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The Center for Public History to Host "Energy Capitals" Workshop

The Center for Public History will host “**Energy Capitals: Local Impact, Global Influence,**” May 21-22, 2010 at the UH Central Campus.

Funded by the National Science Foundation and the University of Houston Office of Research, this workshop will bring together historians, social scientists, and other energy experts to discuss the role of energy industries in transforming regional economies, driving infrastructure development, shaping labor markets, and creating environmental and public health challenges around the world.

Dr. Martin Melosi and **Dr. Joseph Pratt** are co-hosting the event; **Dr. Kathleen Brosnan** will serve as moderator. Scholars from around the world, including Nobel laureate John Byrne, will join numerous UH faculty members to participate in the workshop.

Panel sessions are free and open to the public. For more information, please visit the [Energy Capitals website](#).

