

# *Man Camp Dialogues*

Free Public Programs in North Dakota Communities

Seeking community organizations to host public programs on the man camps of western North Dakota. This is not an advocacy project. It is a matter of scholarly research and public education, with scholars and citizens discussing life in the man camps and its significance to our history and culture.

Summary of Program: *Man Camp Dialogues* will bring experts from the UND North Dakota Man Camp Project (coordinated by Prof. William Caraher and Prof. Bret Weber) to communities experiencing the Bakken Boom. Since 2012 scholars have been researching the history, archaeology, and sociology of the state's temporary labor housing, also known as "man camps." Scholars from the project will share their research and engage communities in a discussion of how man camps have changed the life and histories of these communities.

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