

Christian Casey | Curriculum Vitæ

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Education

Brown University <i>Ph.D., Egyptology</i>	Providence, RI <i>2019-Expected</i>
Brown University <i>Sc.M., Applied Math</i>	Providence, RI <i>2019-Expected</i>
The University of Texas <i>B.A., Classics</i> University and Departmental Honors	Austin, TX <i>2008</i>

Research Interests

Egyptology: Egyptian phonology, vocalization, syntax, and orthography; Language and script evolution; Hieratic and Demotic palæography

Computation: Digital tools for the study of ancient Egypt; Encoding and typography of rare scripts; Computational models of script evolution

Awards and Grants

Brown University <i>Joukowsky Summer Research Travel Award</i>	<i>2018</i>
Brown University <i>International Travel Grant</i>	<i>2017</i>
American Research Center in Egypt <i>Best Student Poster Award</i>	<i>2017</i>
American Oriental Society <i>Graduate Student Award</i>	<i>2017</i>
Brown University <i>Dissertation Research Fellowship</i>	<i>2016-Present</i>
Brown University – Egyptology & Assyriology <i>Departmental Travel Grant</i>	<i>2016</i>
Brown University <i>Graduate Travel Grant</i>	<i>2013-2016</i>
The University of Texas <i>The George H. Mitchell Award for Academic Excellence</i>	<i>2008</i>
The University Cooperative Society <i>Undergraduate Research Fellowship</i>	<i>2007</i>

The University of Texas <i>The Rapaport King Scholarship</i>	2007
The University of Texas – Department of Classics <i>The Ruth & Myron G. Kuhlman Scholarship in Classics</i>	2006
The University Cooperative Society <i>The Co-op GOES Scholarship</i>	2005

Experience – Teaching, Research, & Vocational

Nile Magazine <i>Language Specialist</i>	Providence, RI 2019-Present
Center for Digital Scholarship <i>Graduate Student Developer</i>	Providence, RI 2019-Present
DDB for the Tribeca Film Festival <i>Egyptological Consultant</i>	New York, NY 2018-Present
Haffenreffer Museum <i>Visitor Services Coordinator</i>	Providence, RI 2017-Present
Brown School of Professional Studies <i>Instructor – Introduction to Egyptian Hieroglyphs</i>	Providence, RI 2017-Present
Brown School of Professional Studies <i>Teaching Assistant – Experimental Archaeology</i>	Providence, RI 2017-Present
Penn Museum <i>Intern – Cuneiform Digital Libraries Initiative</i>	Philadelphia, PA 2016
Brown – Egyptology & Assyriology <i>Teaching Assistant – Egyptian Language Courses</i>	Providence, RI 2012-Present
Brown – Egyptology & Assyriology <i>Research Assistant</i>	Providence, RI 2012
Amideast <i>Teacher</i>	Alexandria, Egypt 2008-2010

Publications

“Scribes and Scribal Equipment” in L. Sabbahy (ed.) *All Things Ancient Egypt: An Encyclopaedia of the Ancient Egyptian World*, ABC-Clio (in press for March 2019).

Review of *Greek Influence on Egyptian-Coptic: Contact-Induced Change in an Ancient African Language*, by Eitan Grossman, Peter Dils, Tonio Sebastian Richter, and Wolfgang Schenkel (eds.), *Journal of Ancient Egyptian Interconnections*, 19 (2018): 43-46.

“The Story of the Shipwrecked Sailor: Hieroglyphic transcription, transliteration, and English translation with full commentary” Honors thesis, The University of Texas, 2008, OCLC (255667746).

Service

ARCE Web Committee <i>Member</i>	Alexandria, VA 2019-Present
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At the Margins <i>Co-organizer</i>	Providence, RI 2018-2019
Graduate Student Council <i>Chair of Nominations</i>	Providence, RI 2017-2019
Egyptology Graduate Conference <i>Organizer</i>	Providence, RI 2017
Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale <i>Assistant</i>	Philadelphia, PA 2016

Conference Presentations

Hebrew University Workshop <i>Demotic Classifier Studies</i>	Jerusalem, Israel 2019
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>Digital Demonic 2.0</i>	Alexandria, VA 2019
Ancient Egypt and New Technology <i>(Re)writing the History of Late Period Egypt</i>	Bloomington, IN 2019
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>Assassin's Creed Origins as a Digital and Pedagogical Tool</i>	Tucson, AZ 2018
13. Internationale Konferenz für demotische Studien <i>Digital Demotic: Opportunities and Challenges</i>	Leipzig, Germany 2017
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>Digital Demonic</i>	Kansas City, MO 2017
Birmingham Egyptology Symposium <i>Encoding Demotic</i>	Birmingham, UK 2017
American Oriental Society – Annual Meeting <i>Digital Demotic: Opportunities and Challenges</i>	Los Angeles, CA 2017
American Schools of Oriental Research – Annual Meeting <i>New Frontiers in Language Research</i>	San Antonio, TX 2016
Egyptology Graduate Conference <i>Egyptian Language in the 21st Century or Computational Philology</i>	Providence, RI 2016
Script Encoding Initiative – Roundtable <i>[Project Name Here] - An Encoding and Typeface for Demotic</i>	Berkeley, CA 2016
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>The Verb jnj</i>	Atlanta, GA 2016
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>Puns in the Pyramid Texts</i>	Portland, OR 2014
American Research Center in Egypt – Annual Meeting <i>Reconstructing Coptic Vowels</i>	Cincinnati, OH 2013

Professional Memberships

- The American Academy of Religion
- The American Oriental Society

- The American Research Center in Egypt
- The American Schools of Oriental Research
- The Egypt Exploration Society

Language Skills

Modern Languages: Egyptian Arabic (Spoken), French (Read), German (Read), Spanish

Ancient Languages: Ancient Egyptian, Ancient Greek, Coptic, Demotic, Hebrew, Latin

Computer Skills

Programming Languages: C, C++, Java, JavaScript, Matlab, Python, Visual Basic (VBA)

Software: Anki, Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, All Microsoft Office Software (including Access)

Sundry Interests: T_EX, Unicode, Keyboard Layouts for Non-Latin Scripts, Typography

References

James P. Allen	Professor of Egyptology	james_allen@brown.edu
Leo Depuydt	Professor of Egyptology	depuydt@juno.com
Dawn Kimbrel	Registrar, Haffenreffer Museum	dawn_kimbrel@brown.edu
Elli Mylonas	Director, Center for Digital Scholarship	elli_mylonas@brown.edu