**8:30-8:45**: **Registration, Coffee, Donuts**

**8:45: Welcome: Ricky Dobbs, Associate Provost at Texas A&M University–Commerce**

**8:50: Scott Sosebee, East Texas Historical Association**

**8:55: Introductions: George Cooper, Lone Star College**

**Session I: 9:00-10:15**

*Wyatt C. Hendrick, The New Deal, and Will Rogers Coliseum of Fort Worth*

Debbie Liles, University of North Texas

*The Texas Centennial State Fair: A New Deal Extravaganza*

Paul Sturdevant, Paris Junior College, Greenville

*A Brief History of the Civilian Conservation Corps in Texas*

John W. Garbutt, Museum of the American Railroad

**Break: 10:15-10:30**

### Session II: 10:30-11:45

*In Peace and in War: The New Deal and Military Preparedness in Texas*

Lynn Burlbaw, Texas A&M University and

Eliel Hinjosa, Texas A&M University

*The Economic Means of Removing Depravity from Legislative Minds*

*OR How the Great Depression Reduced the Legislature’s Obsession with Sex*

Jessica Brannon-Wranosky, Texas A&M University-Commerce

*Executive Conflict: Vice President Garner’s Opposition to the New Deal*

Steve Digerlando, Lone Star College-Montgomery

**Lunch: 11:45-1:00**

**Session III: 1:15-2:3**

*American Synthesis: A New Deal Synthesis in Art*

Robert Stevens, University of Texas-Tyler

Jared Fogel, University of Texas-Tyler

*The Lone Star on Relief: The Story of the Texas Federal Writers’ Project*

Michael Mitchell, Houston Community College

*Dust Bowl Troubador: Woody Guthrie and the Plain Folk Protest*

John R. Lundberg, Tarrant County College, Southeast Campus

**Break: 2:30-2:45**

**Session IV: 2:45**

*Other Deals—Notes about Government Intervention in Other Countries*

Geir Bentzen, Independent Scholar, Katy, TX

*New World Orders, New Deals and Nehru’s India*

William F. Kuracina, Texas A&M University-Commerce

*Evelyn Sullivan Woodward and the Roosevelt Administration*

Carroll Scogin-Brincefield, Independent Scholar, Hallettsville

**4:00-4:30** Audience comments, discussion, and ideas about 2018 New Deal Conference.

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