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EDUCATION

Master of Arts

Athabasca University

in progress

Interdisciplinary Studies, focus area of
Heritage & Social History

Honours Bachelor of Arts

University of Toronto

2021

Middle & Eastern Civilizations, with
minors in Material Culture and
Anthropology

AWARDS

Cathy Bray Essay Award

Athabasca University

2025

E.J. Pratt Primary Source
Research Prize

Victoria College at University
of Toronto

2019

Undergraduate Research Award

University of Toronto Libraries

2018

PUBLICATIONS

“Her-itage: A Qualitative Analysis of Women’s History in Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada Designations from 2010-2024”. *Journal of Integrated Studies*, vol. 17, no. 4 (2026).

<https://jis.athabascau.ca/index.php/jis/article/view/489/1093>

“A study of the Royal Ontario Museum’s shabti of Senkamaniskén”. *University of Toronto Undergraduate Journal of Middle Eastern Civilizations*, no. 11 (2019): 6-14.
<https://jps.library.utoronto.ca/index.php/nmcjournal/issue/view/2184>

PRESENTATIONS

“Her-itage: A Qualitative Analysis of Women’s History in Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada Designations from 2010-2024” Canadian Historical Association Annual Meeting 2026.

“Coins, context and cataloguing: Coins from Dhiban in the Royal Ontario Museum” Victoria College Research Day 2019

“A study of the Royal Ontario Museum’s shabti of Senkamaniskén” University of Toronto Undergraduate Research Conference 2019

INVITED PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

“**Incorporating Canadian Content**”, workshop presentation at English Language Tutoring for the Ottawa Community (ELTOC) conversation circle workshop, Ottawa ON 2024.

TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

“**Introduction to preventative conservation**” workshop, Canadian Conservation Institute, Iqaluit and Rankin Inlet NU, November 2025.

“**Shine On Academy**” training, Ottawa Tourism, November 2024.

“**Museum Collections Documentation and Data Cleaning**” course, Canadian Heritage Information Network and Athabasca University, 2022.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Collections technician, archaeology – *Canadian Museum of Nature*

June 2025 – present

- Management of the Government of Nunavut’s archaeological and zooarchaeological collections
- Receiving artifacts, treating for pest control and conservation, construction of individual housing and storage
- Digitization and organization of paperwork such as permit reports, catalogues and conservation reports
- Data capture and digitization for unrecorded zooarchaeological assemblages
- Public interpretation and sharing of the collection including at the Museum’s annual Open House and visits from students, Elders and researchers

Graduate research assistant – *Athabasca University*

August 2025 – present

- Support for a SSHRC-funded research project investigating the function of provincial public sector workers in a settler colonial state context
- Creation of a website and graphic materials such as posters, infographics and illustrations
- Monitoring and tracking and documenting participant data

Host, visit planning – *Canadian Museum of Nature*

September 2024 – June 2025

- Delivering front-line visitor service including ticket and membership sales, processing free passes, wayfinding and
- Supporting and assisting with events such as conferences, weddings, group museum tours and trainings

Interpretation Officer – *Library of Parliament*

December 2022 – December 2023

- Managing parliamentary guides in day-to-day interpretation of the buildings of Canada’s Parliament
- Developing and delivering training sessions related to heritage interpretation, education and learning and Canadian parliamentary history
- Researching, writing and translating internal communications relevant to Parliament and the Parliamentary buildings

Intern – *Royal Ontario Museum*

September 2018 – May 2019

- Internship with the museum's West Asian collections, working with material excavated in Dhiban, Jordan
- Assisting with migration of the object database from in-house system to The Museum System (TMS) software
- Object research using publications and site reports, object record creation and updating, and measurement and storage of pottery objects

Gallery Assistant – *Royal Ontario Museum*

2016 – 2018, March Break and winter holiday periods

- Implementing gallery-based educational activations based on museum galleries and varied themes
- Overseeing gallery volunteers

Exhibit Assistant – *Secrets of Radar Museum, London ON*

Summer 2015

- Assisting the museum's curator with a redesign of the galleries and exhibit spaces
- Creation of a new exhibit based on Canadian Cold War history and technology

Site Attendant – *Canmore Museum, Canmore AB*

Summer 2014

- Managing and implementing daily operations of a historic site
- Research, design, writing and installation of a new exhibit based on the history of the Northwest Mounted Police

Front desk volunteer – *Museum of Inuit Art*

February 2013 – June 2014

- Front-line visitor service including admissions, membership and gift shop and art sales
- Assisting curatorial staff with administrative tasks, as needed

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Member, board of directors – *English Language Tutoring for the Ottawa Community*

2024 – ongoing

- Sitting on the Board of Directors of a non-profit educational organization and a fundraising sub-committee.

Tutor – *English Language Tutoring for the Ottawa Community*

2023 – 2025

- Tutoring new Canadians one-on-one in English as a Second Language.
- Creation of lesson plans and educational content

League co-ordinator – *Ottawa Rowing Club*

Spring and summer 2023

- Organizing a recreational sports league for adult athletes including advertisement, coach recruitment and training, participant organization and other administrative tasks.

Tutor – *Hamilton Public Library Newcomer Learning Centre*

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