

The New York Preservation Archive Project

New York Preservation Archive Project Preservation History Database 2021 Competition

Contribute an entry to NYPAP's online [Preservation History Database](#) for a chance to win a prize and mention at the 18th annual Bard Breakfast and in the newsletter!

First Prize: \$150, copy of *Preserving New York*, mention at the annual Bard Breakfast and in the newsletter, entry publication.

Second Prize: \$100, copy of *Preserving New York*, mention in the newsletter, entry publication.

Third Prize: \$50, mention in the newsletter, entry publication.

NYPAP is one of the premier preservation not-for-profits in New York City. Through public programming and the growth of its [Archive Project](#), NYPAP is dedicated to documenting, preserving and celebrating New York City's preservation history.

Preservation History Database is part of the greater Archive Project and is an encyclopedic resource for NYC's preservation history. It is meant as a gateway for academic researchers and as a resource for contemporary preservationists.

Contest Entries should be concise and accurate, and direct readers to additional resources such as archival collections or oral histories. Competition entry submissions should be a total of approximately 1,000 words in length. Entries will be judged on clarity, depth of research, and adherence to NYPAP formatting and style guidelines. Entries that do not win may still receive editorial advice and may still be considered for publication.

To Enter:

Contact Rachel Ericksen at rericksen@gm.nypap.org with subject line: '2021 Database Competition'. Contestants can then select a topic from an existing list emphasizing women, the BIPOC community, social justice issues and the boroughs of Queens, the Bronx and Staten Island. Contestants will also receive entry formatting and style guidelines. Suitable topics proposed by contestants will also be considered.

Entry Submission Deadline: July 15, 2021