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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. History, University of Georgia, August 2025 (expected)

Dissertation: **Smoke Meant Money: The History of Smog in a Pennsylvania Steel Town**

Committee: Cindy Hahamovitch (chair), Brian Allen Drake, Andrew Herod

M.A. Georgia State University, 2017

B.A. Georgia State University, 2015

## GRANTS, AWARDS, AND SERVICE

2023/24 \_\_\_ Jane Mulkey Green and Rufus King Green Graduate Fellowship  
2023 \_\_\_ Encouragement to Teach Award  
2023 \_\_\_ UGA History Department Travel Grant  
2022 \_\_\_ The Dorothy Foehr Huck Research Award, Pennsylvania State University  
2022 \_\_\_ The Sam Fishman Travel Grant, Wayne State University  
2022 \_\_\_ UGA History Department Travel Grant  
2022 \_\_\_ Exploratory Committee, Making UGA an Age-Friendly University  
2020 \_\_\_ Warner-Fite Award for Outstanding History TA  
2019 \_\_\_ Gregory Research Travel Grant  
2018 \_\_\_ Gregory Research Travel Grant

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Whitworth Women's Facility, Volunteer Instructor

History Survey Course, Clemente Prison Teaching Project, Common Good Atlanta (2021 and 2022) – Invited back for fall 2023

University of Georgia, Teaching Assistant

U.S. History 1865 - Present (2020 & 2021)

U. S. History to 1865 – (2019, 2020, 2022, 2023)

International Rescue Committee, Volunteer Teaching Assistant

Adult Education, English as a Second Language and Civics (2016-2017, TEFL Certified)

## PRESENTATIONS:

2022 “The 1950s: Beginning the End of “Big Steel” in America,” a presentation to the Pennsylvania State University archives staff, Sept. 15, 2022

- 2022 " A Miasma of Metals: The Steelworkers' Environmental Call Following the Donora Smog of 1948," Broadcast Sept. 2, 2022,  
<https://open.spotify.com/episode/50FnVXgoPIWzVWo2FRBVFI>.
- 2016 "Mary Priniski, OP: Doing Justice by Being Present in the 1970s and 1980s South,"  
Graduate Student History Conference, "The Power Struggle," University of Alabama
- 2016 "The Great Speckled Bird: Connecting Local and Global," a round table presentation,  
Graduate Student History Conference, Association of Historians at Georgia State University

## REFERENCES

Sonny Seals  
Former client  
Founder, Historic Rural Churches of Georgia  
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## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Society of Environmental Historians  
The Labor and Working-Class History Association  
The American Historical Association  
Organization of American Historians

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2010-2018: Consulting in fundraising and project management, most recent major project with Historic Rural Churches of Georgia ([www.hrcga.org](http://www.hrcga.org)), assisting them in researching grant opportunities, writing grant applications, and determining interpretation opportunities for two churches HRCGA wishes to restore and repurpose over the next year: Antioch Baptist Church, an African-American church founded in 1886 in Crawfordville, GA for a National Park Service grant; and Concord Primitive Baptist Church, founded in 1808 in Monticello, GA for private foundation funding

1976-2009: Prior experience includes working in the US Senate Subcommittees on the Constitution and Anti-Trust; as a lobbyist on health issues; in government, public, and community relations for hospital systems; for Service Employees International Union