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Discovering Your English and Irish Ancestors Featuring Paul Milner



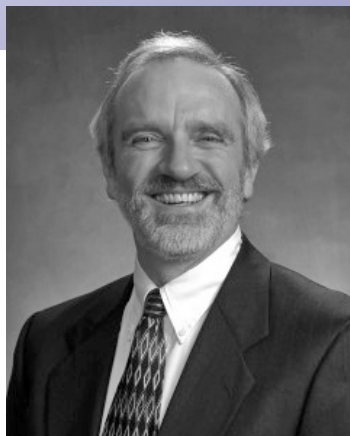
Saturday, October 4, 2014, 9:30 am- 4:30 pm
Main Library Auditorium, 60 South High Street, Akron, Ohio 44326

Program Schedule:

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| 9:30 – 9:45 am | Introductions |
| 9:45 – 10:45 am | English Parish Registers: How to Access, Use and Interpret |
| 10:45 – 11 am | Break |
| 11 am – 12 pm | Buried Treasures: What's in the English Parish Chest |
| 12 – 1 pm | Lunch on your own |
| 1 – 2 pm | Are you Lost? Using Maps, Gazetteers and Directories for British Isles Research |
| 2– 2:15 pm | Break |
| 2:15 – 3:15 pm | Irish Emigrants to North America: Before, During and After the Famine |
| 3:15 – 3:30 pm | Break |
| 3:30 – 4:30 pm | Finding Your Ancestors in Ireland |

The program is free and open to the public, and parking is free in the High-Market Parking Deck. To sign-up or for more information, contact the Special Collections Division at 330-643-9030 or speccollections@akronlibrary.org. Visit us on the web at <http://sc.akronlibrary.org/>.

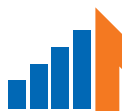
Paul Milner, a native of Northern England, is a professional genealogist and internationally known lecturer with 30 years' experience, specializing in British Isles Research.



Paul was raised on the West coast of Northern England. A mining engineer with a degree from the Cambourne School of Mines in Cornwall, England, he came to the U.S. in 1975 to get his graduate degree at the University of Wisconsin. He has been in the U.S. ever since, and in 2008 he became a dual citizen of both countries. In the intervening years, Paul received two graduate degrees and traveled widely throughout the world.

Paul has been designing genealogy workshops, writing books, and lecturing for over 35 years. He holds an advanced degree in Theology and is particularly knowledgeable about the church and its role in record keeping. As a genealogist he speaks on a variety of topics relating to research in the British Isles, migration to North America and research methodology.

He is currently the book editor for the Federation of Genealogical Societies FORUM, and the British Interest Group of Wisconsin and Illinois newsletter. Paul is a past board member of the Association of Professional Genealogists, the Federation of Genealogical Societies, the Genealogical Speakers Guild, and the British Interest Group of Wisconsin and Illinois. For more information, visit <http://www.milnergenealogy.com>.



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