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Education:

University of Rochester:	August 2017-Present
PhD History	
MA History	August 2017-May 2018
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee:	August 2013-May 2015
MA History	
University of Minnesota-Morris:	August 2009-May 2013
BA History	
BA Anthropology	

Grants and Fellowships

2017-2019	Fellowship- Slattery Fellowship awarded by the University of Rochester.
2019	Research and Travel Grant- Awarded by the University of Rochester History Department.

Conferences Attended

March 2019	Panel Presentation- Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX. “ <i>The Squeals of Guilt: Animal Confessions in Medieval Animal Trials.</i> ” Presented at <i>Animal/Language: An Interdisciplinary Conference.</i>
January 2015	Panel Presentation- Newberry Library, Chicago, IL. “ <i>Gender Non-Conformity in Late Medieval and Early Modern Western Europe.</i> ” Presented at the Newberry Library Center for Renaissance Studies conference, <i>2015 Multidisciplinary Graduate Student Conference.</i>
April 2014	Panel Presentation- Governors State University, University Park, IL. “ <i>Embodying Strategies of Resistance: Gender Passing in Late Medieval and Early Modern Europe.</i> ” Presented at 4 th annual Gender Matters conference, <i>Embodying Praxis, Engaging Solutions.</i>
April 2014	Panel Presentation- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. “ <i>Embodying Strategies of Resistance: Gender Passing in Late Medieval and Early Modern Europe.</i> ” Presented at Phi Alpha Theta Wisconsin Regional Conference.

Presentations:

March 2014 **Workshop-** University of Minnesota-Morris, Morris, MN. Designed and led a workshop and dialogue for faculty and staff entitled ‘Catching Up with Gender in 2014.’

MA Thesis:

2014-2015 “*Utterly Confused Categories: Gender Non-Conformity in Late Medieval and Early Modern Western Europe.*” Published in June 2015.

Teaching, Research and Work Experience:

Spring 2020 **Teaching Assistant-** University of Rochester, Rochester NY. Teaching assistant to Laura Smoller for the course “Science, Magic, and the Occult.”

Fall 2019 **Teaching Assistant-** University of Rochester, Rochester NY. Teaching assistant to Elya Zhang for the course “History of Modern Japan.”

2014-2015 **Research Assistant-** University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. Research assistant to Professor Merry Wiesner-Hanks.

Summer 2013 **Library Internship-** Library of Congress, Washington, DC. Completed projects in records management and budget research, as well as performed daily office tasks and consulted with members of Congress to gain support and resources.

Fall 2013 **Reviewer-** University of Minnesota, Morris, MN. Worked as a student reviewer on an upcoming history textbook published by the University of Toronto Press under the guidance of a history professor at the University of Minnesota, Morris.

2011-2013 **Library Internship-** Briggs Library, University of Minnesota-Morris, Morris, MN. Learned about how a library functions, with a particular influence on the archival side.

Committee and Organizational Roles:

Summer 2020 **Hiring Committee Member-** University of Rochester, Rochester, NY. Graduate student representative on librarian hiring committee.

2018-2020 **GHS Officer-** University of Rochester, Rochester, NY. Academic Secretary to the Graduate History Society. I organize professional development events for history graduate students.

2014-2015 **Conference Assistant-** Attending to Early Modern Women, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. Was assistant to the chair of the

organizing committee for the 9th *Attending to Early Modern Women* conference, “It’s About Time.”

2014-2015 **AHGS President**- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. Was president of the organization Alliance for History Graduate Students.

2013-2014 **Planning Committee Member**- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. Helped to plan an annual interdisciplinary graduate student conference with the Alliance for History Graduate Students. The conference was entitled ‘Racial Formation, Racial Blindness’ and was held in February of 2014.

Language Proficiency

Latin, French