

SouthPole-*sium* v.5

San Francisco

22-26 June 2022

TENTATIVE AGENDA

WEDNESDAY 22nd June

6:00 pm OPENING RECEPTION at Joan Boothé's home. Conference packs available for pick-up.
WELCOMING REMARKS & INTRODUCTIONS

THURSDAY 23rd June (The Maritime Research Center)

9:00 am A short WELCOME and review of the schedule & announcements.
9:15 am ROUNDTABLE: Attendees introduce themselves and their interests extensively. We may have already started some of this the evening before. This will continue throughout the morning until all have had their say. You can spend 20 seconds saying who you are and where you're from, or go on for up to 10 minutes or so elaborating on your Antarctic interests, describing your current projects, posing questions to the assembled, etc.
10:30 am Coffee/tea break.
10:45 am Roundtable continues. (If we conclude before lunch, we will start the Short Presentations.)
1:00 pm LUNCH on site.
2:00 pm GROUP PHOTO. Followed by... a Keynote talk: *Shackleton in San Francisco*.
2:45 pm SHORT PRESENTATIONS by attendees through the end of the day.
4:00 pm Coffee/tea break.
5:00 pm Adjournment.
6:00 pm Boat cruise around San Francisco Bay. (Cash bar)
Evening Informal dinner on your own in San Francisco.

FRIDAY 24th June (All-day excursion to & from Palo Alto)

9am - 5pm BUS EXCURSION to and from Rumsey Map Center at Stanford University [<https://library.stanford.edu/rumsey>]. Excursion bus to follow two routes, one going and one returning, with a stop at the former location of Amundsen's *Gjøa* from its landing in San Francisco in 1906 until its return to Norway in 1971, and the Amundsen monument still there.
Evening RECEPTION and BANQUET and after-dinner FESTIVITIES (venue & program to be determined).

SATURDAY & SUNDAY 25th-26th June

Optional excursions to areas of interest in the San Francisco Bay Area: history and geology, architecture, fine and performing arts, museums & libraries, wine country. Free guided tour (by David Hirzel) of San Francisco Maritime National Park. 🍷