

Courtney Hubbard

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Education

Bachelor of Science in History with a minor in Criminal Justice Texas A&M University- Texarkana
{Graduated Cum Laude in 2013 with Honours and membership in Phi Alpha Theta and Alpha Chi Honour Societies}

Master of Arts in European History Texas Tech University
"Ties that Bind: Loyalty Conflicts in the Late Twelfth Century according to Major Angevin Chroniclers"

Certificate in Medieval and Renaissance Studies Texas Tech University
{ Inter-Disciplinary Studies Program with an emphasis in Latin skills}

Master of Arts in History University of Rochester
"Fallen Swords: The Rebellion of Robert Ewer"

Awards/ Recognitions

Dean's List	2010-2013
Honors Program Scholarship	2010-2013
Nominee for Student Leader of the Year	2012, 2013
CAB Lifetime Achievement Award	2013
IMPACT Award	2012-2013
Undergrad Liberal Arts Student of the Year	2013
Graduation Commencement Speaker	2013
Teacher's Assistant Position & Scholarship	2013-Present
1 st Place Conference Presentation	2013
Helen DeVitt Jones Graduate Fellowship	2014-2015
Idris Taylor Travel Grant	2014
Lawrence L. Graves Graduate Scholarship	2015

Study and Research Abroad

Archaeological Dig [Macedonia]

June 2011

- One of two Texas scholarship recipients working with historians from all over the world to seek evidence of the final resting place of the ancient Paeonian city of Bylazora
- Identified and catalogued pottery fragments, bones, and structures from various time periods found on site
- Attended lectures on the culture of the Paeonian people and their neighbours, types and classifications of pottery from the area, and the history of the area from UT-Austin Professor Dr. Bill Neidinger

Medieval Fresco Conservation Project [Bulgaria]

May 2012

- Photo documented interior and exterior of St. Nicolas Church in Kalotina, under the direction of the conservator, Dr. Alexander Gabov of the University of Toronto
- Used Reflectance Transformation Imaging (RTI) and Multispectral Imaging (MSI) photo technology to reveal hidden layers of art in medieval frescoes
- created to-scale drawings of frescoes and reliefs as well as the interior and exterior walls to update the only other record of St. Georgi Church in Tcheparlintsi from 1925

Research Trip to London Archives January 2015

Research Presentations

Texas Tech Arts and Humanities Graduate Conference Fall 2013

- "The Echoes of Arthur: A Study in the Effects of Arthurian Literature on Chivalry and Kingship"

- Received 1st Place Presentation Award

Third Annual Texas Tech University History Graduate Student Conference February 2014

- "Breaking Bad: The Use of Visions and Spiritual Apparitions to Break Social Norms"

The 49th International Congress on Medieval Studies [Kalamazoo] May 2014

- "Breaking Bad: The Use of Visions and Spiritual Apparitions to Break Social Norms"

The 50th International Congress on Medieval Studies [Kalamazoo] May 2015

- "The Necessity of Violence in Chivalric Society"

Lectures:

Guest Lecture: "Life of Alexander the Great" Fall 2011

Colloquium on Beginner Archaeology Fall 2011

Guest Lecture: "Richard the Lionheart and the Crusades" Spring 2012

Colloquium on Balkan Iconography Fall 2012

Guest Lecture: "A Brief Overview of the Crusades" Fall 2014

Guest Lecture: "The Code of Chivalry and its Impact on Europe" Spring 2015

Public Lecture: The Science of Witchcraft Fall 2017

Public Lecture: The Demons Within: Demonic Possession in Medieval Europe Spring 2018

Affiliations:

Texas A&M Honors Program	2010-2013	[Inaugural Cohort Member/Vice Pres.]
Honors Association	2011-2013	[Vice President]
Student Government Assoc.	2012-2013	[Senior Senator/ Administrative Council Chair]
Phi Alpha Theta Historical Honor Soc.	2012-Present	[Member]
Alpha Chi	2012-Present	[Member]
History Graduate Student Organization	2014-2015	[Student Rep and Social Committee Chair]
Medieval Latin Reading Group	2014-2015	[Member]
Texas European Medieval Assoc.	2014-Present	[Member]
Medieval Academy of America	2014-Present	[Member]
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Related Teaching Experience

Adjunct Instructor {Texas A&M University-Texarkana}

July 2016-Present

As an adjunct professor, I created and implemented engaging syllabi that met with the department standards for instruction in a variety of historical fields. Along with tradition lecture courses, I also designed a number of engaging online courses. Each of my classes encouraged students to implement critical thinking to analyze key historical sources and academic research.

- World Civilizations I & II
- Renaissance and Reformation Europe
- Strange Magic: Female Spirituality in Medieval Europe
- US History I
- Medieval Civilizations

Employer Contact

Texas A&M University Department of History, Craig Nakashian
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Adjunct Instructor {Texarkana College}

August 2016-Present

- World Civilizations I & II
- U.S. History I

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Texarkana College School of Business and Social Sciences, Dr. John Dixon Boyles
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Graduate Writing Project Tutor {University of Rochester Graduate Writing Project}

September 2015-May 2016

While working as a graduate tutor for this non-profit writing outreach program, my responsibilities included creating and implementing short writing sessions for students with varying levels of language and writing skills. I specialized in brainstorming and developing writing projects and editing pieces for grammar and readability with an interdisciplinary student group. In addition to one on one tutoring sessions, I also hosted several writing groups and dissertation boot camps designed to help students hone their writing skills.

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University of Rochester Graduate Writing Group, Rachel Lee
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Teacher's Assistant {Texas Tech History Department}

September 2013-August 2015

After being accepted in Texas Tech's graduate program, I was chosen to assist with larger undergraduate classes through administering tests, grading, advising, and teaching smaller discussion sessions throughout the week. To successfully help these students I am required to attend their lecture and read any texts that they are assigned as well. To date, I have worked with a variety of teaching situations, time periods, and material including:

- US History I supervised by Dr. Emily Skidmore and Dr. Gary Bell (Fall 2013 and Spring 2014)
- World History II Since 1500 assisting Dr. Saad Abi-Hamad (Summer I 2014)
- World History I as an online course assisting Dr. Paul Bjerck (Summer II 2014)
- Western Civilization I supervised by Dr. Gary Forsythe and Dr. Jacob Baum (Fall 2014 and Spring 2015)

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