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SEE HIDDEN CHARLOTTE ARTIFACTS FROM HISTORY MUSEUM VAULT

CHARLOTTE, N.C., April 7, 2021 – Join The Charlotte Museum of History’s president & CEO Adria Focht for a live streamed lunch and learn on April 22 to explore artifacts from the museum’s historical archives. Each object has a story to tell about people who have called the Queen City home.

Focht will share artifacts that aren’t usually seen by museum visitors because they are delicate or hard to display, including Native American stone tools and other items from daily life that were found during archaeological digs at the museum’s historic 1774 homesite. She also will share artifacts from the historic Siloam School, which the museum is working to preserve through the [Save Siloam School Project](#).

Focht will answer audience questions about preserving their own family treasures, from photographs to furniture and quilts.

Focht has an extensive background in historic preservation, having formerly managed museum collections and archives at the Martin Luther King Jr. Historic Site in Atlanta. She also has worked at the Queen Anne’s Revenge Conservation Laboratory in Greenville, N.C. and at the East Carolina University Field School in Historical Archaeology.

How to attend

Visit charlottemuseum.org/events to receive the Zoom dial-in information for this free, live streamed Lunch & Learn that takes place at noon on Thursday, April 22. A recording will be available on the museum’s YouTube channel after the event.

About The Charlotte Museum of History

The Charlotte Museum of History exists to save and share the Charlotte region’s history, helping create a better understanding of the past and inspiring dialogue about the future. The museum is the steward of the 1774 Hezekiah Alexander Rock House and homesite, which is listed on the National Register of Historic

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Places and is the oldest home in Mecklenburg County. Visit charlottemuseum.org and follow the museum on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#). The museum is an independent 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

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