

Rachel Poppen

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ACADEMIC HISTORY

The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX Anticipated May 6, 2023
Master of Science in Information Studies
Endorsement of Specialization in *Collections Management and Preservation*
and *Leadership, Management, and Governance*

The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA May 2021
Bachelor of Arts - English *with honors*, Spanish
University of Iowa Honors | *With distinction*
English concentration in Medieval and Early Modern Literature

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Post-Custodial Archives and Digital Preservation Graduate Research Assistant September 2022-Present
LLILAS Benson Latin American Collection and Digital Stewardship

University Archives Intern – Senior Student Associate September 2021- Present
Dolph Briscoe Center for American History, Austin, TX

Special Collections Student Employee February 2019-August 2021
University of Iowa Special Collections and University Archives, Iowa City, IA

Summer Reading Intern May 2018-August 2021
Sibley Public Library, Sibley, IA

Staff Writer May 2019-August 2020
Sibley Gazette-Tribune, Sibley, IA

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Co-director April 2022-Present
Society of American Archivists – UT Chapter

Volunteer September 2021-Present
Landmarks Preservation Guild

LANGUAGES

Spanish (*working professional proficiency*); Old English; Middle English

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python; HTML/XML; CSS; JavaScript; ArchivesSpace; Aeon; Microsoft Office; Google Suite

AWARDS AND HONORS

Houston Endowment Graduate Fellowship

Phi Beta Kappa

Dale M. and Mary Gail Bentz Libraries Student Employee Scholarship

Iowa Bar Association Citizenship Award

PROFFESIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Advanced Teaching Preparation Certificate – University of Texas at Austin, expected December 2022

Certified Archivist – The Academy of Certified Archivists, expected Spring 2023

COMMITTEES

Early-Career Member

November 2022-Present

International Archival Affairs Steering Committee, Society of American Archivists

MEMBERSHIPS

Society of American Archivists

American Library Association

PRESENTATIONS

The Pastoral Influences of the Educational System in William Morris's News from Nowhere - Presented at Sigma Tau Delta Midwest Regional Conference in February 2021

CONFERENCES

Student Scholar – MER (Managing Electronic Records) Conference, May 2022

WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

Bookbinding I – Austin Book Arts Center, Fall 2022