KELSEY ROGERS

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EDUCATION

Master's of Library and Information Science

May 2020

Kent State University, Kent, OH

Emphasis on Digital Libraries, Archives, and Museums

Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology

May 2017

University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

EXPERIENCE

Curator December 2020 - Present

Rose Hill Museum, Bay Village Historical Society, Bay Village, OH

- Manages first inventory in two decades of entire Rose Hill Museum collection and catalogs each object in the museum's new collection database
- Created a digitization and cataloging plan and workflow for the Rose Hill photograph collection and manages its implementation
- Redesigns and installs Rose Hill exhibits following renovation efforts with an emphasis on refreshing decades old interpretative messaging and integrating new digital experiences
- Writes grant proposals to support on-going and new museum initiatives

Guest Engagement Specialist

March 2020 - Present

Great Lakes Science Center, Cleveland, OH

- Provides guests with informal learning experiences
- Assists in creating a safe educational environment amid the COVID-19 pandemic

Museum Collections Intern

September 2019 - November 2020

International Women's Air and Space Museum, Cleveland, OH

- Cataloged and digitized items in collection including clothing, photographs, and ephemera to facilitate large-scale collection assessment project
- Assisted Collections Manager with reference material inquiries and museum loans

Special Collections Practicum

January 2020 - May 2020

Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH

- Created and delivered complete metadata for captured image file packets for over 1,000 photos for Cleveland Memory's ContentDM database (clevelandmemory.org)
- Created entries for Ohio Outdoor Sculpture's Omeka database (oos.sculpturecenter.org)
 following Dublin Core and local metadata specifications

Library Associate - Local History and Genealogy

July 2018 - August 2019

Kenton County Public Library, Covington, KY

- Provided in-depth one-on-one genealogy research sessions for library patrons utilizing various databases such as Ancestry, Family Search, and Newsbank
- Digitized and indexed historical photographs, documents, and ephemera to be uploaded to Faces and Places - Northern Kentucky Photographic Archives

Lead Programmer and Designer

September 2016 - May 2017

Visualizing Abolition, Columbia, MO

 Developed and deployed visualizingabolition.org; a website which presents the research of Visualizing Abolition, a digital history project through the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities (ASH) Scholars Program that charts the suppression of the African slave trade

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PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

S. S. Canadiana Series

- "S. S. Canadiana: Pleasure Boat Sinks in the Cuyahoga River!" Cleveland Historical, Center for Public History + Digital Humanities at Cleveland State University, February 2020.
- "S. S. Canadiana." Encyclopedia of Cleveland History, Case Western Reserve University, April 2020.

"So You Want to Make a Digital Humanities Website."

A Rice University Digital Humanities Workshop, April 2018, Rice University, Houston, TX.

"Christmas Holiday: Queering Family in 20th Century Southern Missouri."

Artifacts: A Journal of Undergraduate Writing, Issue 15, Spring 2017.

"Building Visualizing Abolition: A Digital Approach to the History of the Suppression of the African Slave Trade" Loghi, Humera and Kelsey Rogers.

- Missouri Conference on History, March 2017, Springfield, MO.
- National Conference on Undergraduate Research, April 2017, Memphis, TN.

"Close Encounters with Legend: The Ultimate Legend Trip."

Missouri Folklore Society Annual Conference, November 2015, Jefferson City, MO.