The Campbell River Genealogy Society

Fall Seminar 2025

Saturday November 8 – 10:00 AM

Every Scrap Tells a Story:
Practical Genealogy Research with the GPS

The Genealogical Proof Standard (GPS) provides a framework for reliable research and writing, helping genealogists produce work that stands the test of time.

This presentation introduces the five elements of the GPS:

- reasonably exhaustive research
- complete and accurate source citations
- thorough analysis and correlation
- resolution of conflicting evidence
- soundly reasoned, coherently written conclusions

Using practical examples, we will explore the line between reasonably exhaustive research and plain old exhaustive research, see how writing a citation can lead us to a new source, and how thorough analysis and correlation helps us use every scrap of evidence we've gathered. Attendees will leave excited to apply the GPS to their own projects.



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Registration Details: Zoom only

Pre-registration required:
https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/MQAoFHx_TlK59EaOKvwIDw
Registration Fee: $10 by eTransfer by noon Friday November 7th
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