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EDUCATION

Drury University, Springfield, MO

B.A. with Honors, History & Political Science

Expected May 2022

- Minors: Medieval Studies & Asian Studies

GPA on 4.0 scale:

- History: 3.9
- Political Science: 3.9

MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS include:

Rural social and cultural history
Song Dynasty China

Supernatural belief systems
Carolingian Europe

Philosophy of history
Historiography

CONFERENCES

"The Contest Countryside: Intercessions of the Demonic and the Divine in Carolingian Francia," presented at Fusion Day Poster Conference, Drury University, MO, April 2022.

"The Contest Countryside: Intercessions of the Demonic and the Divine in Carolingian Francia," presented at Undergraduate Religious Studies Association Spring Symposium, Indiana University, IN, March 2022.

"Portraits of Revolt: Building a New Model of the Jacquerie of 1358," presented at Phi Alpha Theta Centennial Conference, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR, March 2021.

"Conjured Identities Within Conjured Lines: Magic as a Tool for Understanding in the Middle Ages," presented at Phi Alpha Theta Biennial Conference, San Antonio, TX, January 2020.

"A People Left Behind: Ethno-Nationalist Populism in France and Hungary," presented at the Midwest Political Science Undergraduate Research Conference, Creighton University, Omaha, NE, April 2019.

PUBLICATIONS in online undergraduate journals:

Corp, Jack. "Bovine Power and Human Experiences: Performance of Class in the Socioeconomic Institutions of Early Medieval Ireland." *Inquiries Journal* 13, no. 10 (2021):1-1. <http://www.inquiriesjournal.com/a?id=1915>.

Corp, Jack. "The Eternal Principles of the Past: A Hermeneutical Approach to Confucian Philosophies of History." Accepted for publication by *Aporia: An Undergraduate Journal of Philosophy*, Fall 2021.

Corp, Jack. "Redpilling Normies: Alt-Right Identity on "Chan" Imageboards." *Pi Sigma Alpha Undergraduate Journal of Politics*, submitted for publication Spring 2022.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant to Dr. Michael Verney (for upcoming book project)	May – August 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - U.S. imperial and commercial interests in East Asian ports - Transcribed and interpreted logs and diaries from the North Pacific Exploring and Surveying Expedition, 1853-1856, for a total of 200 hours 	

Archival Internship , History Museum on the Square, Springfield, MO	January - August 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Appraised, preserved, and sorted donated materials while also aiding in the construction and design of a new archival space - Transcribed early twentieth-century diaries and letters - Conceptualized and created exhibit on the local history of segregated park systems 	

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Teaching	August 2020 - December 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Developed honors reading seminar about the cultural conceptions of magic - Facilitated discussion groups and scheduled course readings 	

University Tutor	September 2020 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - History, Political Science, and French 	

CLUB ENGAGEMENT

• Honors Student Association	Aug. 2018 - Present
• History Club	Sept. 2018 - Present
- Representative, Sep. 2020 - Present	
• Phi Alpha Theta History Honorary	Sept. 2019 – Present
- President, May 2020 - Present	
• Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honorary	May 2020 – Present
- Secretary, Sept. 2020 – Present	

SELECTED AWARDS

Trustee’s Scholarship (\$24,500)	Aug 2018 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Awarded for 3.9 GPA, International Baccalaureate Diploma, and minimum ACT score of 33 	
Drury Fusion Learning Grant (\$2,000)	May 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Awarded to complete the manuscript research assistantship under Dr. Michael Verney 	
Meador Scholar Award (\$400)	December 2019
Outstanding New Student in Political Science Department	Political Science Program May 2019
Outstanding New Student in Medieval and Renaissance Studies	History Program May 2019
Outstanding New Student in History Program	History Program May 2020
Outstanding Senior Seminar Research Paper	Political Science Program May 2022

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Foreign Languages: French (proficient) and Mandarin (beginners)
Programming Languages: Java, Python, and R (proficient)

REFERENCES

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| Dr. Shelley Wolbrink, Professor of History and Director of Medieval Studies Program | Drury University |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Phone: (417) 873-7387- E-Mail: swolbrin@drury.edu | |
| Dr. Michael Verney, Assistant Professor of History | Drury University |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Phone: (417) 873-7712- E-Mail: mverney@drury.edu | |
| Dr. Jeffrey VanDenBerg, Chair, Department of Political Science and International Relations | Drury University |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Phone: (417) 873-6947- E-Mail: jvandenb@drury.edu | |