“To another Sea”: Dickinson, Environment, and the West

Thursday, August 8

4:00 PM – 10:00 PM Registration - Individual Check-in (Front Desk)

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Dinner (Crocker)

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM Conference Welcome, Barbara Mossberg & Elizabeth Petrino

Friday, August 9

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM Breakfast (Crocker)

9:00 AM – 10:15 AM Welcome – President’s Address and Conference Highlights

Keynote Address – Sandra Gilbert

10:15 AM – 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM – 11:45 AM Session A

Panel: ECOPOETISM

Panel: DICKINSON AND THE SEA (SEE)

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch (Crocker)

1:15 PM – 2:15 PM Plenary Session: Keynote Address – Wendy Martin

2:30 PM – 3:45 PM Session B

Panel: DICKINSON AND OTHER WRITERS

Panel: THE WESTERN LANDSCAPE

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM
Roundtable: CROSSING BOUNDARIES – Emily Dickinson and the performing arts: remediation, intermediality

Panel: ONTOLOGIES OF SYMPATHY AND INTIMACY, TIME AND DISTANCE

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM  Dinner (Crocker)

8:00 PM – 9:00 PM  Bonfire (Barbecue Area)

Saturday, August 10

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM  Breakfast

8:30 AM – 10:00 AM  White Dress/Suit Parade – Join conference goers and others from the community to walk to the sea, with or without your dog. “I started early – took my dog.”

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM  Break

10:30 AM – 11:45 AM

Panel: SELF AND OTHER IN TIMES OF CRISIS: DICKINSON AND LITERARY HISTORY

Panel: DICKINSON AFTER DARWIN: NEW ENVIRONMENTAL READINGS

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM  Lunch

1:00 PM – 2:15 PM

Panel: DICKINSON, TRAVEL, AND MEMORIALS

Panel: POSITIVE AS SOUND: REBELLION AND DISSENT

2:30 PM – 3:45 PM

Roundtable: Biography and Bio-Pic: What Do They Have to Do with Reading Dickinson’s Poetry

Panel: Experimental Dickinson: Sound and Music

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM

Plenary Lecture Performance:
Kit Young, “What Miss Dickinson Heard– And Didn’t – An Opera for Rhapsodist, Vocal Quartet and Duo-Pianist”

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM   Keynote Speaker: Alicia Ostriker, poet and scholar

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM   Dinner Buffet   (Barbeque Area)

**Sunday, August 11**

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM   Breakfast

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM   Research Circle

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM   Business Meeting

11:00 AM – Noon   Final Discussion and Wrap-Up