Call for New Members, Society of Civil War Historians Early Career Committee

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The Society of Civil War Historians Early Career Committee, which works to represent the needs of history professionals in the early stages of their careers, including post-ABD and pre-tenure scholars, is seeking five new members. Three members will serve two-year terms and two members will serve four-year terms, with one person serving as chair.

The positions are open to members of the Society of Civil War Historians who are beginning their careers in a history-related field either in or outside of academia, including tenure track faculty, contingent faculty, those in public history, and scholars not affiliated with a particular institution.

The Early Career Committee works to provide programming relevant to those beginning careers in history at the SCWH and SHA meetings. Some of the committee’s initiatives include a mentoring program, SHA conference happy hours, and research, publication, and pedagogy-related panels at the SCWH bi-annual meeting. The Early Career Committee is committed to encouraging diversity and treats all members with dignity and respect.

If you are interested in serving with us, email Laura Mammina (MamminaL@uhv.edu) by Friday, April 1. Please submit a short paragraph introducing yourself and discussing your interest in joining the committee. Please also address your interest (or lack of interest) in taking on the role of committee chair. Decisions on two- and four-year terms will be done via lottery system in order to help the committee stagger appointments in line with new SCWH by-laws on committee composition.

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