



List of Attendees – Arts and Culture Research Event

Scholars		
Name	Title	Institution
Karl Aspelund	Assistant Professor, Department of Textiles, Fashion Merchandising, and Design	University of Rhode Island
Peter Bortolotti	Associate Professor, Marketing	Johnson and Wales University
Rae Caloura	Practitioner Faculty, Marketing	Providence College
Tanni Chaudhuri	Assistant Professor, Sociology Department	Rhode Island College
Janet Dean	Professor of English	Bryant University
Elizabeth Debs	Critic, Interior Architecture	Rhode Island School of Design
Dawn Edmondson	Associate Professor, Department of Architectural Building Engineering Technology/Interior Design, Civil Engineering Technology/Construction Management	New England Institute of Technology
Robert Eisinger	Professor and Dean, College of Arts and Sciences	Roger Williams University
Scheri Fultineer	Associate Professor, Landscape Architecture	Rhode Island School of Design
Laura Gabiger	Professor	Johnson and Wales University
Martin Gardner	Adjunct Assistant Professor of Education (Research)	Brown University
Elizabeth Henshaw	Associate Professor, Elementary Education	Rhode Island College



Daniel Hewett	Executive Director of Research and Faculty, Interior Architecture	Rhode Island School of Design
Ernest Jolicoeur	Assistant Professor, Art and Art History	Salve Regina University
Kristin Kennedy	Professor of Mathematics	Bryant University
Sally Kingsbury	Professor, Digital Media Production	New England Institute of Technology
Joseph Lacouture	Professor, Art and Art History	Salve Regina University
Gregory Laramie	Associate Dean, SAAHP	Roger Williams University
Francis Leazes	Professor, Political Science Department	Rhode Island College
Michelle LeBrun	Faculty, Communication Studies	University of Rhode Island
Hilary Levey Friedman	Visiting Assistant Professor of American Studies	Brown University
Meg McKenna	Professor and Chair, Department of Electrical Technology/Electrical Technology with Renewable Energy Systems	New England Institute of Technology
William McKenzie	Professor, School of Business	Roger Williams University
Dana Neugent	Adjunct Assistant Professor of Film/Media and Media Supervisor	University of Rhode Island
Cathy Nicoli	Assistant Professor, Performing Arts	Roger Williams University



Gavino Puggioni	Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science and Statistics	University of Rhode Island
Claudia Rebola	Associate Professor, Industrial Design	Rhode Island School of Design
Susan Smulyan	Professor of American Studies and Director, John Nicholas Brown Center	Brown University
Eva Sutton	Professor, Photography	Rhode Island School of Design
Stephen White	Dean, School of Architecture, Art, and Historic Preservation	Roger Williams University
Travis Williams	Associate Professor, Department of English	University of Rhode Island
Susan Zoll	Assistant Professor and Director, Institute for Early Childhood Teaching & Learning	Rhode Island College
William Zywiak	Instructor, Mathematics	Bryant University

Community Members		
Name	Title	Organization
Adrienne Adeyemi	Director of Grants to Organizations, Grant Manager	RI State Council on the Arts
Bill Applegate	General Manager	The Players at Barker Playhouse
Mary-Kim Arnold	Director of Evaluation and Learning	Rhode Island Foundation
Dr. Billye Auclair	Associate Provost	Johnson and Wales University
Rebecca Bertrand	Managing Director	newportFILM
Marisa Brown	Assistant Director of Programs	John Nicholas Brown Center



Sherilyn Brown	Director of Education Programs	RI State Council on the Arts
Winnie Brownell	Dean	University of Rhode Island College of Arts and Sciences
Margie Butler	Brand Strategy Consultant	Margie Butler Brand Strategy
Kathryn Calnan	Director of Development	Trinity Repertory Company
Jennifer Canole	Associate Director of Development	Trinity Repertory Company
Amber Caulkins	Program Director	The Collaborative
Jeannine Chartier	Executive and Artistic Director	VSA Arts
Paige Clausius-Parks	Member of Board of Directors	Fusionworks Dance Company
Robert Cole	Vice Provost	Roger Williams University
Deborah Concannon	First Vice President	Chopin Club
Bethany Costello	Associate Director, Community Relations	Rhode Island School of Design
Cristina DiCheria	Director of Individual Artists Programs	RI State Council on the Arts
Norah Diedrich	Executive Director	Newport Art Museum
Rob Dimmick	Actor, Director, and Playwright	
Dan Egan	President	AICU Rhode Island
Barnaby Evans	Creator and Executive Artistic Director	Waterfire Providence
Nancy Evans Lloyd	Planning Committee Member	The Sandra Feinstein Gamm Theatre
Donald Farish	President	Roger Williams University
Steven Feinberg	Executive Director	RI Film and Television Office
Elizabeth Francis	Executive Director	Rhode Island Council for the Humanities
Ann Galligan		Northeastern University
Marie Ganim	Policy Director	State of Rhode Island
Mark Gee	Senator	State of Rhode Island



Rebekah Greenwald	Executive Director	Riverzedge Arts
Morgan Grefe	Executive Director	RI Historical Society
Tim Harrigan	Policy and Information Specialist, Dataspark	ProvPlan
Logan Hinderliter	Program Associate, Grants and Partnerships	Rhode Island Council for the Humanities
Sunil Iyengar	Director, Office of Research and Analysis	National Endowment for the Arts
Wendy Ingram	Director	The Art Connection RI
Betsy Jones	Management Assistant and Internship Program Coordinator	Waterfire Providence
Charles Kehres	Business Manager	Island Moving Co.
Elizabeth Keithline	Artist	
Daniel Kertzner	Senior Philanthropic Advisor for Funding Partnerships	Rhode Island Foundation
SueEllen Kroll	Director of Grants and Strategic Partnerships	Rhode Island Council for the Humanities
Robert B. Lancia	State Representative, District 16	State of Rhode Island
Maryann Lancia	Spouse, Robert Lancia	
Christine Lichatz	Board Member	New Urban Farmers
Katherine Long	Principal	KLongGrants, The Preservation Society of Newport County
Alyssa Lozupone	Preservation Policy Research Specialist	The Preservation Society of Newport County
Polly Lyman	Director of Development	Newport Art Museum
Xander Marro	Artist	
George T. Marshall	Executive Director	Rhode Island International Film Festival
Nancy McAuliffe	Artistic Director	RI Ballet Arts Academy
Elena Monteiro	Staffer/Scheduler/Coordinator	Rep. James P. Langevin



Nancy Moore		East Providence Historical Society
John Muggeridge	VP, Public Affairs	Fidelity Investments
Stephanie Nitke		
Kathleen Oliverio	Entertainer	
Teresa Paiva-Weed	Senator	State of Rhode Island
Seongah Park		University of Rhode Island
Francis Parra	Co-Founder and Artistic Director	ECAS Theater
Carole Ann Penney	Director of Operations	Rhode Island Council for the Humanities
Ricardo Pitts-Wiley	Author and Theatre Artist	Mixed Magic Theatre
Margherita Pryor	Environmental Programs Specialist	US Environmental Protection Agency
Katherine Quinn	Founder and President	Anthony Quinn Foundation
Beth Ricci	Grant Writer	Providence Public Library
Ray Rickman	President	Rickman Group
Randall Rosenbaum	Executive Director	RI State Council on the Arts
Kaity Ryan	Manager of Preservation Policy	The Preservation Society of Newport County
Ryan Saunders	Executive Director	Chorus of Westerly
Daniel Schleifer	Executive Director	New Urban Arts
Dee Schneidman	Research Manager	New England Foundation for the Arts
Molly Sexton	Writer	
Kathleen Shannon		The Collaborative
Josh Short	Founding Artistic Director	Wilbury Theatre Group
Galen Shrand	Intern	AICU Rhode Island
Libby Slader	Interior Designer	Libby Slader Interior Design
Howie Sneider	Executive Director	The Steel Yard



Loren Spears	Executive Director	Tomaquag Museum
Ryan Stubbs	Research Director	National Assembly of State Arts Agencies
Mariann Sullivan	Director of Development	Rhode Island Philharmonic
Erica Tortolani	Communications Assistant	AICU Rhode Island
Sally Turner	Development Director	The Steel Yard
Lori Urso	Executive Director	Old Stater Mill Association
Lisa Utman Randall	Executive Director	Jamestown Arts Center
Zoey Wang	Ph.D. Candidate/Research Associate	University of Rhode Island School of Education
Sarah Zurier	Senior Historic Preservation Specialist	RI Historical Preservation & Heritage Commission