

History Leadership Institute: 2025 Syllabus

Virtual Sessions

- **“Understanding Museum Financial Systems”**
Rebekah Beaulieu, Taft Museum of Art
- **“Making the Impossible Possible”**
Rebecca Bray and Steve Duncombe, Center for Artistic Activism

In-Person Sessions

- **“An Invitation into the Work: What If Safety Meant More Than Comfort?” and “Trauma Awareness Matters in Museums”**
Richard Josey, Collective Journeys LLC
- **“The Museum as Portal: Finding the Opportunity in this Sustained Moment of Challenge”**
Micah Parzen, Museum of Us,
- **“The Politics of Leadership”**
Steve Murray, Alabama Department of Archives and History,
- **“Looking for Queer Possibility”**
Margaret Middleton, Museum Advocate/Activist
- **“Managerial Master Class: Navigating Work Relationships”**
Julie Johnson, National Science Foundation and Independent Consultant
- **“Humans Are Not Robots: Activating Systems for the Common Good”**
Rebekah Beaulieu, Taft Museum of Art

Field Trips

- Minnesota History Center
- Science Museum of Minnesota
- George Floyd Square