CONFRONTING THE **LECENDARY** GREAT PLAINS

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

2 Breakout B2

3 Breakout B3

C Breakout C G GPAM

D Breakout D B Banquet

APRIL 2: Optional workshops/tours at various locations

1pm: Indigenous Comics Workshop with Cameron Mukwa, Love Library, 221 2:30pm: Indigenous at UNL Campus tour with Margaret Huettl, meet at Great Plains Art Museum 8:30pm: Local Legends tour with Mystery Harwood, meet at Antelope Park's Auld Pavilion

APRIL 2: Great Plains Art Museum

5:30pm: Reception & Paul Chaat Smith G Christlieb Gallery *Out of the Blue and into the Black: Are the Great Plains Still Great?*

APRIL 3: Nebraska Innovation Campus Conference Center

8:30am: Check-in open

9-10am: Kristin Lee Hoganson

B Banquet Hall

Reconsidering the Heartland Myth in Light of Local History

10:15–11:30am: Concurrent Session 1

- 2 Conflicting Landscapes: The Place of Trees in Seas of Grass
- 3 Reframing Willa Cather's West
- C Westerns, Comics, and New Storytelling
- D Advancing Inclusive Storytelling in the Great Plains: Nebraska's Historical Marker Equity Program

11:45am-1:30pm: Lunch & Margaret Huettl

B Banquet Hall

Here Lies the Pioneer: (Re)Covering the Oregon Trail

1:45–3pm: Concurrent Session 2

- 2 Reshaping Earth's Skin: The Effect of Settler Mythologies on the Soils of the Great Plains
- 3 Legendary Plains Folklore (and Folklorists)
- C Exploding Plastic Indigenous
- D Native Nation Building through Tribal Engagement and Intergenerational Knowledge

- 3:15–4:30pm: Concurrent Session 3
- 2 Collecting Truth and Myth
- 3 Representation of Great Plains Peoples
- C The Persistence of the Pioneer in Museums and Historic Sites
- D Re-Indigenizing Southeast Nebraska

6:30pm: Great Plains dinner

Glacial Till Vineyard and Winery

Keynote Rebecca Clarren, author of *The Cost of Free Land* (tickets required)