

VIRGINIA TAYLOR SEYMOUR

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EDUCATION

- University of Texas at Austin** Master of Science in Information Studies 2018–present
Courses: *Data Analytics, Data Wrangling, Database Management, Data Storytelling, Ontology Design*
Final Year Project: *Developing a data-driven assessment of instruction at the Harry Ransom Center*
- University of Pennsylvania**, Bachelor of Art in Art History, *Summa Cum Laude* 2012–2016

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Harry Ransom Center** Graduate Research Associate 2018–present
- Data analysis to evaluate and improve educational program, including data preparation with Excel and visualization with Aeon Reports (SQL), Tableau, and Python
 - Collaboratively teach in a program serving ~7,500 students yearly
 - Conduct research and respond to over 100 off-site reference queries annually and guide ~20 patrons through research and archive policy orientations monthly
- Ji-roz Greek Joint** Restaurant General Manager 2016–2017
- Managed 14-person staff and external communications for a farm-to-table restaurant
- University of Pennsylvania Museum** Al-Hiba Research Project Assistant 2015–2016
- Managed, queried, and analyzed archeological excavation database with a four-person team
- Philadelphia Museum of Art** Contemporary Curatorial Intern Fall 2015
- Delivered independent research reports and proposals that informed departmental decisions
- Kelly Writers House** Program Assistant & Robinson Press Coordinator 2012–2015
- Collaboratively planned and designed print advertising for 15-20 events monthly

ACTIVITIES AND SKILLS

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Student Conduct Board** University of Texas 2019
- Alumni Interviewer** University of Pennsylvania 2016–present
- Students & New Archives Professionals Board Member** Society of American Archivists 2019

WORKSHOPS, NON-DEGREE COURSES

- Making & Maintaining Successful Design Systems with Brad Frost** March 2019
- Geographic Information System (GIS) data workshops** Perry-Castañeda Library Spring 2019
- Student Employee Excellence Development (SEED) Certification** 2018–2019
- Introduction to Statistics** University of Texas at Austin Summer Statistics Institute May 2019
- Stata Short Course** University of Texas at Austin Department of Statistics October 2018

SKILLS

- Languages & Syntaxes** Python, SQL, HTML5, RDF/XML
- Software** Tableau, Excel, Access, Power BI, phpMyAdmin, FileMakerPro, The Museum System, Aeon