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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Tour Guide (p.t.) *May 22 - Present*

The Constitutional Walking Tours
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- Lead school groups, VIP parties, and walk-up tours along 1.25-mile route through colonial Philadelphia.
- Focus on the long freedom struggle from 1776 to our present, including abolition, civil rights, and suffrage.

Transportation Planner (f.t.) *Nov 18 - Aug 21*

Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization
Albuquerque, New Mexico

- Manage bikeshare program and conduct feasibility study for integrated bike and scooter contract.
- Facilitate online pivot of engagement strategy for Metropolitan Transportation Plan during COVID.

Project Manager + Estimator (f.t.) *Jan 18 – Nov 19*

Eshbach Brothers, L.P. Commercial Masonry Contractor
Reading, Pennsylvania

- Prepare cost estimates for higher education, historic restoration, and public-works construction projects.
- Organize weekly job safety lessons and track continuing education programs and certifications.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (P.T.)

Teaching Assistant *Aug 21 - Present*

Temple University, History Department
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- Teach summer course on Philadelphia's Local & Global History emphasizing art in urban renewal.
- Serve as recitation leader exploring link between pop culture and social justice in American history.
- Design field activities for students to explore the emergent creative-class and cultural economies.

Instructor + Teaching Assistant *Aug 15 - May 17*

University of New Mexico, Geography Department
Albuquerque, NM

- Instruct two lab sections of Physical Geography and assist one lecture section per semester.
- Develop field exercises that stress human impacts on the environment in urban and rural contexts.
- Lead small-group and one-on-one discussions during office and open-lab hours for undergraduates.

EDUCATION

Temple University *In Progress*

PhD in History with a concentration on Built-Environments
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

University of New Mexico *Summer 2017*

MS with distinction in Geography & Environmental Studies
Albuquerque, New Mexico

University of Pittsburgh *Winter 2014*

BA, magna cum laude, with majors in Geography & History
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite | Arc GIS | SketchUp | Wix & WordPress | Survey Design | Grant Writing | CRM Long-Range Planning | Mailchimp & Constant Contact | Meta | Hootsuite | Canva

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Urban Development | Urban Systems | Earth Energy & Society | Managing Public History | Natural Resource Management | Social Research Methods | Map Design

SELECTED AWARDS

Graduate Research Distinction *2017*

Robert Hunter Scholarship for Public Service *2015*

Brenda Pardini Scholarship in Student Affairs *2015*

ORGANIZATIONAL SERVICE

Web & Social Media Editor *Jul 19 - Present*

Pennsylvania Historical Association

- Develop content for fundraising + advocacy initiatives.
- Co-chair virtual conference arrangement committees.
- Manage website redesign enhancing member services.

Clerk & Chapter Assistant *Jan 20 - Present*

UNM Geography + Environmental Studies Alumni Chapter

Content Editor & Moderator *Feb 20 - Present*

H-Pennsylvania; H-Net: Humanities & Social Sciences Online

Assistant Editor & Scanner *May 13 - May 14*

Pennsylvania Geographical Society

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REFERENCES

Seth C. Bruggeman, PhD
Director, Center for Public History
Associate Professor of History, Temple University

Sagert S. Sheets
GIS Manager, Mid-Region Council of Governments

Rachel A. Batch, PhD
Assistant Professor of History, Widener University

Robert H. Mallory
Manager, UNM Geography and Environmental Studies Alumni Chapter

Joseph Heffley
Annual Meeting Coordinator, Pennsylvania Historical Association

K. Maria D. Lane, PhD
Director, R.H. Mallory Center for Community Geography
Professor of Geography, University of New Mexico

RECENT MEDIA

Contributor: [“First Come, First Served at the Diamond Club,”](#) on *Feeding Temple Town*, a digital history exhibit managed by Lauren Griffin. Published by Temple University in Spring 2022.

Moderator: [Humanities in a Virtual World: A Roundtable with Early-Career Historians Working through a Global Pandemic](#), Panel hosted by the Pennsylvania Historical Association in June 2021

Interviewee: [Albuquerque Scooter, Bike Rental Programs Face Uncertain Future](#). Published by KRQE News 13 on 26 May 2021

Interviewee: [What is a Food Truck? A Temple Public History Research Project is Finding Out](#). Published by Temple Now on 21 November 2022.

Lead Author: [Petition for PA Lawmakers to Support Emergency Funding for Educational and Cultural Groups](#). Published by the Pennsylvania Historical Association on 25 June 2020

Author: [The Life Stories of People Who Called Pennhurst Home: an Interview with 2019 Scholar-in-Residence Mary Schreiner, PhD](#). Published by the Pennsylvania Historical Association on 1 April 2020

Author: [It Takes Values to Bridge the Urban-Rural Divide](#). Published by the Johnstown Tribune-Democrat on 24 April 2019