

# FORT WORTH GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

In Collaboration with the Fort Worth Library  
Presents

## Deciphering and Writing Historic Handwriting

With

# GABY KIENITZ

Does reading cursive on old historic documents make you curse?  
Learn some techniques and tools for deciphering historic  
handwriting, and get a chance to test your own skills at writing  
cursive with a dip ink pen.

**NEW TIME**

**DAY:** Tuesday, August 29, 2023

**TIME:** 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

**NEW LOCATION**

**Fort Worth History Center, 501 E. Bolt St.**

**Free Parking in the Library parking lot.**

**Please observe Health Protocols!**



**GABY KIENITZ** has spent her entire working life helping to preserve historic materials and make them more accessible.

She spent 20 years as a museum conservator in a variety of historic museums in Canada, Turkey, and the United States. Among her many experiences as a conservator: she and a co-worker once took a DC metro train while holding a copy of the Emancipation Proclamation enclosed in an art portfolio; and a year later she flew on a Lear jet with the same document.

For the past 7 years, she has had a slightly more sedate life as a librarian specializing in genealogy, local history, and archives. She currently works at the Fort Worth History Center.

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