

*UMass Lowell's Saab Center for Portuguese Studies, in partnership
with the Lowell National Historical Park and the Institute of Social Sciences at the
University of Lisbon, presents*

THE PORTUGUESE IMMIGRANT EXPERIENCE IN LOWELL SINCE THE 1960s: *a facilitated panel discussion*



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Sunday, December 3 | 3:00PM | FREE & Open to the Public
Boott Cotton Mills Museum (Reception to Follow)

Lowell National Historical Park | 115 John St., Lowell (Parking at Downes Garage, 75 John St.)

Join us for a discussion illuminating personal stories from and influences on Lowell's Portuguese community. The program will bring to life individual and collective immigrant and ethnic experiences of the Portuguese in Lowell from the 1960s on, through the stories of five Portuguese-Americans. These individuals remember their youth and/or adulthood in Lowell, slices of life that now exist mostly in the memories of those who lived in Portuguese and multiethnic neighborhoods decades ago.

This program is part of the international conference, "Migration and Mill Work: Portuguese Communities in Industrial New England," at the Boot Cotton Mills Museum, December 3-4, 2017, organized by the Institute of Social Sciences at the University of Lisbon, in partnership with the Saab Center for Portuguese Studies and the Lowell National Historical Park.