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The Center for Mark Twain Studies (CMTS) is dedicated to promoting the life and legacy of the American author Mark Twain. CMTS manages Quarry Farm, where Mark Twain and his family spent over twenty summers and Twain wrote his most iconic works.

Quarry Farm, situated over the Chemung River Valley, is a cultural humanities site, a retreat for scholars, writers and artists working in the field of Mark Twain Studies. The Langdon family, Twain's in-laws, gifted Quarry Farm to Elmira College in 1982. Twain's famous octagonal Study, once situated at Quarry Farm, is now located on the Elmira College campus and is available to the public year round.

CMTS offers a variety of academic programs and resources related to Mark Twain's life, work, and contemporaries, including research fellowships, academic conferences, and public lectures. CMTS also maintains an extensive collection of Mark Twain-related materials, including a large library of secondary sources, letters, photographs, and marginalia, which are available for scholarly research.



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