



The Indigenous Peoples' Knowledges and Rights Commission of the International Geographical Union

La Commission aux Droits et Connaissances des Peuples Indigenes

A Joint Meeting of the IGU
Indigenous Peoples' Knowledges and Rights Commission
the AAG
Indigenous Peoples Specialty Group
and the CAG
Native Canadians Study Group

Indigenous Geographies of Struggle and Self-determination

Pre-conference meeting
12-14 April in Plymouth, Massachusetts, USA

Association of American Geographers annual meeting
15-19 April in Boston, Massachusetts, USA

The pre-conference meeting in Plymouth will bring together geographers from around the world who work with Indigenous peoples, to aid in creating a network and to share our research and experiences. This meeting will allow for informal gatherings and exploration of the local area and history. While in Plymouth we will also be meeting with the local Native American community, the Mashpee Wampanoag. Accommodation has been arranged at the Pilgrim Sands Hotel (<http://www.pilgrimsands.com/> double occupancy US \$43, and triple occupancy US \$34 per night, continental breakfast included).

At the AAG annual meeting in Boston, the Indigenous Peoples Specialty Group will be sponsoring a symposium comprised of paper sessions, panels and a plenary speaker, Dr. Daniel Wildcat from Haskell Indian Nations University, on 15-16 April. Other Indigenous focused sessions will follow on the remaining days of the AAG conference.

If you are interested in presenting a paper at the AAG, please submit your abstract to our secretary, Doug Herman (hermand@si.edu) by 22 October, 2007. Conference registration information can be obtained on the AAG website (www.aag.org).

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