

Hubbell Society Museum & Library



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2019 INDUCTEE

MARJORIE M. K. HLAVA

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Marjorie (Margie, as many of us know her) spear-headed the merger of The Hubbell Family Historical Society and Hubbell Center to further grow and improve the relationship between both organizations. As president of THFHS, she took on the job to work with both groups to reconcile differences in management, funding and operation in order to form HSM&L. Working with lawyers for both organizations; she was able to resolve issues with incorporation of HSM&L in the state of Iowa. In addition to the work on the merger, she (along with other society members) developed a new set of bylaws to support the new combined organizations.

Marjorie organized and led the 2014 trip of society members on a tour of Hubbell roots in England. She has delved into archives and parish records there to ferret out family connections and the ancestral lineage of our American immigrant patriarch Richard Hubbell, and investigated the validity of the Hubba the Dane story.

Marjorie has engaged in a number of other Society projects over the years. She was responsible for scanning Harold B. Hubbell's books for the Hubbell Museum & Library. She worked on finding the 37 Hubbell Trading posts with her uncle Camino Bob and Gene Bahe of the National Park Service. She has been our liaison to, and also a past President of, the Hubbell House Alliance for the Gutierrez-Hubbell House in Albuquerque, NM. She continues to work diligently on defining and promoting the mission of the HSM&L, and increasing membership.

We are proud to induct Marjorie M. K. Hlava into the Hall of Fame.