

Policy Regarding Book Presentations & Sales Eff. 3/2014

This policy is intended to address the marketing of products produced by amateur research authors and insure that presentations do not simply become book promoting events. It does not apply to products produced commercially by "for profit" enterprises.

Book Presentation Workshops

1. The SGEE Convention Committee may invite authors to provide workshop lectures utilizing their books if the content is instructional and provides information that supports the research and genealogy focus of SGEE.
2. Prior to receiving workshop approval as presenters, the Convention Committee may request that authors submit a copy of their book(s) and related materials for review.
3. SGEE reserves the right to review and evaluate all books and products for their appropriateness prior to the convention and retains the right to refuse permission to display, promote or sell any product deemed irrelevant, offensive, illegal or objectionable without explanation.

Author's Corner Presentations

The SGEE Convention Committee may schedule a 30 minute 'optional session' at the end of the day referred to as the "Author's Corner". This will provide an opportunity for new authors not presenting workshops to use the lecture room resources (microphone, projector etc.) to promote their book(s). Authors desiring to present during the "Author's Corner" will be approved on a "first come, first served" basis once a book review has been completed.

No compensation to "Author's Corner" presenters will be provided by SGEE. This includes free registrations, and banquet tickets. Table space will be made available at no cost in the Resource room for presenting authors to sell their books and display their materials.

Please Note: SGEE is not responsible for any books or display items left unattended in the Lecture or Resource rooms.