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Pittsburgh Numismatic Theatre Schedule Finalized

Numismatic Theatre has been finalized for the American Numismatic Association's 2011 Pittsburgh National Money ShowSM, Oct. 13-15 at the David L. Lawrence Convention Center. Numismatic Theatre consists of 30-40 minute presentations given by ANA members on a wide range of topics. Presentations will be held Oct. 14-15 in Room 326.

Below is a complete list of Numismatic Theatre presentations:

Friday, October 14

9 a.m. – "The History and Collecting of Two-Cent Coins"
Thomas J. Uram

10 a.m. – "A Fresh Look at the Jefferson Nickels of 1939"
V. Kurt Bellman

11 a.m. – "Heeren Brothers & Co.: Jewelers & Silversmiths"
Richard J. Crosby

Noon – "A Convergence of Themes: Creating the Medal for the Pittsburgh National Money Show"
Jamie Franki

1 p.m. – "How Not to Lose Your Hard-Earned Money When Collecting and Investing in Coins"
Anthony J. Swiatek

2 p.m. – "Medals of the PRR Employee Athletic Games"
George S. Cuhaj

3 p.m. – "Introduction to the Numismatics of Colorado"
Douglas Mudd

4 p.m. – "Kingship and Its Images: Charles I and the Scottish Coinage"
E. Tomlinson Fort

Saturday, October 15

9 a.m. – "Collecting and Understanding United States Trade Dollars by Die Marriage"
William Cowburn

10 a.m. – "S.S. *Central America* Treasure: Numismatic Time Capsule"
Bob Evans

11 a.m. – "Just What Are Your Coins Made of: Understanding Ancient and Medieval Coinage"
Mark A. Benvenuto

Noon – "Some Women behind Our Money"
Walter Ostromecki

1 p.m. – "The Story of Siege Money"
Lawrence Korchnak, Ph.D.

The Pittsburgh National Money Show is the ANA's inaugural fall National Money Show. Show hours are 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Oct. 13-15. Admission is \$6 for adults, and free for ANA members and children 12 and under. All visitors with a valid student ID will be admitted free of charge on Saturday, Oct. 15. For more information, visit www.nationalmoneyshow.com.

The American Numismatic Association is a congressionally chartered nonprofit educational organization dedicated to encouraging people to study and collect money and related items. The ANA helps its members and the public discover and explore the world of money through its vast array of education and outreach programs, as well as its museum, library, publications, conventions and seminars. For more information, call 719-632-2646 or visit www.money.org.