



# HISTORIC SEATTLE



## **Programs**

Summer / Fall 2019

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**Come learn with us!**

*Saving meaningful places to foster lively communities*



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Visit [historicseattle.org](http://historicseattle.org) for more information!

## Seattle's Historic Waterfront Walking Tour

Thursday, July 18, 6 – 8 PM | \$25 Members / \$35 General Public

Discover the history of Seattle's shoreline with author David Williams on this walking tour across several historic and rapidly changing neighborhoods.

## Summer Members Meeting: ARTS at King Street Station

Wednesday, July 31, 4:30 – 6 PM @ King Street Station (303 S Jackson St) | Free! Advance registration appreciated.

Join us at our summer Members Meeting to gain insights into the adaptive reuse of areas within King Street Station, including the ARTS at King Street Station gallery space and more.

## The Admiral's House

Wednesday, August 14, 6 – 8 PM | \$30 Members / \$40 General Public

Be Historic Seattle's guest for a summer happy hour at the Admiral's House, magnificently situated on a bluff overlooking Elliott Bay. Learn about the history of the house and how preservation easements offer protection, while enjoying refreshments and the view from the front lawn.

## Plates, Pours & Preservation: A Georgetown food, drink, and history tour

Sunday, August 25, 1:30 – 3:30 PM | \$30 Members / \$35 General Public

Explore Georgetown's historic core and learn about thriving area businesses while sampling offerings from local establishments.

## First Hill Neighborhood Walking Tour

Tuesday, September 10, 10 AM – 12 PM | \$25 Members / \$35 General Public

Delve into the intriguing history of Seattle's First Hill neighborhood on this popular tour led by Lawrence Kreisman, editor and lead author of *Tradition and Change on Seattle's First Hill: Propriety, Profanity, Pills, and Preservation*.

Cover: Hat & Boots, a Seattle City Landmark at Oxbow Park, Georgetown. Above: Artist housing in Georgetown. Below, left to right: Magnolia's Admiral's House, Mount Zion Baptist Church in the Central District, Capitol Hill Apartments tour, and a historic image (courtesy of UW Libraries, Special Collections) of the George Matzen House in Queen Anne.

## The Preservation Celebration: Historic Seattle's Annual Benefit

Thursday, September 19 | See website for table and ticket rates

Celebrate exemplary people, places, and projects in preservation, enjoy fine food and drink, and support Historic Seattle's mission.

## Capitol Hill Apartments Walking Tour

Saturday, September 28, 10 AM – 12 PM @ Tour starts from Volunteer Park | \$25 Members / \$35 General Public

Diana James, author of *Shared Walls: Seattle Apartment Buildings 1900-1939*, leads a walking tour of Capitol Hill, one the city's richest apartment building neighborhoods. Diana will explain the historic role of apartments in the early decades of Seattle's rise as an important West Coast city.

## Annual Heirloom Apple Tasting

Thursday, October 17, 11 AM – 6 PM @ Good Shepherd Center (4649 Sunnyside Ave N) Free! Advance registration appreciated.

Occupants of Wallingford's Good Shepherd Center have been caring for an urban orchard of fruit trees there for over 100 years. Stop by to taste unique heirloom apple varieties as well as apple treats made from this year's harvest.

## The Prairie School & the Pacific Northwest

Saturday, October 19, 10:30 AM - 12 PM @ Queen Anne | Free! Advance registration appreciated. This lecture precedes an exclusive, related house tour on Queen Anne.

Discover the foundations of Prairie School architecture and learn about its introduction to the Pacific Northwest in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century. Minneapolis-based architectural historian Richard Kronick will describe the Prairie School style and discuss the contributions of Purcell and Elmslie (P&E) — the second largest Prairie School firm after Frank Lloyd Wright's — connecting P&E to our local architectural story.

## Tour of the George Matzen House

Saturday, October 19, 1 – 4 PM @ Queen Anne Hill | \$40 Members / \$45 General Public

Take a trip to the "prairies" of Queen Anne with this rare opportunity to visit the 1910 George Matzen House, an example of the Prairie School work of Seattle architects, Willatsen & Byrne. This tour is a complement to the lecture offered the same morning.

## Fall Members Meeting: Mount Zion Baptist Church

Tuesday, October 29, 5:30 – 7:30 PM @ Mount Zion Baptist Church (1634 19<sup>th</sup> Ave) | Free! Advance registration appreciated.

The history of Mount Zion Baptist Church is as rich as its architecture. Experience its distinctive design and learn more about this designated Seattle City Landmark and Central District community asset.

## Seattle's Historic Theaters Lecture

Saturday, November 2, 11 AM – 12:30 PM @ Columbia City Theater (4916 Rainier Ave S) | \$20 Members / \$25 General Public

In 1909, Seattle was reputed to be second only to New York in the number and variety of live entertainment offerings. From within the walls of the 1920 Columbia City Theater, architectural historian Lawrence Kreisman will share the history of an early Seattle theater industry.

## Historic Seattle & Georgetown Art Attack: An art show and reception benefit

Saturday, December 14, 4 – 10 PM @ TBD: Location in Georgetown | Free! Advance registration appreciated.

Several regional artists will present art themed around "historic Seattle" for this show, reception, and art sale to benefit Historic Seattle's mission.





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Walking Tour @ Downtown Seattle Waterfront | \$35

**JUL 31** | **ARTS at King Street Station**  
Site Visit & Talk | Free!

**Aug 14** | **The Admiral's House**  
Tour, Talk & Reception @ The Admiral's House (Magnolia) | \$40

**Aug 25** | **Plates, Pours & Preservation**  
Food, Drink & History Tour @ Georgetown | \$35

**Sep 10** | **First Hill Neighborhood Tour**  
Walking Tour @ First Hill | \$35

**Sep 19** | **The Preservation Celebration**  
Historic Seattle's Annual Benefit @ Georgetown Ballroom

**Sep 28** | **Capitol Hill Apartments**  
Walking Tour @ Capitol Hill | \$35

**Oct 17** | **Heirloom Apple Tasting**  
5<sup>th</sup> Annual Estate-Grown Apple Tasting @ Good Shepherd Center (Wallingford) | Free!

**Oct 19** | **The Prairie School & The Pacific Northwest**  
Talk @ Queen Anne | Free!

**Oct 19** | **The George Matzen House**  
Exclusive Home Tour @ Queen Anne Private Residence | \$45

**Oct 29** | **Mount Zion Baptist Church**  
Building Tour & Talk @ Central Area | Free!

**Nov 2** | **Seattle's Historic Theaters**  
Talk @ Columbia City Theater | \$25

**Dec 14** | **Historic Seattle & Georgetown Art Attack**  
Art Show & Reception Benefitting Historic Seattle @ Georgetown | Free!

*Prices are general admission. Historic Seattle members enjoy exclusive registration discounts – learn more and join online!*

A behind-the-scenes view from within the King Street Station clock tower. Image courtesy of Benjamin Benschneider Photography

## We're Historic Seattle and we ♥ this place!

Founded in 1974, Historic Seattle is a non-profit organization dedicated to saving meaningful places that foster lively communities. Join us at one of our events or visit us online to learn more!

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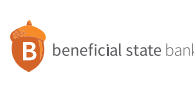


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**This summer and fall, Historic Seattle is excited to offer talks, tours, and more for people like you who love this city and are curious about its history. We hope you'll join us to:**

- Gain exclusive access to historic spaces like The Admiral's House, Mount Zion Baptist Church, and the George Matzen House;
- Celebrate the Georgetown neighborhood through a series of educational and cultural events;
- Experience Seattle's historic neighborhoods with renewed excitement!

Historic Seattle members receive exclusive discounts on event registration!  
Not a member? Learn more and join at [historicseattle.org/membership](https://historicseattle.org/membership)



## How to Register

**1. Online: [historicseattle.org/events](https://historicseattle.org/events) | 2. Phone: (206) 622-6952**

Your membership and registration fees help make these programs possible – thank you for your generosity and support! Member discounts are available for pre-registration only. Exact address locations will be provided to registrants prior to events. Registration fees are non-refundable unless the program is canceled.

**Questions? Contact [info@historicseattle.org](mailto:info@historicseattle.org)**

*Left to right: Seattle's historic waterfront (image courtesy of MOHAI), a First Hill Neighborhood Tour visits the Stimson-Green Mansion, and icons of Georgetown in neon.*