

Editors and Editorial Board for *Digest* Volume 11 (2025)

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Charley Camp teaches folklife studies at Maryland Institute College of Art in Baltimore, MD. He curated the Smithsonian Institution exhibition, "Key Ingredients: America by Food," that traveled to forty-nine states.

Janet Gilmore served as *Digest's* chief editor from 2016-2021. An emeritus professor in Folklore and Landscape Architecture at University of Wisconsin-Madison, she built her teaching, research, and outreach practices on foodways, historical and cultural landscape conservation, public folklore project collections access, and decades of experience as an independent folklorist coordinating with numerous non-profit arts and historical organizations chiefly in the western Great Lakes region and her native Pacific Northwest. Fishing people, maritime workers, folk artists, and farming people led her to publish, present, and contribute to exhibits and festivals that relate to the regions' foodways and food landscapes—whether indigenous, old immigrant, new immigrant, or refugee. Personal interests in food, cooking, and cookbooks, inspired early in her western Oregon home, have now come full circle as she explores her mother's and grandmother's Pacific Northwestern-Upper Midwestern food legacies and her nuclear and extended families' related spatial, landscape, and architectural practices.

Michael Lange is Professor in the interdisciplinary Core Curriculum at Champlain College in Burlington, Vermont. He is the author of *Norwegian Scots: An Anthropological Interpretation of Viking-Scottish Identity in the Orkney Islands* (2007) and *Meanings of Maple* (2017), as well as several chapters and articles in journals such as *Anatolia, Scandinavian-*

Canadian Studies, the *Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Education*, and *Voices: The Journal of New York Folklore*. He has conducted research in Scotland, Norway, Morocco, and several parts of the US.

Yvonne Lockwood is a folklorist who recently retired as Curator of Folklife at the Michigan State University Museum, directed the Michigan Traditional Arts Apprentice Program and Michigan Heritage Awards Program there, curated the public food presentations at the Festival of Michigan Folklife and the Great Lakes Folk Festival, and curated "Michigan Eats," an interpretive exhibition that the Museum now tours. Other professional foodways activities include conference participation in the US and Europe and numerous publications. A long-time member of the Foodways Section, she co-edited *Digest* for a number of years with William G. Lockwood and judged student papers. She has extensive research experience in the former Yugoslavia, eastern Austria (Burgenland), and in the Upper Midwest, primarily in Finnish America, where she currently is researching foodways. She also often curates Finnish food demonstrations and workshops at the annual FinnFest USA.

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LuAnne Roth teaches in the Department of Writing and Rhetoric at the University of Rhode Island where she offers a range of courses, including those related to food writing, food and culture, and food justice. Roth's research gravitates toward folklore, film/media, and food studies. Her foodways scholarship appears in the journals *Digest* ("Poison Is Poison"), *Western Folklore* ("Do the [White] Thing"), and *Food, Culture and Society* ("Beef, It's What's for Dinner"), and as chapters in *What's Eating You?: Food and Horror on Screen* ("You Are What Others Think You Eat"), *Comfort Food Meanings and Memories* ("Comfort [and Discomfort] Food"), *Unsettling Assumptions: Tradition, Gender, Drag* ("Sexing the Turkey"), and *Folklore/Cinema: Popular Film as Vernacular Culture* ("Beyond Communitas"). Roth's work is driven by an interest in how food behaviors are used to both reinforce and subvert ideologies related to class, ethnicity, gender, and race.

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