

Preserving the Past and the Present for the Future

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David Yoakley Mitchell 397 Augusta Avenue, SE Atlanta, GA 30315-1446

Dear David,

On behalf of the Society of Georgia Archivists, I am delighted to inform you that you have been named a recipient of the SGA President's Award for 2011. This award is presented to an individual or organization outside of the archival profession that has made significant contributions to the profession.

You were nominated based on your efforts to get WWII collections donated to the Hargrett Rare Book and Manuscript Library at the University of Georgia. I am very pleased to recognize your outstanding contributions to Georgia's documentary heritage and to the archival profession.

As an award recipient, you will be recognized on Thursday, November 3rd at the reception at SGA's Annual Meeting, to be held this year in Morrow, GA. We hope that you will be able to join us for this wonderful occasion. If you would like to register for the conference, you may do so online at our website (http://soga.org/Admin/default.aspx). Whether or not you are able to come to the entire meeting, you and a guest are most welcome to attend the Thursday evening reception as special guests of SGA. So that we can make our catering plans, please send me an e-mail by October 17 to let me know if you will be able to attend.

The conference is shaping up to be an outstanding event. Christopher Prom, University Archivist at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, will deliver the keynote speech. The program also features highly respected presenters from Georgia and the Southeast. We sincerely hope that you will be able to join us at the meeting, and thank you for your contributions to the archival profession.

Sincerely,

Christine Wiseman 2011 SGA President

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