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**Abolishing Slavery in the Atlantic World:
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Russell Sage College, April 8-10, 2011



Where there was slavery, there was resistance, escape, and rebellion. The Transatlantic Slave Trade (1400s to 1800s) was a global enterprise that transformed the four continents bordering the Atlantic, and that engendered the formation of a multifaceted and international Underground Railroad resistance movement.

The broad geographic nature of this freedom struggle is the theme of the 2011 UGR Public History Conference. We invite proposals that address capture, enslavement, and resistance within and across borders in Africa, Europe, and the Americas, historically and contemporarily, as well as proposals that address the preservation of the voices of the past and their relationship with us today.

Russell Sage College is located in Troy, New York. Proposal submissions due by July 31, 2010. Additional information available at <http://www.ugrworkshop.com/call2011.pdf>, by email to urhpcr2011@gmail.com, or by postal mail to URHPCR, P.O. Box 10851, Albany, NY 12201; Additional details at www.ugrworkshop.com or call 518-432-4432.