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# **Dallas Genealogical Society**



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#### SIGs

## July

25 - Brown Bag. 10:15am. Continued discussion of genealogical writing will be about "Offline Genealogy"

#### Aug

01 - MacGen. 1:00pm.

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## Early Bird Discount Extended to July 25! Save \$20-\$40 on Registration

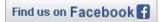
**Summer Symposium** August 7-8, 2015 J. Erik Jonsson Central Library Dallas, Texas

#### **RESEARCHING IN TEXAS**



Featured Speaker: Teri Flack

#### Social Media







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## Membership

Ind. Membership - \$35 Household - \$40 Life (under 65) - \$700 Life (65+) - \$500 Organizational - \$35

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#### **Hold the Date**

**07-08 Aug** - Summer Symposium. Researching In Texas.

05 Sep - General Meeting 03 Oct - General Meeting 24 Oct - Fall Lecture with Michael Lacopo. Thinking, Assessing, & Storytelling: Genealogy Beyond Birth, Marriage,

07 Nov - General Meeting 12 Dec - Annual Awards Luncheon, 60th anniversary celebration.

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## DGS on the Web

**DGS Blog** 

& Death.

DGS FamilySearch Wiki

DGS sponsored Family Search Wiki for Dallas, Dallas, Texas

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aldditional speakers from The Portal to Texas History The Texas General Land Office **UT-Arlington Libraries Special Collections Dallas Public Library Texas/Dallas History** 

**Program details and registration instructions** 

## DGS Has a **New** Web Site



The next time you visit our web site you will notice that it has changed - a lot!

Our webmasters (Todd DeDecker and Tony Hanson) have just completed a 6-month effort to re-design, update and improve our web presence using WordPress, which has emerged as the most widely used web and blog software in use today.

A large part of our focus was making the information we had on the old site much easier to find and use. In addition, the new site is much more compatible with smart phones and tablets.

Another advantage of using WordPress is that is has a wide variety of add-on tools that can be used to increase the usefulness of our web site. We have several enhancements lined up that you can expect to see in the coming months.

Please visit the site (http://dallasgenealgy.com) to view the changes for yourself. If you encounter any bugs or problems, please click on the 'Contact Us' link at the top of the page to tell us about them and we'll get them corrected as soon as we can.

There will be a demo of the new site at the September 5 General Meeting.

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#### Genealogical Events

06 Aug 2015 - Grand Prairie Genealogical Society Monthly Meeting. D. Joshua Taylor will present a program titled Top 25 Tips for Finding Your Colonial





The goal of the Dallas Genealogical Society shall be to educate, by creating, fostering, and maintaining interest in genealogy; to assist and support the genealogy section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library in Dallas, Texas, or to its legal successor; and to collect, preserve, copy, and index information relating to Dallas County and its early history.



18-22 Aug 2015 - Research Trip to Allen County Public Library. National Genealogical Society. Fort Wayne, IN.



28 Aug - 4 Sep 2015 - <u>Federation of Genealogical</u> Societies. Alaskan Cruise.



30 Oct - 1Nov 2015. <u>Texas State Genealogical Society</u> Family History Conference. Austin, TX.



4-7 May, 2016 - <u>National Genealogical Society</u> Annual Conference. *Exploring the Centuries: Footprints in Time*. Fort Lauderdale, FL. Hotel reservations are now open.



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