



## Public History and Management of Alaska's Historic Chilkoot Trail with Bruce Noble

## Wednesday October 10, 2018 7:00 pm - Noble Hall 130

Prospectors trudging up an icy, snowy slope is the photo image on Alaskan license plates. The image is an historic photograph of the thousands of "stampeders" who headed north in search of Klondike gold and took the Chilkoot Trail to arrive on foot at Dawson City, Yukon Territory. Many would leave with broken dreams but others prospected for decades in Alaska's Far North, America's Last Frontier. Bruce Noble will explain the history of the trail and current National Park Service management issues and opportunities related to this historic corridor.



Former superintendent of Klondike Gold Rush National Historic Park in Skagway, Alaska, Bruce Noble earned his Master's Degree at the University of Wyoming and has worked for the National Park Service's National Register of Historic Places. He has been chief of interpretation and cultural resources management at Harpers Ferry National Historical Park in West Virginia. Noble is currently Black Canyon National Park Superintendent.

**Please join us in continuing our Public History lectures.** For additional information, please contact Dr. Ellen Paul, Chair, History Dept. at 970-247-7267