

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- 2007 University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC:
MA in Classical Archaeology
- 2005 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI:
BA in Classical Archaeology (Highest Honors)

RESEARCH

- 2007 Masters Thesis: "The Glory of Rome: Depictions of Architecture on the Column of Trajan" (*University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*)
- Committee Chair: Dr. Monika Truemper
 - Committee Members: Dr. Sheila Dillon, Dr. Nicola Terrenato
- 2006-present Independent Project: Provenance of Copper in Native American Middle Woodland Artifacts (*Geochronology and Isotope Geochemistry Laboratory, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*)
- Collaborators: Dr. John Rogers, Dr. Vin Steponaitis, Dr. Drew Coleman, Dr. Staci Loewy
 - Explores the possibility of using lead-isotope analysis to discriminate between Keweenaw and Appalachian copper sources
- 2006 Soil Analysis (*University of Sheffield, England*)
- Supervisor: Dr. Gianna Ayala
 - Assisted in basic analysis of bulk soil samples from Bronze Age site of Mokarta, Italy
- 2005 Honors Thesis: "Beyond Ocean and Beyond Rome's Grasp: The Effects of Disparities in Social Organization on Roman Policies towards Britain and Ireland" (*University of Michigan*)
- Supervisor: Dr. Susan Alcock
 - Received Highest Honors

FIELD EXPERIENCE

- 2008 Trench Supervisor: Mugello Valley Archaeological Project (*Vicchio, Italy*)
- Project Directors: Dr. Greg Warden, Dr. Michael Thomas
 - Excavated Etruscan sanctuary and city center of Poggio Colla
 - www.smu.edu/poggio/fieldschool.html
- 2007 Staff Member: Acconia Survey Project (*Acconia, Italy*)
- Project Director: Dr. Albert Ammerman
 - Assisted in mapping modern land uses for GIS analysis
 - Analyzed and produced descriptions for soil types and profiles for recently discovered Neolithic site
- Staff Member: Aspros Survey Project (*Paphos, Cyprus*)
- Project Director: Dr. Albert Ammerman
 - Participated in underwater exploration of Epi-Paleolithic site
 - PADI certification for open-water scuba diving
 - Participated in on-land collection of cultural material
- 2005 Assistant Trench Supervisor: Athienou Archaeological Project (*Athienou, Cyprus*)
- Project Directors: Dr. Michael Toumazou, Dr. Derek Counts
 - Excavated Archaic-Hellenistic sanctuary
 - Assisted in artifact conservation and classification
 - www.davidson.edu/academic/classics/Toumazou/AAP/site.html
- 2004 Field School Student: Athienou Archaeological Project (*Athienou, Cyprus*)
- National Science Foundation Fellowship Recipient
- 2003 Field School Student: Mugello Valley Archaeological Project (*Vicchio, Italy*)
- Scholarship Recipient
- 2002 Archaeological Interpreter: Colonial Michilimackinac, Mackinac State Historic Parks (*Mackinaw City, MI*)
- Project Director: Dr. Lynn Evans
 - Answered onsite questions from visitors to the historical park regarding work done on the current excavation
 - Observed excavation of Colonial Period French house and assisted with water screening
- Student: Sedimentary Deposits Field Study Geology Department, University of Michigan
- Directors: Dr. K. C. Lohman, Dr. Bruce Wilkinson
 - Studied geological deposits in several states focusing on sedimentary deposits in American Southwest

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill)

- Fall 2008 Teaching Assistant: Classical Mythology (CLAS 131)
- Responsible for grading papers and tests
 - Gave independent lectures
- Spring 2008 Instructor: Ancient Cities (CLAR 120)
- Responsible for syllabus, lectures, and tests for second half of course
- Fall 2007 Instructor: Introductory Latin 2 (LATN 102)
- Responsible for independent section
 - Composed tests for all sections of Latin 102
- Fall, Spring 2006 Instructor: Introductory Latin (LATN 101)
- Responsible for independent section
 - Composed tests for all sections of Latin 101
- Spring 2005 Teaching Assistant: Classical Mythology (CLAS 52)
- Responsible for grading papers and tests
 - Gave independent lectures
 - Composed final test
- Fall 2005 Teaching Assistant: Ancient Cities (CLAR 50)
- Responsible for grading papers and administering tests

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2006
1. Committee President for Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics (University of North Carolina and Duke Classics Depts.)
 2. Presented research at Graduate Research Colloquium, Arlington, VA (Institute for Humane Studies)
 3. Participant in “War, Peace, and Liberty” Conference, Arlington, VA (Institute for Humane Studies)
- 2005-06
4. Webmaster for Classics Department (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill)
- 2005
5. Webmaster for Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics (University of North Carolina and Duke Classics Depts.)
- 2003-05
6. Classical Archaeology Undergraduate Representative, Undergraduate Affairs Committee (University of Michigan Department of Classics)

PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2008 “Lead Isotope Analysis and the Provenience of Native American Copper Artifacts”
1st author, co-authored with Dr. John Rogers and Dr. Drew Coleman
65th Annual Meeting of the Classical Association of the Atlantic States
(to be given November 12-15, 2008)
- “Architectural Depictions on the Column of Trajan”
Annual Meeting of the Classical Association of the Atlantic States
(to be given October 9-11, 2008)
- “Everyday Architecture: Architectural Depictions on the Column of Trajan”
1st Annual Graduate Student Conference, Graduate Center of The City
University of New York (April 12, 2008)
- “Architectural Destruction on the Columns of Trajan and Marcus Aurelius”
19th Annual Graduate Student Colloquium in Classics, University of North
Carolina and Duke Classics Depts, Chapel Hill, NC (March 28-30, 2008)
- “Architectural Depictions on the Column of Trajan”
109th Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, Chicago
(January 3-6, 2008)

HONORS AND GRANTS

- 2008 Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies
- 2007 Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies
Honorable Mention: National Science Foundation Graduate Research
Fellowship
- 2006 Alternate Fellow: Mellon Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson Foundation
Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies
- 2005 Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies
Phi Beta Kappa Honors Society, University of Michigan
Classical Archaeology Prize, University of Michigan Classics Department
Undergraduate Research and Travel Award, University of Michigan Classics
Department
- 2004 National Science Foundation Fellowship for Summer Study at Athienou
Archaeological Project Field School
Moller Fellow, Institute for Humane Studies
Phillips Prize for Greek II, University of Michigan Department of Classics
Summer Study Grant, University of Michigan Center for European Studies
Undergraduate Research and Travel Award, University of Michigan Classics
Department

Nomination: Peer Writing Tutor, University of Michigan Sweetland Writing Center

Eta Sigma Phi Classics Honorary Society

James B. Angell Scholar, University of Michigan

2003

Manson Stewart Prize, Classical Association of the Middle West and South

Phillips Classical Prize for Greek I, University of Michigan Department of Classics