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- Nicole Poletika, Historian, Manager of the Indiana History Blog, Indiana Historical Bureau/Indiana State Library
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- Consul Fernando Ceja, Consular representative, Mexican Consulate
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- Marian Carpenter, Curator, Conner Prairie Museum
- Robin Cooper, Manager of Curatorial Affairs, Newfields
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- Joanna Taft, Executive Director, Harrison Center for the Arts

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- Aleta Hodge, Author
- Joan Hostetler, Director, Indiana Album
- Bethany Hrachovec, Director, National History Day, Indiana Historical Society

- Richard J. Roberts, Resident Dramaturg, Indiana Repertory Theatre
- Chief Justice Randy Shepard
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- Sally Krause, Marketing and Recruitment Coordinator, IU School of Nursing
- Jason Lantzer, Assistant Director, Honors Program, Butler University
- Eugene Lausch, Indiana Department of Metropolitan Development (retired)
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- Mark Ruschman, Chief Fine Arts Curator, Indiana State Museum
- Travis Ryan, Associate Professor, Urban Ecology and Conservation, Butler University
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