our Social Media Ambassador program. These Ambassadors will help create a robust online presence during OMA2026 - both for folks joining us in-person in Columbus, and for those not able to attend the conference.

Social Media Ambassador benefits include all Saturday, Sunday, and Monday conference activities and registration, along with a 2026 OMA Individual Membership.

A complete list of Social Media Ambassador responsibilities is available on the [Social Media Ambassadors Page](#).

[Click here to submit your ambassador application online](#).

Deadline to apply: February 9, 2026.

Those selected as 2026 Ambassadors will be notified no later than March 13, 2026.

Ambassadorships are non-refundable, and not exchangeable for cash. Travel is not included in this ambassadorship, and is the responsibility of the attendee.



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2026 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact Telephone or Cell Phone Number: _____

Please list any access, communication, or dietary needs (Braille materials, ALS interpretation, etc.):

I will need personal assistance during the conference

I am interested in providing personal assistance to fellow conference goers during the conference

(If you check this box, you will receive a follow-up survey to share what areas you would feel comfortable assisting.)

Sunday/Monday Registration—Early Bird Rate

Early Bird Rates good through March 1, 2026.

\$220 Members

\$245 Non-Members

Sun/Mon registration includes the following meals and conference activities. Please indicate ALL events you plan to attend listed below:

(Saturday tours & Sunday workshops are NOT included in this registration, but can be purchased separately)

Sunday Tours & Evening Event

Sunday EMP Gathering

Monday Breakfast

Monday Luncheon

Will you be riding the bus during the Sunday evening tour, or driving on your own?

Bus

Driving on own

Limited Edition OMA 2026 T-Shirts

Back for 2026—Celebrate the unique culture of Columbus with our limited edition OMA 2026 t-shirt, designed by local artist, Irina Babcock. Shirts are locally printed on cotton tees, available in sizes Small-4XL.

Please indicate size below. Pick-up on-site.

2026 T-Shirt: \$25

Size: (Small-4XL)



Single Day Registration—Early Bird Rate

Early Bird Rates good through March 1, 2026.

Monday Day: \$175 Members

Monday Day: \$200 Non-Members

Monday registration includes breakfast, lunch, and daytime conference events.

Monday Student Registration: \$35
Student ID required. Student registration does not include meals or Sunday conference events.

Single Event Registration:

Saturday Firsts and Futures Tours: \$60

Fundraising Workshop Mem: \$20; Non-mem: \$30

Collections Workshop Mem: \$40; Non-mem: \$50

Sunday Affinity Group Luncheons: \$40
Director Membership UGRR

OSU Morning Walking Tour Member: \$15

OSU Morning Walking Tour (non-mem.): \$25

OSU Afternoon Walking Tour Member: \$40

OSU Afternoon Walking Tour (non-mem.): \$50

Sunday Tour & Awards Dinner: \$70

Sunday EMP Reception: (Free)

Monday Breakfast (stand alone): \$30

Monday Keynote Lunch (stand alone): \$50

Individual Membership:

Membership valid through January 15, 2026.
[\(For institutional membership renewal, click here.\)](#)

Individual Membership: \$48

Student/Retiree Membership: \$30

Conference Fee Totals:

Registration Fee \$ _____

Single Event Ticket \$ _____

Membership Renewal \$ _____

Tax-Deductible Donation \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Payment Method (check one):

Check*

Credit Card (On-line registrations)

Purchase Order (attach copy)

*Checks payable to Ohio Museums Association

Please check if you DO NOT want your contact information listed in the conference attendee list.

Registration Policy:

Early Bird Rates good through **March 1, 2026**. After March 1, Full and Single-Day registration increase \$20. Onsite registrations are welcome at a \$20 increase, but meals are not guaranteed.

Cancellation Policy:

80% refund for cancellations before March 1, 2026. No refunds after March 1, 2026.

Code of Conduct, Health, & Photo Policy:

By submitting this registration form, you are agreeing to OMA's Code of Conduct, Health, and Photo Policy for this event. Policies are available to review on the [OMA Conference Registration Page](#).

Mail or e-mail registration form and payment to:

Ohio Museums Association

800 E. 17th Ave.

Columbus, OH 43211

oma@ohiohistory.org

For TTY/TDD use Ohio Relay Service: 1.800.750.0750.

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Register online: ohiomuseums.org