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The Great War: Kentucky & Beyond

**An exhibit commemorating
the WWI Centennial**

On display

Feb. 12-Oct. 1, 2017

All Veterans receive FREE admission

Exhibit Opening Sunday, Feb. 12, 2-4 PM;

Family Exhibit Opening Feb. 18, 2-4 PM

Free and open to the public • Light refreshments served



The Great War Lecture Series

Feb. 19, 2 PM Scott Ellsworth, Ph.D. "The Long Shadow: World War I, Race, and the Making of America." Formerly a historian at the Smithsonian Institution, Scott Ellsworth has written about American history and culture for the New York Times, the Washington Post, and the Los Angeles Times. The author of *Death In a Promised Land*, a groundbreaking history of the Tulsa race riot of 1921, Scott's newest book, *The Secret Game: A Wartime Story of Courage, Change, and Basketball's Lost Triumph* was awarded a PEN Book Award in 2016. He lives with his wife and their fourteen year old twin sons in Ann Arbor, where he also teaches at the University of Michigan.



Mar. 19, 2 PM Margaret Spratt, Ph.D. "Behind the Lines: American Women in France during The Great War." After receiving a Ph.D. in history at the University of Kentucky, Margaret Spratt was on the faculty at California University of Pennsylvania, near Pittsburgh, where she received the university's research award for her co-edited book, *Men and Women Adrift: The YMCA and the YWCA in the City*. She has also taught and researched at the University of New England, the University of Southern Maine, Oberlin College in Ohio, and Smith College in Massachusetts. Margaret lives in Paris with her husband, Henry Wyatt, and Golden Retriever, Pete. She is a consultant for Making History Matter.



Apr. 9, 2 PM David Bettez, Ph.D. "Kentucky and The Great War: World War One on the Homefront." David J. Bettez, Ph.D., is the author of *Kentucky and the Great War: World War I on the Home Front* (UPress of KY, 2016), and *Kentucky Marine: Major General Logan Feland and the Making of the Modern USMC* (UPress of KY, 2014), which received the 2015 Col Joseph Alexander Award for Biography from the Marine Corps Heritage Foundation. Currently he is working on a monograph for the Marine Corps History Division regarding the Marine Corps in the final stages of the World War I Meuse-Argonne campaign, November 1 - 11, 1918. He and his wife live in Scott County, Kentucky.



June 27, 7 PM Dorian Walker "Legends of the Sky: Development of the US Air Corps during The Great War." Dorian Walker is an award-winning film and television producer/director. He was a Directing Fellow at the Conservancy of the American Film Institute and has directed feature films and television shows for A&E Network and HGTV Network. He regularly flies a WWI 1917 Curtiss Jenny that he has reconstructed. This has allowed him to bring his lifetime love of aviation and film together into the new film "Legends of the Sky: The Jenny," which is airing on PBS. He is the co-founder and designer of the Historic Railpark & Train Museum in Bowling Green and is a founding member of Friends of Jenny.



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