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April Newsletter-Carter Library

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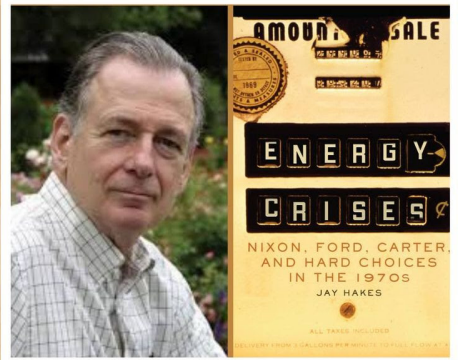
Jimmy Carter Presidential Library

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April 1, 2021

We and the National Archives are continuing to monitor conditions in Georgia to determine when it is safe for the public to return to the library and museum. In the meantime, you can keep up with us on our [webpage](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and our [YouTube channel](#).

Jay Hakes Author Program Monday, April 5 at 7:00 pm



JAY HAKES

ENERGY CRISES:
Nixon, Ford, Carter, and
Hard Choices in the 1970s

**MONDAY, APRIL 5, 2021
7 PM (EST) ON ZOOM**

In conversation with the Carter Center's
Director of Research and Faculty Assistant
to President Carter, Steven Hochman.

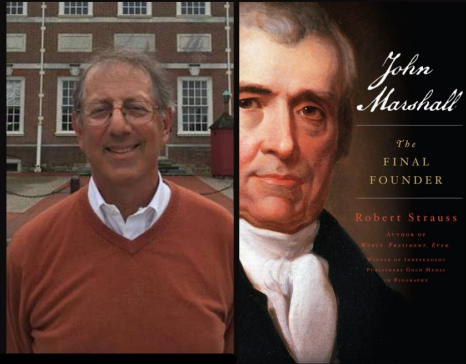
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The 1970s were a decade of historic American energy crises—major interruptions in oil supplies from the Middle East, the country's most dangerous nuclear accident, and chronic shortages of natural gas. In "Energy Crises," Jay Hakes brings his expertise in energy and presidential history to bear on the questions of why these crises occurred, how different choices might have prevented or ameliorated them, and what they have meant for the half-century since—and likely the half-century ahead.

Drawing on previously unavailable and inaccessible records, Hakes deftly intertwines the domestic and international aspects of the long-misunderstood fuel shortages that still affect our lives today. Details and Link at...

[Energy Crises](#)

Robert Strauss Author Program Wednesday, April 7 at 7:00 pm



ROBERT STRAUSS

JOHN MARSHALL

The Final Founder

Wednesday, April 7, 2021
7 PM (EST) on Zoom

In conversation with Emory Professor of American History Patrick Allitt

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Eighteenth- and 19th-century contemporaries believed John Marshall to be, if not the equal of George Washington and Benjamin Franklin, at least very close to that pantheon. In his new book, journalist and historian Robert Strauss recounts how the Chief Justice acted as the glue that held the union together after the original founding days. Details and Link at...

[*John Marshall*](#)

Carterland Film Preview and Discussion
Tuesday, April 13 at 7:00 pm



In their feature film debut, *CARTERLAND*, the Pattiz Brothers examine the tragic, yet inspiring story of America's most misunderstood president. This groundbreaking film draws on archival footage, experts, and insiders to reveal how Carter's selfless leadership and moral integrity ultimately cost him the presidency. Filmmakers Will and Jim Pattiz will join historian and author Jonathan Alter, Professor Bob Strong, and Steve Hochman, assistant to President Carter, for a preview of the film and discussion.

Details and link at

[*Carterland Discussion*](#)

**Lisa Napoli Author Program
Wednesday, April 14 at 7:00 pm**



LISA NAPOLI

**SUSAN, LINDA, NINA,
AND COKIE:**
The Extraordinary Story of the
Founding Mothers of NPR

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2021
7:00 PM (EST)

In conversation with Rose Scott, host
of WABE's *Closer Look*

Visit the Events Section at acappellabooks.com for details.

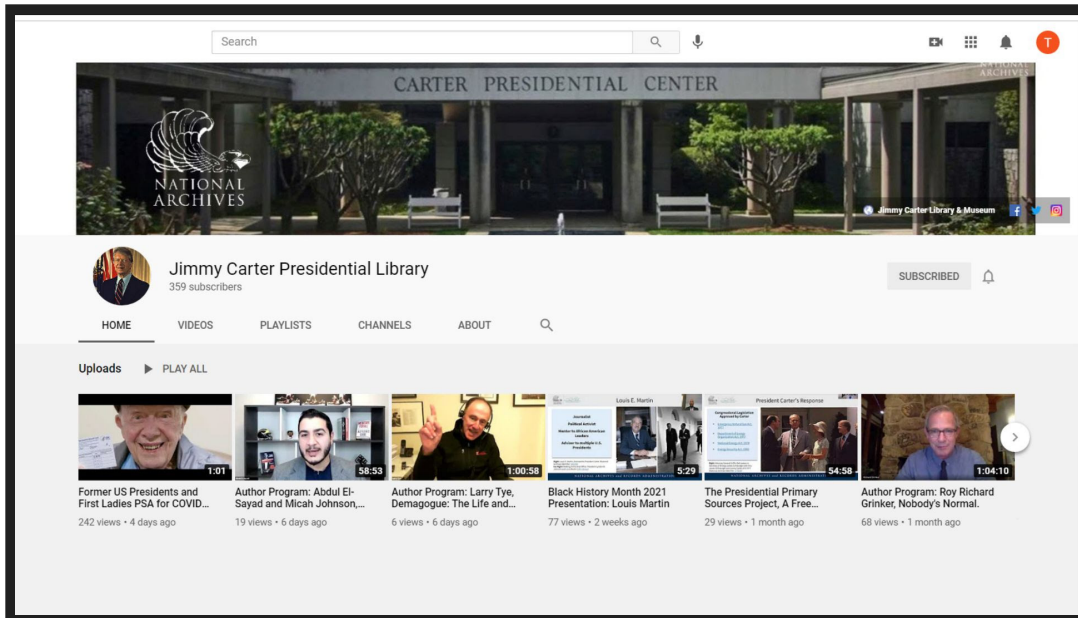
 

In her latest book, Lisa Napoli tells the story of four beloved women who fought sexism, covered decades of American news, and whose voices defined NPR. When a pioneering nonprofit called National Public Radio came along in the 1970s, and the door to serious journalism opened a crack, four remarkable women came along and blew it off the hinges. This is their story.

Details and Link at...

[*susan, linda, nina & cokie*](#)

**Miss a Public Program?
You can see them on our YouTube Channel**



The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library YouTube Channel is the place to catch up on author programs you may have missed or want to see again. You can see educational programs there, as well as historic video from the Carter Administration. Subscribe today.

[**Jimmy Carter Presidential Library YouTube Channel**](#)

**Congratulations
Dr. Meredith Evans
Named One of the
"50+ Influential Atlanta Women You Should Know"**



Meredith Evans is director of the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library & Museum. She holds a doctorate in library science (archive concentration) from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, as well as a master's degree in public history from North Carolina State University and a master's in library science from Clark Atlanta University. She has spent nearly two decades serving as instructor or librarian at a multitude of universities. Evans has been described as an archivist whose work has always focused on supporting community collaborations.

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HAPPY RETIREMENT
MARY ANN McSWEENEY



After 35 years with the National Archives, and the last 23 at The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library, Archivist Mary Ann McSweeney is retiring.

Over the years, she has helped countless researchers comb through our presidential papers for the information they needed. She has read thousands of documents to make sure they could be made available for the public (we call that "processing documents"). She was always there to answer questions about our materials, whether by phone, email or in person.

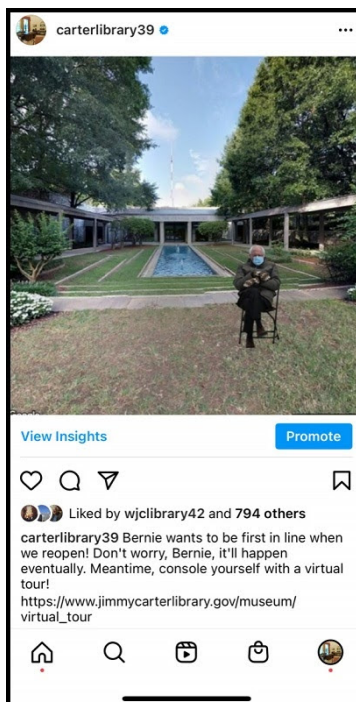
We have enjoyed working with Mary Ann and are grateful for the years of service she gave to the Carter Library. We wish her all the best in retirement.

Your family's Disney trip might be on hold...



...but what if Disney visited you instead? Well, on December 17, 1979, Amy and Rosalynn Carter had some special guests when Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs visited the family residency. (Check it out—that's little Jason Carter in the picture too!) See the White House Staff Photographers Collection from the Carter administration for more fun snippets of family life at the White House. (Image: NAID 842834)

The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library Staff Joins the Bernie Meme Bandwagon



On January 20, a photo of Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders sitting bundled up, masked, and mittened on a folding chair at the Presidential Inauguration went viral on social media. Soon the image, taken by Brendan Smialowski of Agence France-Presse, was being creatively turned into thousands of memes. And shortly thereafter, New York University graduate student Nick Sawhney created a website that let people situate Bernie in all kind of locations, via Google Street View.

Carter Library Archives Specialist Ceri McCarron was quick to join in on the fun. “I was cracking up at all the different locations and came across a site that let you plug in an address, and it would put Bernie at that address, so I started playing with it,” she said. “I wondered where they'd put him at work.”

McCarron sent it to Museum Registrar Carla Ledgerwood and Archivist Daria Labinsky, who run the library’s Instagram and Twitter accounts, respectively. They came up with a humorous caption that promoted the library’s virtual tour. The posts proved to be the most popular ones this year, to date. See for yourself!



The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library



The Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum is part of the National Archives and Records Administration and is dedicated to providing research information and educational materials about the life, career and presidency of Jimmy Carter.



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