

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1

RE: September 2022 Meeting

Main Presentation: This month we welcome **Francine Hirsch**. Francine is Vilas Distinguished Achievement Professor of History at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, where she teaches Soviet and Modern European history. Her first book, *Empire of Nations: Ethnographic Knowledge and the Making of the Soviet Union* (2005), received several prizes, including the Herbert Baxter Adams Prize of the American Historical Association. Princeton University 1998 Ph.D. in History. Francine will lead a discussion on her recent book: *Soviet Judgment at Nuremberg: A New History of the International Military Tribunal after World War II* offers the first complete picture of the International Military Tribunal (IMT), including the many ironies brought to bear as the Soviets took their place among the countries of the prosecution in late 1945. Hirsch's book provides a front-row seat in the Nuremberg courtroom, while also guiding readers behind the scenes to the meetings in which secrets were shared, strategies mapped, and alliances forged. *Soviet Judgment at Nuremberg* offers a startlingly new view of the IMT and a fresh perspective on the movement for international human rights that it helped launch.

Note: Since this will be a book discussion rather than a lecture, attendees are urged to read the book or familiarize themselves with the topic prior to the meeting. This book is available on Amazon and other on-line websites

Date: September 8 2022 (second Thursday)

Place: Hop Haus Brew Pub, 2975 Sub-Zero Pkwy, Fitchburg, WI

Social: 6:00 PM

Optional Dinner: 6:15 PM. Order from the menu when you arrive

Dinner Request: To support Hop Haus staffing, they request the number of people planning to dine. Please make your dining request by the Monday before the meeting via email Madison.history.roundtable@gmail.com, website (Contact/Dinner Reservations) or by calling Rich Fronck at **608-669-0970**. Leave your name and number of attendees. **DO NOT REPLY TO THE EMAIL MEETING NOTICE TO MAKE RESERVATIONS.**

Business Meeting: 7:00 PM

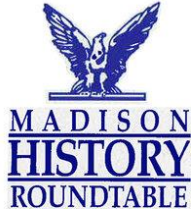
Presentation: 7:15 PM. Free to the public. No reservations needed

Upcoming Events:

- **October 13, 2022 – MHRT Meeting –Perryville Battle for Kentucky – Christopher Kolakowski**
- **October 15 2022 – Kenosha Civil War history museum forum: *Where the Fight Was the Thickest: The Campaigns of the Iron Brigade of the West.*** Registration 8:30am. Program begins at 9:30am. Cost: \$70/\$55 Friends of the Museum, Lunch Included. Contact Rich Fronck at 608-669-0970 or rfronek@charter.net if you are interested in attending and want to carpool to Kenosha.

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Membership: The 2022 - 2023 season dues are \$30. The season runs September – May. Dues are used to cover the operating and speaker expenses of the Madison History Roundtable. You can mail your dues to the **MHRT Treasurer – 9 Flad Circle, Madison, WI 53711**. If you have a personal PayPal account, you can send in your dues to the MHRT PayPal email address: wsayles1950@gmail.com. Attending the meetings are free and the public is welcome. Guests can check us out before deciding if they want to become a member.



MHRT Website: Check out our web site at: <https://www.madisonhistoryroundtable.com>. You can find information on the MHRT schedule, list of speakers and meeting dates amongst other information. You can also “signup” for MHRT membership. We will be periodically be updating the web site with meeting notices, upcoming events and activities. Let us know what other information you might want posted on the site.

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