OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

At our annual meeting on June 24, the Society elected eight new board members. Here, we offer a complete roster of our officers and board members. We thank all of our current and departing board members for their service and offer a warm welcome to the new members!

OFFICERS:

Vicki Young—President

Vicki is the Executive Director of the Dundalk Chamber of Commerce, a position she began in October 2017. She is also President and CEO of IVY Services, LLC, a full-service print management business. She has an MS from Johns Hopkins in Human Resource Development, and a BS from Villa Julie College (now Stevenson University) in Administrative Sciences. She has extensive experience with fundraising for a variety of Maryland non-profit organizations. Vicki first joined the Board in 2013 and served as President in 2014.

Scott Batton—Vice President

Scott is president and owner of Batton Builders, Inc. For more than thirty years he has been building and renovating fine homes throughout the Baltimore area. He holds a degree in forestry from Paul Smiths College and lives in Jacksonville in a house that he built himself twenty-six years ago. He and his wife of more than thirty years, Andrea, have two children, Taylor and Maggie. Scott joined the Board in 2016.

H. David Delluomo—Treasurer

Dave is a CPA with his own practice, specializing in auditing, accounting, and taxes. Educated at University of Maryland College Park and University of Baltimore School of Law, he has worked exclusively in public accounting since 1979. Dave was born in Cumberland but has lived in the Baltimore area since 1978. He is married with two children. Dave first joined the Board in 2011.

Len Kennedy—Secretary

Len is former President and CEO of Roadnet Technologies, a transportation software company. For more than thirty-eight years, he has been involved in the transportation technology and software industry. He holds a BA from the University of Maryland and an MS in Environmental Management from Florida State University. He has lived in the Baltimore area for more than thirty years. Len joined the Board in 2015.

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WELCOME TO OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

**Robert J. Baummer**
Mr. Baumer is a local CPA with more than thirty years of experience with national and regional firms. Bob has been active in professional organizations throughout his career and personally with local community organizations, including the Baltimore Area Boy Scouts and the Southland Hills Community Association. Bob and his wife live in West Towson, where they raised three boys.

**Ann Royston Blouse**
Ms. Blouse is an enthusiastic amateur historian who has lived in Baltimore County all of her life. She has been a volunteer with HSBC for more than a dozen years, doing everything from serving as an Officer of the organization to vacuuming floors. Currently, she manages the topic and surname files, helps patrons in the research center, writes and edits articles for *History Trails* and performs other research as needed. Ann is retired from John Hopkins University and has broad administrative and management experience.

**Umar Hameed**
Mr. Hameed is an expert in changing individual behavior and improving team dynamics. He uses techniques and tools from the world of Applied Neuroscience and NLP to make individuals and organizations more successful. Umar has founded four companies, lectured at universities on three continents, been the keynote speaker at conferences in fourteen countries and is the author of three books, including *Unleash Your Crazy Sexy Brain*.

**Anne McBride**
Ms. McBride, now retired, was Admissions Coordinator at CHI Centers, Inc., and worked closely with parents, advocates, and the Developmental Disabilities Administration to secure the most appropriate program for individuals with disabilities. Prior to CHI she worked as a Recreational Therapist at the Linwood Center, which serves people with autism. She is a graduate of University of Maryland Baltimore County with a degree in Psychology. Anne enjoys gardening, cooking, reading and taking care of her cat and dog. She has lived in Baltimore County for most of her life.

**Scott McBride**
Mr. McBride, retired, served as President of Hollander Cohen & McBride, a marketing research firm, for twenty-eight years. He consulted on marketing and business issues in many different industries. Prior to HCM, Scott worked at the Savings Bank of Baltimore and Equitable Bank as VP in charge of research and planning. He was two-term President of the American Marketing Association and has coached various sports. He is a graduate of George Washington University and has master’s degrees from Loyola University. Scott lives in a historic home on the National Register and enjoys renovation work and outdoor activities. He is a lifelong Baltimore County resident.

**Clif Scruggs**
Mr. Scruggs has taught in Baltimore County Public schools for the past twenty-two years. He received his BA from Towson University in secondary education/social sciences. Clif has a true love of history and is constantly looking for ways to engage his students with primary source documents that tell us about our past. He is also a big fan of museums and loves exploring historical photographs and political cartoons. Clif has been married for twenty years and has two wonderful sons. He’s a proud graduate and currently sits on the alumni board of Archbishop Curley High School.
Adam D. Turk
Mr. Turk is a licensed funeral director at Sol Levinson & Bros., Inc., in Pikesville, who meets with families to arrange for meaningful funeral services, provide guidance and offer personalized advice to the community. He graduated with a BA in History from Ithaca College, and earned an AAS in Mortuary Science from the Community College of Baltimore County. Adam lives with his wife, Erin, and three children in Reisterstown.

AND THANKS TO OUR CONTINUING BOARD MEMBERS

John Clifton
John is the co-owner of Towson Delly North on York Road in Lutherville. He has worked in the business since 1983 and became a co-owner in 1997. Mr. Clifton grew up in Baltimore, attended Dulaney High School, and earned a BS degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing from Towson University. He enjoys remodeling, yoga, and mountain biking. He is married to Michele Clifton, owner of Image Is Salon in Lutherville. They currently live in Timonium with their dog, Dakota.

Mark Glinowiecki
Mark is an associate for Silberstein Insurance Group (SIG), a leading regional employee benefits firm. He has been in the employee benefits industry for thirty-seven years. He enjoys traveling, history and spending time outdoors. For the last seventeen years, he has lived in Perry Hall. He has been married for thirty-one years to his wife Kathy, who is a home care/hospice nurse for Stella Maris. Together they have three children: Amanda, 29, Kara, 26, and Kyle, 18.

Tom Graf
Tom is a self-employed consultant who has provided aerospace-related technical and management services to businesses in Baltimore and Howard Counties for more than thirty-five years. He holds degrees in geology from the University of Delaware and organization development from Johns Hopkins. He has lived in Lutherville for thirty years with his wife Penny, a clinical social worker at University of MD - St. Joseph Medical Center. Tom joined the Board in 2014 and served as President from 2015 to 2017.

Jeff Higdon
Jeff is a graduate of Johns Hopkins (BA, 1978) and the University of Baltimore (JD, 1981), and was admitted to the Maryland Bar in 1981. His areas of practice at Serio & Higdon, PA, are litigation, commercial law, business law, business start-ups, incorporation, contracts, estate planning, estate administration, wills, probate, trusts and estates, real estate, criminal law, commercial collections, and creditors’ rights. Jeff first joined the HSBC Board in 2010.

Sarah Koch
Sarah is the owner of SK Creative Solutions, a graphic design company focusing on bridging the gap between the design and business worlds; she also co-owns Baldwin Belts, a company selling custom needle point belts. She graduated from Susquehanna University, where she majored in Graphic Design and Business Marketing. When not working, Sarah is active in athletics, playing hockey, lacrosse, and soccer in her free time. She joined the Board in 2016.

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Bryan Loane
Since 1987, Bryan has been the President of Loane Bros., Inc., one of the oldest businesses located in Baltimore County, Maryland. The business began its operations as a sailmaker in Baltimore in 1815. Today, the company is one of the premier tent, awning and party goods rental organizations in the region. Bryan is a lifelong Baltimore-area resident, a history lover, and a collector of all things old, particularly tools and machinery.

Jim Long
Before retiring, Jim was a Field Support Engineer and site manager for twenty-four years in naval military simulation. He holds an engineering degree from Capitol College and studied computer information systems at Strayer University. Jim has volunteered at HSBC since 1998 and currently serves as Volunteer Coordinator and Photo Collection Manager, along with many other functions. Beyond the Almshouse his interests include photography, family history, gardening, and technology. Jim joined the Board in 2016.

Armand Shank
Armand is the owner and president of Rocchi Construction, Inc., a seventy-year-old Baltimore-based commercial general contracting firm. He was raised and still resides in Cockeysville and is a graduate of Towson University. He is the co-author of Money and Banking in Maryland, published by the Maryland Historical Society. He is a member of the Baltimore County and Maryland Historical Societies and a life member of the Society of Paper Money Collectors. He has collected paper money of Maryland for forty-five years with a concentration on notes from Baltimore County.

Paul Sudano
Paul is a Director of Sales and Marketing for Prime Building Advantage. In addition, he is a Maryland Licensed Realtor with Monument Sotheby’s International Realty. He has been in real estate for more than twenty-five years. Paul attended Penn State University where he studied Marketing and met his wife, Kate Gaburick. They were married twenty-three years ago and have five children between the ages of 12 & 20. They reside in Lutherville and are actively involved at their children’s schools, Notre Dame Prep & Immaculate Conception.

AND FINALLY...
OUR THANKS TO BOARD MEMBERS WHO DEPARTED DURING THE 2017-2018 TERM

Shannon Bowers
Christopher A. Mawn
Michael McCarthy
Donna Tyree, CPA
UPCOMING EVENTS

First Thursdays each month: July 5, August 2, September 6, October 4, November 1, 2018, 10:00am-2:00pm @ HSBC Almshouse Headquarters

GENEALOGY INSTRUCTION (Free to all)

FREE MONTHLY GENEALOGY INSTRUCTION at the Historical Society of Baltimore County with local genealogist Noreen Goodson and professional genealogist Angela Walton-Raji, M.Ed. Walton-Raji is the author of *Black Indian Genealogy Research: African American Ancestors Among the Five Civilized Tribes*. The instructors have a wealth of general and niche genealogy knowledge, experience, and resources to share.

Sunday, July 22, 2018, 2:00-4:00pm @ HSBC Almshouse Headquarters

*****DUE TO SCHEDULING PROBLEM, OUR SPEAKER HAS HAD TO CANCEL****

CANCELED

VANISHING HERITAGE: BALTIMORE COUNTY’S HISTORIC AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITIES ($5.00/free for HSBC members)

*Speaker: Carolyn Greenfield Adams*

Our apologies. We hope to reschedule this talk in 2019.

Saturday, August 4, 2018, 10:30am-1:30pm @ Boys’ Latin School, 822 West Lake Avenue, Baltimore, Md. 21210

TOUR OF THE BOYS’ LATIN CENTER FOR MILITARY HISTORY ($25)

*Tour Leader: Frederick C. Maisel III, Curator*

Join us for a special tour of the Boys’ Latin Center for Military History led by Mr. Maisel III, the curator and co-owner. The Center, opened in 2017, houses an extensive private collection of military memorabilia from the Revolutionary War through the War on Terror. The tour package includes a boxed lunch from Eddie’s of Roland Park. For details and tickets, please visit https://historicalsocbaltoco.ticketspice.com/military-center-tour.

Sunday, August 19, 2018, 2:00-4:00pm @ HSBC Almshouse Headquarters

THIS TRYING HOUR: THE PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD IN THE CIVIL WAR ($5.00/free for HSBC members)

*Speaker: Scott Mingus, Sr.*

The PW&B was one of the most important supply and troop transport routes in the Eastern Theater of the Civil War, especially for the Union Army of the Potomac. Mr. Mingus will tell us about many of the historic events that unfolded along this main rail route between New York City and Washington. Pre-registration at https://historicalsocbaltoco.ticketspice.com/this-trying-hour.

Sunday, September 16, 2018, 2:00-4:00pm @ HSBC Almshouse Headquarters

THE FEMININE TOUCH: WOMEN IN BALTIMORE HISTORY ($5.00/free for HSBC members)

*Speaker: Wayne Schaumburg*

Join Baltimore historian and educator Wayne R. Schaumburg for an illustrated program that looks at the role played by women in Baltimore’s history. The talk will focus on the period from 1776 to 1960, and will cover famous and not-so-famous women who have contributed to Baltimore's growth. Pre-registration at https://historicalsocbaltoco.ticketspice.com/feminine-touch.
YOU MAY HAVE MISSED

FERDINAND MAGELLAN, WORLD EXPLORER—May 20, 2018

Speaker: Jerry Kahan

Mr. Kahan traced Magellan’s life and then took us on the fateful, famous journey to find the Spice Islands that saw Magellan himself perish, and only 18 survive of the original 270 who started the voyage. He also shared photos from his visit to the life-size replica of Magellan’s ship Victoria on display in southern Chile, near where Magellan and his men crossed from the Atlantic to Pacific in what became known as the Strait of Magellan.

DOCUMENTARY FILM SCREENING: JOSIAH—May 31, 2018

Through excerpts from Josiah Henson’s autobiography, old photographs, reenactments, and interviews with experts and Henson’s descendants, JOSIAH retells the dramatic true story of Henson’s life in bondage and eventual escape with his family to freedom in Canada. Henson’s life and autobiography inspired the character of Uncle Tom in Harriet Beecher Stowe’s Uncle Tom’s Cabin, which in turn was a major factor in the abolitionist cause and the Civil War. While Henson himself, who worked as an overseer and became a preacher while still enslaved, led a unique and extraordinary life, his story sheds broader light on the profound cruelties of slavery and the incredible ways in which enslaved people resisted and even sometimes found their way to freedom.

HSBC ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, followed by THE HISTORY SLAVERY IN BALTIMORE COUNTY—June 24, 2018

Speakers: Vicki Young, Bill Barry, A. Anokwale Anansesemfo

At the Annual Meeting, HSBC President Vicki Young delivered an illustrated presentation on the state of the Historical Society, with highlights from the past year and exciting projects coming soon. Eight new members were then elected to the HSBC Board of Directors (please see pp. 2-3) and light refreshments were served.

Following the Annual Meeting was our Sunday Speaker presentation with Bill Barry and special guest Ranger A. Anokwale Anansesemfo of Hampton National Historical Site. Mr. Barry traced the origins of slavery in Maryland and its development and eventual decline in Baltimore County, which had one of the smallest populations of enslaved people in Maryland by the time of the Civil War. Ranger Anansesemfo discussed some general principles she uses to interpret and speak about the history of slavery. She then turned to the history of the Ridgely family’s use of enslaved and indentured labor. A large audience had many questions for both speakers about their deeply engaging talks.

FUN WITH MINIATURES! Saturday, October 20, 11:00am-4:00 pm, and Sunday, October 21, 11:00am-3:00pm @ HSBC Almshouse. Admission: $6.00 adults, $2.00 children 6-16, free for children under six. This weekend exhibit will be fun and educational for the entire family. Displays will feature trains, large lighted dollhouses, miniature scenes and room boxes, historic dollhouses, Legos, and military miniatures. Additionally there will be demonstrations and children’s activities. All proceeds to benefit HSBC. For more information, please visit www.hsobc.org/miniatures. Co-Sponsored by Maryland Miniatures Unlimited & the Historical Society of Baltimore County.
LIBRARY ADDITIONS

The following books have been added to the HSBC Research Library Collections since January 1, 2018.


Gaarde, Christopher, ed. *Grub Street: Literary and Arts Magazine of Towson University.* Towson, MD: Towson University, 2014. HSBC Call No. LD5351.T55 G22 2014


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