

# Lecture

## The Gathered Flag: The American Flag in ANB Halls before 1960

with Emily Moore



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Living History Room (second floor)

Walter Soboleff Building

12 pm // Free

All are welcome.

The American flag is often in the background of group portraits of the Alaska Native Brotherhood and Sisterhood in the first half of the twentieth century but with a twist.

Between the folds there is a small image or sign that references important Tlingit and Haida leaders, clans, and ANB resolutions that countered the U.S. government's claims to managing fisheries and lands in the Tongass

National Forest. This lecture considers the significance of the pairing of the American flag with Tlingit and Haida imagery in ANB Halls.