

*Event:* **California State Numismatic Association (CSNA) and  
Northern California Numismatic Association's (NCNA)  
Northern California Numismatic Educational  
*JOINT FORUM*  
*Saturday, November 18, 2023***

*Venue:* **Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum  
Heritage Theater, *Second Floor*  
734 Marin Street, *at Capital*  
Vallejo, California**

*Admission:* **FREE**, with ample free parking and convenient access.  
Registration Begins 8:30 AM. Program Starts 9:30 AM.  
Simple on-site lunch service and various eateries within easy  
walking distance. The museum is open to all attendees. Door Prizes.  
Two Presenters Morning and Two Presenters Afternoon.

*Moderator:* **Kimberly S. Kiick, American Numismatic Association (ANA)**

*Presenters:*

**Jose Raul Ramirez, *Berkeley, California*  
'Reales To Pesos'**

**Marina Fischer, *Calgary, Alberta, Canada*  
'Octavian: The Birth of the Roman Empire'**

**'Doctor' Lloyd G. Chan, *Fairfield, California*  
'Alexander The Great: The Man, and His Coins'**

**Kyle M. Anderson  
*Concord, California*  
'Hawaiian Numismatics'**

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## **CSNA AND NCNA TO HOLD JOINT FORUM**

The California State Numismatic Association (CSNA) has partnered with the Northern California Numismatic Association (NCNA) to hold together the Northern California Numismatic Education Joint Forum on ***Saturday, November 18, 2023 in Vallejo, California***, returning to prior venue for these annual Joint Forum's, the **Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum**.

Registration opens at 8:30 AM, and the first presentation starts at 9:30 AM. The Museum is at **'734 Marin, at Capital, downtown Vallejo, California'**.

The theme for the 2023 Joint Forum is *'Ancients Plus Much More'*. Five fine and qualified presenters have been confirmed. They are **Marina Fischer**, the current Curator of Numismatics from the University of Calgary, Alberta, Canada and Ancient coinage scholar, with her *'Octavian: The Birth of the Roman Empire'*. Also, for his first-time participation is **Jose Raul Ramirez**, retired university professor and note Hispanic scholar residing in Berkeley, California, with his *'Reales To Pesos'*. Adding would be **'Doctor' Lloyd G. Chan**, retired educator and professional award-winning winemaker plus farmer living in the Suisun Valley, California, with his always enjoyed *'Alexander The Great: The Man, and His Coins'*. Enthused Scouters and youth numismatic advocates plus avid Cupertino (California) Coin Club devotees, **Suzanne Trignon** and **Emile Mestressat** would team together and present *'Energizing Youth Numismatics'*.

Along with the presentations, there would be a special gift for each attendee plus 'free giveaways'. A simple on-site lunch service would be available as well eateries within walking distance, including a Saturday 'Farmer's Market' a block away. In addition, a special enticement drawing would be held for attendees to win Silver Eagles for local coin clubs. Items for youth to take back to local coin clubs would be offered, *in gratis*, while supplies last.

The Joint Forum is **FREE**, and the entire Museum is open to all attendees. **Kimberly S. Kiick**, of the American Numismatic Association (ANA), would moderate the all-day event.

This year's Joint Forum continues the cooperative and coordinated effort of CSNA and NCNA to promote 'the world of money', numismatics among coin hobbyists and others. Primary funding is budgeted by NCNA, via generous Patrons.

"We welcome all coin hobbyists. We invite anyone who enjoys history and mingling with like-minded individuals to attend. The knowledge learned is well-worth the time." remarked Michael S. Turrini, Joint Forum Coordinator and a CSNA Past President.

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