“It is not merely for to-day, but for all time to come that we should perpetuate for our children's children this great and free government, which we have enjoyed all our lives.”

- President Lincoln's speech to the One Hundred Sixty-sixth Ohio Regiment, August 22, 1864

As we commemorate the sesquicentennial of President Lincoln's assassination, we pause to consider Lincoln's character as a man and his legacy as a historical figure and cultural icon.

How does the legacy of Lincoln affect us as individuals? How has history defined Lincoln's legacy and character? Find out at the 30th Annual Lincoln Colloquium.

**Lincoln, Illinois Accommodations**

We have reserved blocks of rooms with special rates at the hotels listed below; rates listed do not include tax. Reservations can be made by calling our host property the Hampton Inn 217-732-6729 and asking for the Lincoln Heritage Museum group. You can also go to www.lincoln.hamptoinn.com, enter dates, enter your special group code “ABE” and the group will be bookable online.

Hampton Inn (2.7 miles from LHM)
1019 Heitmann Drive, Lincoln
Phone: 217-732-6729

Everything is available to start reserving today and reservations will need to be made by September 2.

Accommodations are also available at the following motels; market rates apply:

Best Western Plus Lincoln Inn (1.4 miles from LHM)
1750 5th Street, Lincoln
Phone: (217) 735-9641

EconoLodge (2.5 miles from the LHM)
(217) 735-3960

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130 Olson Drive, Lincoln
Phone: 217-735-5800

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(217) 732-8886

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- Lincoln Center for Character Development

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Colloquium Schedule

Friday, October 2

4:00-6:00pm  Check-in and registration
4:00-6:00pm  Special attendee tours of the Lincoln Heritage Museum (must pre-register)
4:00-6:00pm  Appetizers provided in the atrium
6:00-6:30pm  Welcome and introductions- Director of the Lincoln Heritage Museum
6:30-7:45pm  Session 1: “Lincoln Without Borders: Lincoln’s International Legacy” – William Pederson, Professor of Political Science, and Endowed Chair and Director of International Lincoln Center (LSU)
7:45-9:00pm  Special attendee tours of the Lincoln Heritage Museum (must pre-register)

Saturday, October 3

8:30-9:00am  Check-in and registration
9:00am-4:00pm  Lincoln Heritage Museum open all day to attendees
9:00-10:00am  Session 2: “Abraham Lincoln: Character or Calculation?” – Douglas Wilson, Distinguished Professor Emeritus; Co-director, Lincoln Studies Center at Knox College
10:00-11:00am  Session 3: “Loathing Lincoln’s Legacy” – John Barr, Professor of History at Lone Star College-Kingwood, Texas
11:00-11:15am  Break
11:15am-12:30pm  Session 4: “Lincoln: The Law’s Influence on Him, and His Influence on the Law” – Guy Fraker, retired attorney and Eighth Judicial Circuit expert
12:30-1:30pm  Lunch in the Alumni Room
1:30-2:30pm  Session 5: “Interpreting Lincoln’s Legacy” – Fritz Klein, Abraham Lincoln Interpreter, Lincoln Institute for Education
2:30-4:00 pm  Session 6: “The tangible Legacy in the Lands of Lincoln”
  - Dr. James Cornelius, Curator of the Abraham Lincoln Collection at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library & Museum
  - Guy Fraker, Local Lincoln Historian & Eighth Judicial Circuit expert
  - Sarah Watson, Executive Director, Looking for Lincoln Heritage Coalition
  - Sara Gabbard, Executive Director of the Friends of the Lincoln Collection of Indiana
  - Anne E. Moseley, Assistant Director and Curator, Lincoln Heritage Museum

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2015 Lincoln Colloquium Registration Form

Dates: October 2nd & 3rd, 2015
Times: Friday, October 2nd, 4:00-9:00pm
Saturday, October 3rd, 8:30am-4:15pm

Location: Lincoln Heritage Museum,
Lincoln College, Lincoln IL
Registration Deadline: September 21st, 2015

Name:____________________________________________________________________________________

Organization:_______________________________________________________________________________

Address:___________________________________________________________________________________

City:___________________________________________State:_____________________ Zip:_____________

Phone:______________________________________Email:________________________________________

How did you hear about the Colloquium?________________________________________________________

___ Yes, I plan to attend the special attendee tour of the Lincoln Heritage Museum on Friday night.

Colloquium Registration Costs

☐ Friday night only - $20
☐ Saturday only - $40
☐ Friday & Saturday - $60 ($55 for Friends of the Lincoln Heritage Museum)

Please make check payable to: Lincoln Heritage Museum (note Lincoln Colloquium in the memo line).

Mail to:
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The Lincoln Heritage Museum began in 1942 when Judge Lawrence Stringer, LC class of 1887, willed his vast Lincoln and Logan County history collection to the College with the stipulation that a museum be established. Initially the collection was placed in the Lincoln Room in the Administration Building and was dedicated on February 11, 1944. The entire collection moved to the McKinstry Memorial Building in 1971 and became part of what was then called the Lincoln College Museum. The collection continued to grow with donations from Robert Todd Lincoln Beckwith, Abraham Lincoln's last surviving direct descendant; historian and LC alumnus James T. Hickey; historian Ralph Newman; Lincoln attorney John Gehlbach, and others. The Museum was renamed the Lincoln Heritage Museum in fall 2008. The Museum closed in the fall of 2013 and reopened in its new home in the Lincoln Center on April 26, 2014. The new Lincoln Heritage Museum offers visitors a unique look at Lincoln's life and work in Logan County, his character and legacy, and encourages everyone to “Learn from Lincoln, Live like Lincoln.”