

36th Annual Statewide Preservation Conference

## Resolve, Revolve, Evolve

McGregor Memorial Conference Center Wayne State University, Detroit Wednesday, May 11 - Saturday, May 14, 2016 http://www.mhpn.org



Founded in 1981, the Michigan Historic Preservation Network (MHPN) is the state's largest membership organization advocating for historic preservation. The MHPN is thrilled to bring its 36th annual conference, packed with the skills, talents, and passions of the preservation community, to Detroit. We expect more than 400 people from across the state and the Midwest to participate in four days of engaging activities.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS** AVAILABLE

Through the generous support of our donors the MHPN has 14 conference scholarships to award to students, teachers, volunteers, elected officials, professionals, or anyone who has shown promising work or interest in historic preservation and would like to learn more. They are intended for individuals who would not otherwise be able to participate without financial assistance.

Scholarships cover registration, conference meals, tours and special events (including the Great Michigan Road Trip on Wednesday May 11), and two nights in the conference hotel. We will help recipients carpool and find roommates to extend their hotel stay if requested. Recipients are responsible for personal incidentals and travel to and from the conference site. Scholars will be publicly acknowledged at the Town and Gown luncheon on Thursday, May 12.

## To apply, provide the following materials:

A letter of interest including name, address, email, and telephone number
A 1-page description of the applicant's connection to historic preservation and statement of need
A brief recommendation from the applicant's academic advisor, employer, or similar individual
Email materials to <a href="mailto:mhpnscholarships@gmail.com">mhpnscholarships@gmail.com</a>, attention: Stacy Tchorzynski by **April 8**.
Previous awardees are ineligible, but are encouraged to attend as volunteers.

## **VOLUNTEERS** NEEDED

Volunteers to this great networking opportunity receive a 90 percent discount on conference registration. Areas of greatest need include registration staff, room monitor, and tour dispatcher. To volunteer or for more information, please email <a href="mailto:volunteermhpn@gmail.com">volunteermhpn@gmail.com</a>, attention: Katherine White.