

Livermore-Amador Genealogical Society Presents Stewart Traiman, MD

You Are Invited

WHEN: Monday, February 8th, 2021

7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

WHERE:

<u>https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAsceyvpz</u>
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No Charge - Visitors welcome



Citations - Easier than you Think

Where did this marriage date come from? How do I know she re-married? If you are not citing the sources you have used, then you will be doomed to re-research. This is where citations save time, improve the accuracy and credibility of your genealogical writing. Citations help you and your readers get back to the same source where you found the mystery marriage date.

This class is based on *Mastering Genealogical Documentation* by *Tom Jones (NGS, 2017)*. Stewart will breakdown all 17 chapters and lead you through exercises designed to sharpen your citation crafting skills. You will learn the five necessary elements of a good citation – Who, What, Where In, When, and Where Is. You will then put those elements together to create clear, complete, and accurate descriptions of your sources. The class will also discuss software aids to help you become a citation queen.

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Transitioning from Internal Medicine physician and a Health Information Technology analyst to professional genealogist, Stewart Blandón Traiman has turned a 30-year dream into reality. He is also an expert in RootsMagic, an LGBTQ genealogy blogger, an officer in the California Genealogical Society, where he also serves as editor and publisher of a monthly electronic newsletter. He is also a member of the National Genealogical Society and Association of Professional Genealogists.

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