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# DGS Fall Seminar Saturday, October 24

“Thinking, Assessing, & Storytelling: Genealogy  
Beyond Birth, Marriage, & Death”

Featured Speaker: Dr. Michael Lacopo



J. Erik Jonsson Central Library  
1515 Young Street, Dallas, TX 75201  
Registration - 9:30am  
Program -10am-4:30pm



Becoming a "Thinking Genealogist"\*  
Understand Your Ancestors in the Context of Place and Time\*\*

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### Program

- She Came From Nowhere - A Case Study Approach to a Difficult Genealogical Problem.
- Deconstructing Your Family Tree: Re-Evaluating the "Evidence".
- Incorporating Social History Into Your Research.
- Medical Genealogy: A Primer of Diseases That Killed Our Ancestors and the Epidemics They Lived Through.

Program [details](#)

### Cost

- By Oct 1 Member \$45.00; Non-Member \$55.00
- After Oct 1 Member \$55.00; Non-Member \$65.00

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\* "The case study and the "Deconstructing" lecture are about critical thinking and understanding the Genealogical Proof Standard, so they are about assessing what you have and what I call being a "thinking genealogist." ". *Dr. Lacopo*

\*\* "The "Social History" and "Medical Genealogy" topics are...related to my desire for genealogists to tell a story and to understand their ancestors in the context of the place and time and location in which they lived." *Dr. Lacopo*.

### About Dr. Lacopo

Dr. Lacopo was born and raised in northern Indiana. Michael completed his doctorate in veterinary medicine in 1991, at the same time that he was honing his research skills. He treats his genealogical research as he does medicine – carefully, methodically and completely. Having ancestors from many geographic locales as well as immigrants spanning the 17th century to the 20th century, Michael has developed a wide variety of proficiencies. He believes that as genealogists we should tell the tales of our ancestors and is a vocal proponent for learning the social history that interweaves our ancestors into the fabric of the past. Dr. Lacopo has presented lectures and programs at several NGS and FGS conferences, as well state genealogical societies, the Palatines to America Conference, and many local and regional family history meetings.

Visit Michael's blog, [Hoosier Daddy?](#)

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