

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

APRIL 2019

Free and open to all members. No reservations required. 6:30 pm

April 2 Genetic DNA

- Questions: From Basic to Advanced
- Understanding Company Test Results
- How to use Matches to find Ancestors
- Advanced Tools & Techniques

April 9 French-Canadian

- Open Discussion - bring your questions
- Conquering Brick Walls (Lynn)
- Coming to America - French-Canadian Emigration (Marcie)
- Champlain's Companions - Are you a descendent of the first family to settle in Quebec - Louis Hebert & Marie Rollet?

April 16 Irish

- Irish Genealogical Resources - Paper, Digital & Online
- Understanding Ireland's Geographic & Political Boundaries
- Examples of Successful Research Methods
- Hands-on Work with Online Databases
- Question & Answer Session

April 23 Italian

- Understanding Italian Records
- Impact of Geography & History on Your Research
- Examples of Research Trips in Italy & Successful Searches
- Importance of Language & Customs to Your Work
- Best Print and Online Resources - with Demonstrations

April 30 Guest speaker- Lise Veronneau

Lise has recently received the rank of Knight (Chevalier in the National Order of Merit) by the Government of France for her work on French initiatives in Vermont. She is also the chair of the Honfleur Sister City Committee, a partnership between the City of Burlington and the French port city of the same name where Samuel de Champlain set off from.

For more information see member emails the week before each group meets.