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EDUCATION

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- M.A. Anthropology, University of Montana, Missoula, MT.
 Expected Graduation Year: 2020, GPA: 4.00
- B.A. Anthropology Honors, Irish Studies, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN.
 Class of 2018, GPA: 3.55.
- University of Notre Dame Ireland Program, University College Dublin, Semester
 Abroad Spring 2017.
- Stuart Country Day School of the Sacred Heart, Princeton, NJ, Class of 2014.

HONORS AND AWARDS

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- 2019 University of Montana Teaching Assistantship for Fall Semester 2019.
- 2018 The Donald and Marilyn Keough Award for Excellence in Irish Studies.
- 2018 Lambda Alpha National Anthropology Honors Society inductee.
- 2013 Mount Holyoke Book Award, awarded for academic achievement and community
 involvement.
- 2011-14 Red Ribbon Certificate, awarded to students with a GPA of 3.6 or higher.

WORK EXPERIENCE

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- 2019 **Incoming Research Assistant**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT.
 Conduct research on the historical figure, Marcus Daly, for the purpose of
 constructing a traveling exhibit. Advisor: Traolach O'Riordain. (June-August)
- 2018 **Front Desk Receptionist**, Stuart Country Day School, Princeton, NJ.
 Greet, sign in, and direct visitors, answer and transfer phone calls and emails,
 monitor security cameras.
- 2017-2018 **Assistant Station Manager**, WVFI radio, University of Notre Dame, IN.
 Organize weekly board meetings and other events, use Audiovault software to
 schedule and log rotation playlists, manage club email, assist in archiving music.

- 2017 **Research Assistant**, Dr. Vania Smith-Oka, University of Notre Dame, IN. Create spreadsheets detailing contact information for anthropologists around the country, particularly searching for anthropologists in minority-serving institutions. Dr. Smith-Oka used this information to contact and work with these anthropologists. (June-August).
- 2016-2018 **Student Assistant**, Hesburgh Library, University of Notre Dame, IN. Work at the help desks helping patrons find resources, assist patrons in the use of library technology such as printers or micro-film scanners, and pull and re-shelve books.
- 2016 **Intern**, New Jersey State Museum's Archaeology and Ethnography department, Trenton, NJ. Catalog and organize artifacts in storage, conduct visitor observation, and complete in-depth individual research on an artifact from the museum's collection. (May-August).
- 2015, 2016, 2018 **Summer Camp Counselor and Camp Director's Assistant**, Camp Stuart Summer Camp, Princeton, NJ. Coordinate and assist camper activities, organize camper lunches each day, oversee the aftercare program, and complete errands, emails, and paperwork for the Camp Director. (May-August).
- 2014-17 **Music Director**, WVFI radio, University of Notre Dame, IN. Organize and catalog CDs, review and chart songs, and add music to the catalog rotation.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2015 **Notre Dame Fall Break Appalachia Seminar** in Webster Springs, WV. Work with a group of other students to build staircases, reinforce flooring, and paint the walls of a community center.
- 2014-15 **ESL Tutor** at Brown Intermediate Center in South Bend, IN. Tutor Latino students in reading, writing, and mathematics.

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 *Sacred Trees and Holy Wells: Tracing Irish Christianity and Local Traditions to Non-Christian Roots*. Senior Thesis. Advised by Professor D. Ó Giolláin and Dr. I. Kuijt, University of Notre Dame, May 2018.
- 2017 *Sacred Trees and Holy Wells: Tracing Irish Christianity and Local Traditions to Pagan Roots*. Poster presented at Undergraduate Perspectives on Irish Heritage, Archaeology and History. Poster exhibition, University of Notre Dame, December 5.

PROFESSIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

2017 The Sweetman Family Foundation. Funding provided for participation in a nine-day education tour of Ireland, October, 2017. This included visiting over 50 heritage sites and museums as part of the *Archaeology of Ireland* class taught by Professor I. Kuijt (University of Notre Dame) (\$2,200).

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

2019-Present **Montana Anthropology Student Association (MASA) Member**, University of Montana.

2018-Present **Lambda Alpha Honors Society Secretary**, University of Montana. Attend all meetings and take minutes.

2016-2018 **Writer**, Notre Dame's newspaper, *The Observer*. Write music, concert, and television series reviews. Participate in Album of the Year rankings and reviews.

2014-2018 **WVFI disc jockey and Music Committee contributor**. Host a weekly hour-long radio show. Attend weekly music committee meetings and listen to, review, and discuss new music.

RELEVANT COURSES TAKEN

Irish Language: Beginning I-Intermediate II
 Folklore, Literature, and Irish National Culture
 Storytelling, Memory, and Place
 Modern Irish Writing
 Modern Irish Poetry
 Irish Short Story
 Calendar Custom
 Fundamentals of Biological, Cultural, and Linguistic Anthropology, Archaeology
 Human Osteology
 Archaeology of Ireland
 Research in Montana History
 Language and Culture
 Contemporary Ethnography
 Research in Irish Studies

OTHER SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

Spanish Language: Intermediate Proficiency
Irish Language: Conversational Proficiency
 Valid Class D Driver's License from NJ, (able to drive manual transmission vehicles)

References Available Upon Request