

# A Guide's View of Philadelphia

*Monday Evenings, 6:00 pm to 9:30 pm*

*February 27 through April 9, 2012*

*Physick House, 321 S. Fourth St.*

Conducted by the Association of Philadelphia Tour Guides (APT)

*Cosponsored by the Philadelphia Society for the Preservation of Landmarks*

This series of seven lectures and two techniques workshops will cover key events in Philadelphia history, art and architecture, as well as significant sites and noted residents—from Lenape Natives to modern leaders. The region's top experts in history, culture and architecture are presenters. APT guides will also share their behind-the-scenes lore and anecdotes which have earned them plaudits as among America's best tour guides. If you wish to become a certified Philadelphia Tour Guide, or just want to learn more about this fascinating city – this program is for you.

## Lecture Calendar:

February 27	<b>Introduction &amp; Philadelphia Overview</b>
March 5	<b>William Penn, the Lenapes and the Frontier City</b>
March 12	<b>Franklin's Philadelphia</b>
March 19	<b>The Revolutionary and Federal Capital</b>
March 26	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Century City / Industrial Powerhouse / Civil War</b>
April 2	<b>Waterworks / The Gilded Age / Centennial / Parkway</b>
April 9	<b>The 20<sup>th</sup> Century City / Philadelphia's Future</b>

## Guide Techniques Workshops:

Sunday, March 25, 1:00 – 3:00	<b>Workshop I</b>
Sunday, April 1, 1:00 – 3:00	<b>Workshop II</b>

## Fees:

\$150.00 fee for the full lecture and workshop series

\$25.00 fee for individual evening lectures

**20% Discount** for current members of APT or Landmarks

**30% Discount** for groups of five or more (for tour companies)

**Certification: Test conducted on Monday, April 16**

*See Second Page for further information and registration instructions*

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## 2012 Philadelphia Presenters

### February 27: Introduction and Philadelphia Overview

6:00 – 6:30 Welcome, Brandi Levine / Intro Bob Skiba

6:30 – 9:30 Three Centuries of Phila in architecture Kenneth Hinde

### March 5: William Penn, the Lenapes and the Frontier City

6:00 – 6:30 The Early Colony, J. Del Conner, Mgr. Physick House

6:30 – 8:45 William Penn and the Quakers, Nancy Webster, Consultant

8:45 – 9:30 The Arch St. Meeting, Nancy Gibbs, Mgr.

### March 12: Franklin's Philadelphia

6:00 – 9:30 Dr. George Boudreau, Author

*Independence: A Guide to Historic Philadelphia*

(Just published, books will be available for discounted purchase)

### March 19: The Revolutionary and Federal Capital

6:00 – 8:15 Dr. Andrew Shankman, Author

*Crucible of American Democracy: Jeffersonian Pennsylvania*

8:30 – 9:30 Joe Becton, Consultant, Guide Trainer, Re-enactor

### March 26: The 19<sup>th</sup> c. City / Industrial Powerhouse / Civil War Era

6:00 – 9:30 Dr. Charlene Mires, Author

*Independence Hall in American Memory*

Co-editor, *Philadelphia Encyclopedia*

### April 2: The Waterworks / the Gilded Age / Centennial / Parkway

6:00 – 8:15 Dr. Jeffrey Cohen, Senior Lecturer, Bryn Mawr

8:30 – 9:30 Dr. Paul Levy, CEO, Center City District

### April 9: The 20<sup>th</sup> Century City

6:00 – 6:30 City of Visitors, Meryl Levitz, President & CEO, GPTMC

6:30 – 8:15 Dr. Howard Gilette, Editor, *Philadelphia Encyclopedia*

8:30 – 9:30 Philly's Future, Alan Greenberger, Deputy Mayor

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## Registration:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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