



**Bob Tagatz** | Grand Hotel

**Session: History of Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel**

**Bio:** Tagatz has over 33 years of experience in historical preservation in Michigan, Florida and Georgia. More than two decades ago, Tagatz came to Mackinac Island because of his interest in the Grand Hotel and the study of turn-of-the century wood frame hotels (the Grand Hotel being one of only eleven still standing today). He assembled the Grand Hotel's first archives and is well known for his dynamic presentations on the hotel's history.