

Elmira College  
Center for Mark Twain Studies  
Proudly Presents

A Conference  
*The State of Mark Twain Studies\**



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Elmira, New York

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The State of Mark Twain Studies, a conference saluting the lifetime achievements of Louis Budd, Duke Professor Emeritus of English at Duke University and long-time editor of *American Literature* until his retirement, and celebrating the tenth anniversary of the Center for Mark Twain Studies at Quarry Farm.

Friday, A

Thursday, August 12

3:15-4:45

10:00 - 5:00 Registration  
Campus Center Main Lounge

10:00 - 1:00 Visit the Mark Twain Archives  
Gannett-Tripp Library

1:00 - 2:30 Panel: Collecting Mark Twain  
Emerson Auditorium  
Panel Chair - Marianne Curling, Mark Twain Memorial  
Brandt Rowles, Norwich, New York  
*Stereoscopic Views: A 3-D Projection Presentation*  
Nick Karanovich, Fort Wayne, Indiana  
*Collecting Mark Twain: A Global Affair*

3:00 - 4:30 Panel: Mark Twain's Home Circle  
Emerson Auditorium  
Panel Chair - Mary Boewe, Pittsboro, North Carolina  
*Four Generations: The Distaff Quadrant of the Home Circle*  
Barbara Ryan, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
*"Not Just Wall Paper": Assessing Katy Leary's Evidence on Mark Twain*  
Laura Skandera-Trombley, Potsdam College - State  
University of New York  
*Mark Twain's Mother of Invention*

7:00-9:00

4:30-6:15 Savoring the Finger Lakes: A Wine Tasting Interlude  
Hamilton Hall

9:00-12:00

8:00 Official Welcome  
Emerson Auditorium

Recognition Presentations  
Keynote Address:

*"Mark Twain and the Ecstasy of Humor"*

Louis Budd, Duke Professor Emeritus of English at Duke  
University, Durham, North Carolina

9:30 Champagne Reception for Dr. Budd  
Zurenda Garden

10:30-12:00 am Club Time at The 1855 Room  
Campus Center

