Participants listen to the proceedings at the Culture Archives and the State conference held May 3-5, 2007, at the Mershon Center for International Security Studies.

(Left to right) John Roberts, Dean of the College of Humanities; Dorothy Noyes, Associate Professor of English, Comparative Studies, and Anthropology; and keynote speaker Regina Bendix, keynote speaker from Georg-August Universität in Göttingen, Germany, share a moment at the Culture Archives and the State conference held May 3-5, 2007, at the Mershon Center.