

WOOLWORTH BUILDING WORLD MONUMENTS WATCH DAY

February 1, 2020 – Symposium: “Integrating History: The Role of Alamo Plaza in Bexar County’s Civil Rights Legacy.” 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

GOALS: Understanding how to treat Woolworth Building as a Civil Rights historic site
 Importance of lunch counter integration in the Civil Rights movement
 How to tell multiple historic stories in museums and places

AUDIENCE: Scholars, professionals, general public – **approximately 80-100 persons**

SPONSORS: Bexar County Commissioners Court, World Monuments Fund, The Conservation Society of San Antonio, H-E-B, San Antonio Public Library

SPEAKERS AND TOPICS

10:00 AM *Welcome by Judge Nelson Wolff
10:10 AM *Welcome by Patti Zaiontz
10:20 AM *Introduction by Conservation Society (Beth or **Vince**)
10:30 AM *Everett Fly, FASLA – “Alamo Plaza in Civil Rights History, 1883-1960”
11:15 AM *Dr. Tara Dudley – “National Register listings and the African-American Experience”
Noon Lunch break and discussion
1:00 PM *Dr. Bruce Winders “Telling Multiple Stories in a World-Class Museum”
1:45 PM *Dr. Todd Moye – “Bigger Than a Hamburger: The Sit-In Movement in Texas”
2:30 pm *Dr. Kathryn O’Rourke – “Civic Plaza as Civil Rights Space”

Invited: Dr. Carey Latimore, Trinity University