

OSGA CONFERENCE SCHEDULE July 27-30

COLOR CODES FOR CLASSES		
GENEALOGY	OLDENBURG	DNA COURSES
HISTORY	GENERAL INTEREST / VIDEO	
PLENARY SPEAKER	DUTCH	

FRIDAY	July 27	SPEAKER	LOCATION
3 p.m.	Registration		
3 - 6 p.m.	Library / Sales Open		
7 p.m.	Genealogy 101 / What's New!	Jill Morelli, Lin Strong	
	Reception Area Open		
8-10 p.m.	Library Open		

SATURDAY	July 28	SPEAKER	LOCATION
8 a.m.	Registration		
8:45 a.m.	Every Day Life in an Ostfriesen Village 1870	Jürgen Hoogstraat	Classroom A
	Library & Sales Areas Closed		
10 a.m.	The Great War: Tracing Your WWI Ancestor	Jill Morelli	Classroom A
	Library Research Materials: Kopfschatzungsregister, Die Groneveld's, DGB, OSB Prefaces & More	Lin Strong (Library Closed)	Library 20 Max
	Dutch Research – Where Do I Start?	Roger Peters	Classroom C
11 a.m.	Life on the Moors & the Fehns	Lin Strong	Classroom A
	Writing a Family History	Kim Ashford	Classroom B
	The Hafermann Family	Mary Jane Haemig	Classroom C
12 p.m.	Lunch		Café
1 p.m.	DNA Basics – Part I	Gregg Gropel	Classroom A
	Four Steps to Build Up Your Research Skills	Kim Ashford	Classroom B
	Dutch Research Online	Roger Peters	Classroom C
2 p.m.	DNA Basics – Part II	Gregg Gropel	Classroom A
	How to Use the 1757 & 1719 Kopschatzungsregister	Lin Strong	Classroom B
	Dutch Resources: Westerwolde Series, <i>Boerderijen</i> Farm Books & Other Groningen Area Books.	Roger Peters	Classroom C
3 p.m.	FamilySearch.Org: The Other 70%	Jill Morelli	Classroom A
	Ostfriesland – Customs & Culture	Lübbert Kruizenga	Classroom B
4 – 6 p.m.	Meet & Greet	Reception Area	
4 – 6 p.m.	Genealogy Help Desk	Sign up!	Library
10 p.m.	Library closes		

OGSA GENEALOGY CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	July 29	SPEAKER	LOCATION
8 a.m.	Registration opens		
8:45 a.m.	<i>Why did they leave?</i> Pastor, Teacher, Blacksmith & Day Laborer Why these Emigrants from the Village of Victorbur Left for the USA in the 19th Century	Jürgen Hoogstraat	
	<i>Library & Sales Area Closed</i>		
10 a.m.	Library Research Materials: <i>Kopfschatzungsregister, Die Groneveld's,</i> DGB, OSB Prefaces & More	Lin Strong (Library Closed)	Library 20 Max
	I Got My DNA Results: Now What?	Jill Morelli	
	Fast Forward: Historic Events that Shaped Our Ostfriesen Ancestors' Lives	Roger Peters	Classroom B
11 a.m.	German Names: Their Origins, Meanings, and Distribution	Fritz Juengling	Classroom A
	Bring Lace Curtains – The Lives of Our Women Ancestors	Lin Strong	Classroom B
	Emden During WWII	Andrea Hoogstraat	Classroom C
Noon	Lunch		Café
1 p.m.	TBD		
	Dikes, Diking, Land Reclamation	Lin Strong	Classroom B
	TBD		
2 p.m.	Meyer's Gazetteer Now Online, Indexed and Fully Searchable!	Fritz Juengling	Classroom A
	Dying: The Records Left Behind	Lin Strong	Classroom B
	Skating to the Neighbors - Video		Classroom C
3 p.m.	The Genealogical Value of German Guild Records	Fritz Juengling	Classroom A
	Oldenburg – Emigration & OFB on CD ROM	TBD	Classroom B
	OGSA Emigration Database	Gene Janssen/Roger Peters	Classroom C
4-6 p.m.	Genealogy Help Desk	Appointment needed	Library
4-6 p.m.	Bus Tour One	Ticket Required	Hotel Lobby
6:15-8:15 p.m.	Bus Tour Two	Ticket Required	Hotel Lobby
10 p.m.	Library closes		

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Monday	July 30	SPEAKER	LOCATION
8 a.m.	Registration Opens		
8:45 a.m.	Emigration from Ostfriesland Was Not The Same For All Religious Denominations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why the Lutherans Emigrated • The Reformed Church Emigrants • Emigration of the Christian Reformed, Baptist and Methodists. 	Jürgen Hoogstraat	
	<i>Library & Sales Area Closed</i>		
10 a.m.	Finding Your Immigrant Ancestor When No Records Exist	Jill Morelli	Classroom A
	Life Under French Rule: Surnames and Far More!	Roger Peters	Classroom B
	Spring in The Netherlands – Photo Tour	Lin Strong	Classroom C
11 a.m.	How to Use the 1757 & 1719 Kopschatzungsregister	Lin Strong	Classroom A
	The Low German Language	Fritz Juengling	Classroom B
	The Windmills of Ostfriesland - Photo Tour	John Durdle	Classroom C
Noon			Café
1 p.m.	Bring Lace Curtains – The Lives of Our Women Ancestors	Lin Strong	Classroom A
	The Rheiderland, A Photo Tour	Roger Peters	Classroom B
	Emden During WWII	Andrea Hoogstraat	Classroom C
2:30 p.m.	Solving a Problem Using DNA: Molly Fritch Meyer's Gazetteer Now Online, Indexed and Fully Searchable!	Jill Morelli	Classroom A
		Fritz Juengling	Classroom B
	A Photo Tour of the Krummhorn		Classroom C
3:30-4:30 p.m.	Google – Maps, Mapping & Lots More	Lin Strong	Classroom A
	EMPTY		Classroom B
	EMPTY		Classroom C
3-5 p.m.	Genealogy Help	Appointment needed	Library
5 p.m.	Library closes		
6:30 p.m.	Banquet		
	Speaker		
	Volunteer Awards, Special Recognition		