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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Texas A&M University

Ph.D. in History (expected 2018)

Committee Chair: Dr. James Rosenheim

College Station, Texas

University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Master of Arts, Historical Studies - GPA: 4.0

Thesis title: *Harris's List as a Source For The Diverse And Entrepreneurial Nature
Of Prostitution In Eighteenth-Century London*

Thesis Advisor: Dr. Amy Froide

May 2012

Baltimore, Maryland

University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude

Major: History, Minor: Ancient Studies

Capstone title: *A Need for Work: The Entrepreneurship of Women through
Self-Exploitation in Eighteenth-Century London*

Fall 2009

Baltimore, Maryland

GPA: 3.5/4.0

CERTIFICATES:

- *Digital Humanities Certificate*, TAMU, (Expected Fall 2018)
- *Women's and Gender Studies Graduate Certificate*, TAMU, Fall 2016
- *Programming 4 Humanists Certificate*, IDHMC at TAMU, Fall 2015
- *From Text to Tech Certificate*, Digital Humanities at Oxford Summer School, Summer 2015

ACADEMIC AWARDS:

- **TAMU Diversity Top-Up Award**, Fall 2017-Spring 2018
- **TAMU Departmental Teaching Assistantship/Scholarship**, Fall 2017-Spring 2018
- **"Best Research Paper"** in the PhD Category at the *2nd International History of Medicine Symposium*, February 2017
- **TAMU Doctoral Graduate Diversity Fellowship**, Fall 2014-Spring 2017
- **"Outstanding Oral Presentation"** at the *UMBC Graduate Research Conference*, May 2011
- *UMBC Undergraduate Research Assistantship*, 2009
- *UMBC Dr. Philip J. Landon Special Session Scholarship*, Summer 2009
- *UMBC Semester Academic Honors, Dean's List*, Fall 2007
- *UMBC Phi Theta Kappa Award*, Fall 2007 – Fall 2009

GRANTS:

- TAMU Initiative for Digital Humanities, Media, and Culture Tuition Scholarship, 2016
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- Digital Humanities Summer Institute Tuition Scholarship, 2016
- TAMU Professional Development Support Award, Summer 2015
- UMBC Graduate Student Association Research Grant, Summer 2011
- UMBC Graduate Assistantship, Fall 2010-Fall 2011

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Adjunct Faculty

Aug. 2012 – Dec. 2012

Howard Community College, Columbia, Maryland

- Developed and implemented weekly lesson plan for undergraduate history course:
Western Civilization to 1300
- Taught research skills at an undergraduate level
- Taught historical period from the Neolithic Age thru the 13th century
- Covered topics such as gender, religion, medicine and politics

Intro to Honors University course, Instructor

Sept. 2010 – Apr. 2012

University of Maryland, Baltimore County, Baltimore, Maryland

- Developed and implemented weekly lesson plan for students new to UMBC
- Gave weekly lectures and class discussions
- Supervised Peer Facilitators
- Advised students on available UMBC facilities, programs, university academic expectations and class environment issues
- Evaluated and graded students' class work, assignments, and papers relevant to the content course

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

- 'Dirt-Eating': Eating Absurd Things in the British Atlantic World, 1600-1820, *2nd International History of Medicine Symposium*, College Station, TX, February 2017.
- 'Dirt-Eating': Eating Absurd Things in the British Atlantic World, 1600-1820, *Health Humanities Consortium*, Houston, TX, March 2017.
- The Shame of Pregnancy: A Study of Infanticide in 18th-Century London's Old Bailey Criminal Court, *Western Conference of British Studies*, Austin, TX, October 2015.
- Harris's List as a Source: The Diverse Nature of Prostitution in Eighteenth-Century London, *Mid-Atlantic Conference of British Studies*, Abington, PA, April 2012.
- Diversity Amongst Prostitutes: *Harris's List* as a Source and the Entrepreneurial Aspects of Prostitution in London, 1750-1800, *UMBC Graduate Research Conference*, Baltimore, MD, April 2011.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

- *American Historical Society*
- *North American Conference on British Studies*
- *Phi Theta Kappa Society* – International Scholastic Order of the Two-Year College

ACADEMIC SERVICE:

- TAMU Medical Humanities Working Group
- TAMU C.A.S.T. Working Group
- TAMU Science & Technology Working Group

REFERENCES:

James Rosenheim, Ph.D., Professor
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, email: j-rosenheim@tamu.edu
Relationship: Doctoral Advisor & Chair of Doctoral Committee

Evan Haefeli, Ph.D., Professor
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, email: evanhaefeli@tamu.edu
Relationship: Co-Chair of Doctoral Committee

Amy Froide, Ph.D., Associate Professor and Affiliate Faculty in GWST and LLC
University of Maryland, Baltimore County, email: froide@umbc.edu
Relationship: Thesis Advisor