

Conference Keynoter

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LaDonna Garner, M.A., is a historical and genealogical consultant in Southeast Missouri. She is a frequent speaker at state and national genealogy conferences. LaDonna earned an M.A. in Historic Preservation and focuses on forgotten communities and cemetery preservation. She has held various genealogical society positions including vice-president, editor, fundraiser, speaker, syllabus chair, and active volunteer as well as a curator for a historic property. Her current project regards the recording and mapping of minority communities in S.E. Missouri. Garner is passionately merging genealogy and historic preservation for a greater understanding of people, places, and cultural heritage.



Friday, Oct. 13, 2017: *“African-American Genealogy Basics”*

Saturday, Oct. 14, 2017: Keynote: *“Citing and Logging Your Genealogy Research”*

*“Probate Records:
A Genealogist Tool That
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