

**Call for Papers: Harriet Beecher Stowe and Genealogy  
Session at the American Literature Association Conference  
Sponsored by the Stowe Society**

**Deadline for Submissions: January 11, 2025**

We invite proposals for papers exploring the connections between Harriet Beecher Stowe and genealogy for the American Literature Association conference. This panel aims to examine Stowe's work and legacy through the lens of genealogy, considering how family history, either her personal history or that of the characters in her novels, influenced her writing and/or social activism.

**Possible topics may include:**

- Stowe's use of family history and genealogy in her literary works
- The role of ancestral relationships in shaping Stowe's abolitionist and social justice advocacy
- Genealogical research and its impact on our understanding of Stowe's life and work
- Stowe's representation of family and ancestry in her writing
- The intersection of genealogy and literary analysis in understanding Stowe's contributions to American literature

**Submission Guidelines:**

- Please submit 250-500 word abstracts and brief CV to [nschultz@salemstate.edu](mailto:nschultz@salemstate.edu) and [ldamico@uiwtx.edu](mailto:ldamico@uiwtx.edu)

**Notification of Acceptance:** February 15, 2025

**Conference Details:**

We look forward to receiving your proposals!

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