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Experts, Scholars, and Published Authors Available for Free Speaking Engagements to Local Groups

NATIONAL - Local community groups, schools, libraries, and service clubs, are invited to request a free presentation on Shakespearean studies from expert scholars and published authors for their members and patrons throughout the United States and Canada. The Shakespeare Oxford Fellowship, an organization committed to research and discussion of the Shakespeare Authorship Question, has members across the globe available to provide free presentations on a myriad of topics related to the Shakespeare Authorship Question through their free Speakers Bureau.

"Many people have heard of the Shakespeare Authorship Question, and they are curious about the details surrounding the question. The SOF Speakers Bureau provides free presentations to help answer those questions," said Steven Sabel, SOF director of public relations and marketing.

Members of the SOF include professionals from nearly every major field and industry, including lawyers, doctors, professors, entertainment professionals, engineers, accountants, and more. Many of them are published authors and the foremost experts of their area of study as it pertains to the Shakespeare Authorship Question. SOF Speakers Bureau members can speak about Shakespeare's knowledge of the law, medicine, astronomy, botany and gardening, politics and history, classical literature, the natural and physical sciences, music, animal husbandry, and more. They explain how these details help reveal the true author of the works.

"Our experts, scholars, and published authors are adept at explaining how Shakespeare's works, and details about Elizabethan history raise many questions about the author's true identity, and help to shed light on the answer to the mystery," Sabel said.

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The Shakespeare Authorship Question has been a subject of research for more than 200 years. During that time, detailed analysis, uncovered documents, and historical details have advanced the widespread belief that the works of Shakespeare were written by someone other than a glover's son from Stratford. Major publications and volumes of Shakespeare's works now include sections explaining the existence and history of the Shakespeare Authorship Question, and the topic is now regularly covered in learning institutions around the world. A recent article in the New Yorker focused on the Oxfordian views of deceased US Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens.

"The world loves a great mystery, and this is one of the greatest mysteries of all time. The evidence against the man from Stratford being the author continues to build and grow year after year, and people are interested in learning the truth just like Justice Stevens," said Sabel.

Members of the SOF Speakers Bureau are able to tailor their presentations to the needs of the group or organization requesting a speaking engagement. Presentations can be as brief as a 20 to 30-minute introduction to the Shakespeare Authorship Question, or up to 90 minutes long on a variety of more specific topics, such as "Shakespeare and the Law," "Elizabethan Theatre," "Top Candidates for Authorship," and more.

"Our members are dedicated to sharing the truth about this issue to those who wish to learn more," Sabel said.

Speakers are available throughout the year, and cover most of the major areas of the US and parts of Canada. Program directors, group leaders, and facility coordinators are encouraged to contact Sabel directly to schedule a speaker in their immediate area to give a presentation: publicity@shakespeareoxfordfellowship.org.

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