The Toni Morrison Society invites proposals for papers to be presented at the 2020 American Literature Association Meeting.

The Society invites papers that consider Toni Morrison's legacies as a novelist, essayist, editor, lyricist, and/or culture worker. Papers should address Morrison's legacy in one of these three areas: What is Morrison's enduring relation to the African American and American literary traditions of the late 20th, early 21st centuries, to Black women writers, and/or to other "major authors"? What is Morrison’s enduring critique of the cultural, social, and political issues that impact our personal lives and the national and international worlds in which we live? Papers might also explore Morrison's legacy in relation to themes in her work (across genres), to style (as it evolved over the years), and to public discourses (across disciplines). Send proposals (250/500 words as well as academic affiliation) to Furaha Norton (furahanorton@gmail.com) Deadline for proposals: January 25th, 2019.