



Wednesday, May 8th, 2019 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM
The Museum of the City of New York
Fifth Avenue at 103rd Street

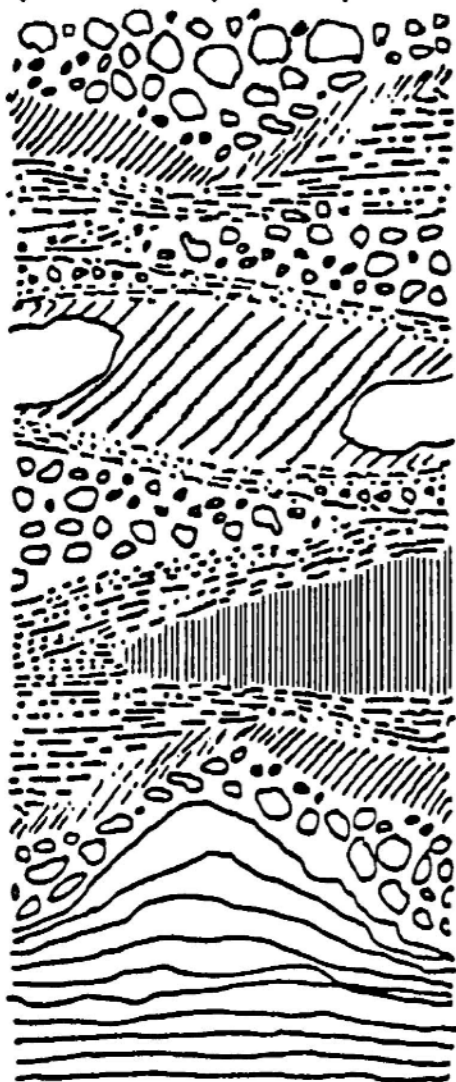
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(also includes museum admission)*

Symposium on the

ARCHAEOLOGY of NEW YORK CITY

open to the general public



Uncovering the Lost Lives of Workers: The Archaeology of Labor

Join Professional Archaeologists of New York City (PANYC) for our 39th annual public program to discover what archaeological research has revealed about the working and living conditions of NYC's laborers from the 18th through the 20th centuries, and the lasting impacts of labor on workers' bodies. The program will complement the museum's new exhibition, "City of Workers, City of Struggle" <https://www.mcny.org/exhibition/city-workers-city-struggle>, opening May 1st.

Apprentices and Sons, Manhattan Stoneware Pottery Workers
Meta F. Janowitz, Archaeologist and Ceramic Historian

Workers' Living Conditions in the Era of Backyard Sanitation
Jean E. Howson, Cultural Resources Specialist, NV5, Inc.

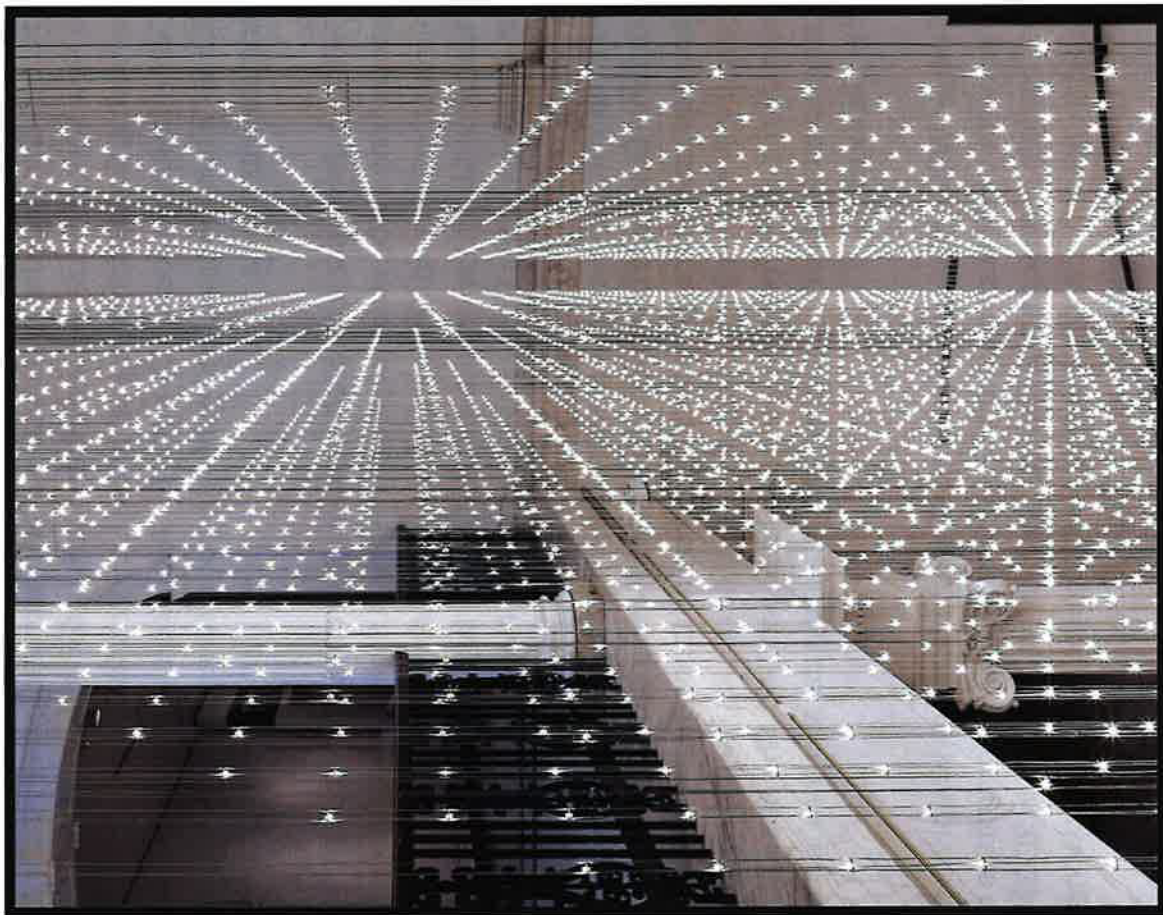
**A Shovel, a Pick, and an Irish (Wo)man: The Body and Labor in
19th-Century New York City**
Alanna Warner-Smith, Doctoral Candidate, Syracuse University

The presentations will be followed by a Q & A moderated by Sharon Wilkins, Deputy Borough Historian of Manhattan.

PANYC, Inc. is a non-profit organization of local professional archaeologists concerned with protecting and preserving our cultural heritage.

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

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City of Workers, City of Struggle is presented in collaboration with the Kheel Center at the School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell University and the Tamiment Library & Robert F. Wagner Labor Archives at NYU.

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UNCOVERING THE LOST LIVES OF WORKERS:

THE ARCHAEOLOGY OF LABOR

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Co-presented with **Professional Archaeologists of New York**
Dr. Jean Howson has conducted urban archaeological research in New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut for 35 years. She served as Staff Archaeologist at the Landmarks Preservation Commission, Associate Director for Archaeology for the African Burial Ground Project, and currently consults on projects for city and state agencies.

Dr. Meta Janowitz is an archaeologist and ceramic historian, specializing in the study of pottery made in the metropolitan area during the 18th and 19th centuries. Semi-retired from the Cultural Resource Management crew at AECOM, a large engineering firm, she teaches at the School of Visual Arts in New York City.

Alanna Warner-Smith is a historical bioarchaeologist and National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow. Her doctoral research explores citizenship and labor during the 19th century by examining the skeletal remains of Irish immigrants who died in New York City between 1893 and 1921. She has also conducted fieldwork in Turkey, Peru, Guatemala, and throughout the Caribbean.

Sharon Wilkins (moderator) is the Deputy Borough Historian of Manhattan. She is also a member of the Executive Committee of the Harlem African Burial Ground Task Force, founded in 2009 to reclaim, preserve, and recognize a segregated cemetery dating back to 1660 at First Avenue and 126th Street in Harlem.

WHAT'S ON

AT THE MUSEUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

UPCOMING EVENTS:

JACKIE ROBINSON: THE PERSONAL AND POLITICAL

Tuesday, May 14; 6:30 pm

Robinson's daughter **Sharon Robinson**, historian **Jonathan Eig**, and journalist **Budd Mishkin** reflect on the unlikely hero who helped to launch the modern civil rights era.
\$15 & up | \$10 for Museum Members

THE ARCHITECTURE OF GREAT DESIGN WITH DAVID NETTO AND TOM SCHEERER

Tuesday, May 21; 6:30 pm

Venerable interior designers **Tom Scheerer** and **David Netto** sit down for a conversation about their work.
\$25 & up | \$20 for Museum Members

NEW LABOR IN NEW YORK AND THE FIGHT FOR WORKERS' RIGHTS

Wednesday, May 22; 6:30 pm

Leading new labor activists talk about the recent gains (and setbacks) in their movements to protect the workers who make this city run.

FREE! Pre-registration required

PORTRAITS OF PRIDE: STORME, MARSHA, AND STONEWALL

Thursday, June 6; 6:30 pm

An evening of film and discussion about two individuals who ignited a pivotal moment in the modern LGBTQ rights movement: **Stormé DeLarverie** and **Marsha P. Johnson**.
\$12 & up | \$10 for Museum Members

For more and to register, visit mcny.org/events

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 8 AT 6:30 PM



Hughson Hawley, "Broadway and 14th Street," c. 1891. Museum of the City of New York, 42.323.104

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AT THE MUSEUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:

The New York we know today was profoundly shaped by workers. Join archaeologists **Dr. Meta Janowitz**, **Dr. Jean Howson**, and **Alanna Warner-Smith** as they share their latest findings on the city's historic living and labor conditions, moderated by **Sharon Wilkins**, Deputy Borough Historian of Manhattan.

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