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## Graduate Degrees

*Savannah College of Art and Design*, Savannah, Georgia (coursework September 1995 to May 1997).

Masters of Fine Arts in Historic Preservation (Degree awarded November 2001)

Thesis: *Documentation of the Architecture of Samuel Lapham and the Firm of Simons & Lapham.*

Committee: Marlborough Packard, Dr. Robin Williams, John Mitchell.

Vernacular Architecture	American Architectural History	Material Culture
Urban & Rural Preservation	Restoration	Building Assessments
Photographic Documentation	Rehabilitation	Preservation Law
		Preservation Technology

*State University of West Georgia*, Carrollton, Georgia (January 2003 to December 2009).

Certificate in Public History (December 2009)

Oral History	History of Georgia	Historiography
Early American Republic	Jacksonian America	Civil War & Reconstruction
U.S. Foreign Policy 1945-1963	Tudor-Stuart England	Planning Theory
Computer Cartography	Internship	Geographic Information Systems
Introduction to Public History	Introduction to Archives	Research in State & Local History
	Cultural Resource Management	

## Undergraduate Degrees

*College of Charleston*, Charleston, South Carolina (August 1987 to May 1992, extra work various times though December 1995).

Bachelors of Science in Anthropology (1992)                      Bachelors of Art in Studio Art (1992)

Minor in Music (1992)    Minor in History (1995)

Focused coursework in Arts (non-profit) Management

## Academic Work In Progress

*Georgia State University*, Atlanta, Georgia (August 2004 to December 2006)

Ph.D. in History coursework., Masters of Arts in Archaeology coursework

Introduction to Historical Research/Historiography	East Asian Seminar
History of Landscapes and Gardens	Southern Cities
Issues and Interpretation in American History	Age of Expansion (1815-1848)
Colonial & Revolutionary America	Archaeology Methods
Archaeology Theory	Southeastern Archaeology
Public Archaeology	Grant and Proposal Writing

## Additional Training and Certifications

*FEMA Emergency Management Institute*, Independent Study courses, Emmitsburg, Maryland (November 2008 to Present).

Approximately a dozen Independent Study courses to date including IS-253 (Coordinating Environmental and Historic Preservation Compliance) and IS-650 (Building Partnerships with Tribal Governments), and several construction related courses and one contact class completed.

### **Pertinent Work Experience**

Architectural Historian (on-call), *AMEC*, Knoxville, Tennessee (April 2012 to Present)

- On-call work as needed for projects in the U.S. Southeast where engineers and other departments need assistance in assessing, recording, and mitigating cultural resources, particularly architectural and historical.

Senior Archaeological Technician (temporary), Gray & Pape, Incorporated, Cincinnati, Ohio

- Phase I survey of approximately 80 acres for proposed U.S. 50 Bypass, North Vernon, Jennings, Indiana (October 2012 to November 2012)

Archaeology Field Technician (temporary), *The Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.*, Maumee, Ohio (October 2012)

- Phase I survey of 82 acres for La-Z-Boy Headquarters, Monroe, Michigan.

Cultural Resources Associate I. (temporary), *Michael Baker Jr. Incorporated*, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania (August 2012 to September 2012)

- Excavate archaeological phase I shovel testing along the Tennessee Highway 30 widening and relocation, Dayton, Rhea County, Tennessee, Phase I.

Archaeology Field Technician (temporary), *Blanton and Associates*, Austin Texas (March 2012)

- ATEX Express pipeline phase I field survey, Indiana Crew.

Adjunct Faculty, History Department, *Middle Tennessee State University*, Murfreesboro, Tennessee (August 2010 to May 2011)

- Classes Taught: History 2010: United States to 1877

Historian – Researcher – Owner, *Blevins Historical Research*, Villa Rica, Georgia (1997 to Present)

- Performed architectural, sites, and roads research, preservation planning, survey, building assessments, for historic value and document significance occasionally working with other companies
- Promoted effective town planning (ex. creating parking surveys to demonstrate lack of need for more parking, design to rehabilitate existing street parking for better public use).
- Preservation consultant on NRHP nominations, historic preservation ordinances, and historical significance of sites and structures.
- Provided technical assistance and guidance on preservation technology and procedures in particular to Villa Rica in establishing a historic preservation committee, a plaque program, and survey of the city's historic structures on a *pro bono* basis.
- Genealogical research and lineage papers
- Presently not active due to the economy 2008 to Present with no contracts.

Enumerator, *United States Department of Commerce, Census Bureau*, Douglasville, Georgia (April 2010 to July 2010)

- Responsible for locating and recording data for the 2010 Census from non-responding residences in the Villa Rica and Fairburn, Georgia area.
- Recording historic data from participants on their household and nearby vacant housing units
- Organize searches for addresses, planning of routes, and maintaining records of searches, answers, and individual time management.

Architectural Historian II, *NISTAC* via *URS*, Gaithersburg, Maryland (November 2008 to May 2009)

- Assigned as Historic Preservation Specialist to FEMA-1791-DR-TX in Galveston, Texas.
- Evaluated historic resources in a hurricane disaster zone for Section 106 compliance including historical research of local resources, correspondence to SHPO, and technical assistance for FEMA funding applications.
- Assisted with archaeology surface survey, research on Texas ATLAS for archaeological resources
- Training in EMIS and FEMA Independent Study courses.

Archaeologist Crew Chief, *URS*, Gaithersburg, Maryland (September 2008 to November 2008)

- Assigned to the Gulf Coast of Mississippi for Mississippi Development Authority Grant programs.
- Oversaw field crews in selection of properties and scope of work for each property based on site assessments.
- Excavated shovel tests and determined need for radial tests on properties and completed report paperwork based on unit findings.
- Complete mapping of property with notes on shovel tests, structures, photography locations.
- National Register determination for further study in Phase II recommendation
- Utilization of GPS recording on Trimble with ArcPad for shovel tests, structures, and photographs

Senior Archaeologist Field Technician, *URS*, Gaithersburg, Maryland (September 2008)

- Assigned to the Gulf Coast of Mississippi for Mississippi Development Authority Grant programs.
- Excavated shovel tests on properties for Section 106 compliance.
- GPS recording of shovel tests, photograph sites, and standing structures using Trimble with ArcPad.
- Photography of standing structures and archaeological test units.
- Scale site maps of investigated property.

Archaeologist Field Technician (temporary), *Edwards-Pittman Environmental*, Smyrna, Georgia (November 2007 to March 2008)

- Phase III data recovery excavation, documentation, and lab work
- Phase I survey crew, plotting transects, delineating sites, photography, field book and photography logs

Architectural Historian III, *Fluor/TRS Staffing Solutions*, Aliso Viego, California (August 2007 to Present on-call list)

- Assigned Historic Preservation Specialist, FEMA-DR-1603, New Orleans, Louisiana Transitional Recovery Office (August 2007-September 2007, end of assignment)
- Performed historical research, Section 106 Evaluation, project database data entry, NEMIS.
- Primary project New Orleans Parish School evaluations.

Graduate Assistant, *Political Heritage Collection, Department of History, State University of West Georgia*, Carrollton, Georgia (January 2007 to May 2007)

- Created a new web site for the Georgia Political Heritage Project including about 50 individual webpages for biographies of the politicians in the collection.

Instructor, *Georgia Highlands College*, Rome Georgia (August 2005 to December 2006, on call list)

- Classes Taught:
 

HIST 1000 Georgia History	HIST 2111 U.S. History to 1865
HIST 2112 U.S. History Since 1865	FCST 1010 Freshman College Experience

Stage Manager – Production Manager – Stagehand, Self Employed, Charleston, South Carolina, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Villa Rica, Georgia (1988 to 2006)

- Work various types of events from special events to concerts at various capacities ranging from labor to planning to management.
- Operated spotlight, set up lighting, stage equipment, sound equipment, operate fly rail
- Lighting designer and set builder
- Production and Stage manager for various productions notably the Charleston Symphony Orchestra
- Worked for over 30 venues in five states and organizations with high repeat business

Historian – Associate Transportation Planner, *Georgia Department of Transportation*, Atlanta, Georgia (July 2000 to January 2001)

- Performed Section 106 reviews for transportation projects including photography, meeting with SHPO and FHWA officials for discussion and mediation.
- Wrote notification letters for projects, survey reports, assessment of effects, and other reports pertaining to transportation projects.
- Researched buildings, structures, and roads for historic value.
- Occasional archaeological field survey with archaeology division.
- Oversaw consulted out project reports, assessments, and mitigation.

Historic Preservation Planner & Housing Specialist, *East Tennessee Development District*, Knoxville, Tennessee (April 1999 to May 2000).

- Provided technical assistance and guidance on preservation technology and procedures for the 16 county area surrounding Knoxville, Tennessee on National Register nominations, Section 106 reviews, tax credits, preservation law, and other preservation issues and projects.
- Reviewed Tennessee Department of Transportation projects based upon substantive analysis and provides written comments regarding the project's effects on historic and architectural resources
- Wrote grants for Historic Preservation, Community Development Block Grants, and Housing grants.

Visiting Instructor, *Historic Preservation Department, College of Charleston*, Charleston, South Carolina (March 1998 to May 1998).

- Taught a mini course in measured drawings to students in the Introduction to Historic Preservation and Vernacular Architecture class.
- Taught HABS documentation and Section 106 mitigation.
- Completed a HABS level drawing of a McLeod Plantation slave house on file at the Historic Charleston Foundation.

Architectural Conservator, *Liollio Architecture*, Charleston, South Carolina (November 1997 to February 1998).

- Collected and assembling information for historical narratives.
- Performed a condition assessment of structures, developed existing and new building details.
- Meet with representatives of the preservation communities to define the preservation approaches for historic structures.
- Accomplished finding documentation for rear portion of the building that allowed this façade to be restored to its original condition.
- Retained as a consultant on the Old Beaufort College Project.

Tour Guide, *Bonnie Blue Walking Tours* (1995), *Original Charleston Walks* (1996), *Carolina Polo & Carriage Company*, Charleston, South Carolina (August 1997 to October 1997), *Hamilton Turner House*, Savannah (1996).

- Trained in giving tours of the Charleston Historic District and in Savannah, Georgia.
- Walking and carriage tours on history and architecture.

Internship, *Historic Charleston Foundation*, Charleston, South Carolina (June 1996 to September 1996)  
• Measured and drew several historical properties including a section 106 compliance requirement.

Field Technician, *Brockington and Associates*, Mount Pleasant, South Carolina (June 1995 to September 1995)  
• Performed various field duties during survey, testing, and excavation.  
• Performed lab work cleaning artifacts.

Student Supervisor/Assistant, *Sociology/Anthropology Department, College of Charleston*, Charleston, South Carolina April 1991 to June 1991).  
• Assisted the professor with setting up the site for archaeological field school.  
• Student supervision, field recording, measurement, and excavation.  
• Performed relevant background archival and library research.

### Selected Archaeological Projects

2012

*U.S. 50 Bypass*, North Vernon, Jennings, Indiana  
Phase I

*Future site of La-Z-Boy Headquarters*, Monroe, Monroe County, Michigan.  
Phase I

*Rhea County Highway 30* (Tennessee State Route 30), Dayton, Rhea County, Tennessee  
Phase I

*ATEX Express Pipeline*, multiple counties, Indiana.  
Phase I

2008

*Mississippi Development Authority*, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson and Pear River Counties, Mississippi  
Field Tech promoted to Crew Chief, Phase I surveys for grant applications funded through HUD.

*Old Villa Rica Library/Clinic* (9CL363), Villa Rica, Georgia  
Phase I investigation to find pre-Library house foundation, site registration with Georgia Archaeological Site Files

*SR 44 Widening*, Greene, Putnam, and Jones Counties, Georgia  
Phase I, photograph log, field book logs

2007-2008

*Long Swamp* (9CK1), Ball Ground, Georgia  
Phase III data recovery

2000

Right of Way Department of Transportation surveys, various counties, Georgia  
Phase I surveys

1998

*Hunley Park Housing, Charleston Air Force Base*, Charleston, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Phase I.

1995

*Wando Plantation*, near Mount Pleasant, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Phase II.

*Cane Island* (38Bu1294), Beaufort County, South Carolina  
Phase II Test pits, excavation, and backhoe clearing.

*Belfair*, near Hilton Head, Beaufort County, South Carolina  
Phase II Excavation.

*Bull Point*, Gardens Corner, Beaufort County, South Carolina  
Phase II.

*Fort Rucker*, near Enterprise, Coffee and Dale Counties, Alabama  
Phase I and II surface and shovel test survey, site defining.

*Pinckney Colony Tract*, near Beaufort, Beaufort County, South Carolina  
Phase II.

*M<sup>c</sup>Leod Plantation* (38Ch679-3, 38Ch679-2), James Island, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Phase III Excavation and recording, testing in site 38Ch679-2.

1992

*Unidentified Shipwreck*, Ashley River, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Excavation and recording.

1991

*Dean Hall Plantation*, DuPont Plant, Berkeley County, South Carolina  
Phase II, Student Field Supervisor, College of Charleston Field School.

*70 Nassau Street*, Charleston, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Salvage excavation and recording.

1990

*Colonial Williamsburg Blacksmith Shop*, Williamsburg, James City County, Virginia  
Field school: Excavation, survey, mapping, artifact classification, field cleaning, test pits.

1989

*Dill Plantation, Charleston*, Charleston, Charleston County, South Carolina  
Phase II Field work as part of class work.

### **Selected Preservation Projects**

Most Recent and In-Progress:

Volunteer Documentary Photographer and contributor (almost 50 cemeteries of various sizes), Cemetery Surveys Inc. (<http://cemeterysurveysinc.com>), Murphy, North Carolina (2006 to Present).

Census Indexer, 1940 US Census Community Project, FamilySearch.org (May 2012 to Present)

2012

Architectural Historian, Scottdale Mill Sanitary Sewer Upgrade, Scottdale Mill, DeKalb County, Georgia (AMEC, May-June 2012)

Consultant, Recommendations for Restoration of the Carroll County Confederate Monument and the Missing Cannonballs

2011

Consultant, Grave Desecration Investigation, Plant Wansley, Georgia Power Company, near Lowell, Georgia (2011)

Poster Display, "Simons & Lapham: Charleston Architects," Addlestone Library, College of Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina (1-31 October 2011, extended into December 2011)

Research, writing, and production, revision to "History of the Confederate Monument, Carrollton, Georgia," Carrollton, Georgia (2011)

2010

Researching, replacing and restoring veterans' headstones, Hollywood Cemetery, Tallapoosa, Georgia (2010)

Research, writing, and production, "History of the Confederate Monument, Carrollton, Georgia," Carrollton, Georgia (2010)

2009

Revising South Carrollton/Intown Historic District Tour literature, Carrollton, Georgia (2009)

Preparing recommendations for expansion and treatment of the Carrollton, Georgia historic districts (2009).

Local research on Villa Rica, Georgia History (2002-2009) often published in *The Villa Rican* newspaper and including local write up for Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation Carroll County Ramble (2005).

2008-2009

FEMA-1791-DR-TX Hurricane Ike Recovery, Galveston, Texas

2008

Documentation standing Old Clinic/Old Library and archaeological survey of site after demolition of structure, Villa Rica, Georgia.

Continued Consultation of Villa Rica with building survey and new downtown parking survey (2003-2008)

Member, African American Heritage Tourism Committee, Chattahoochee-Flint Regional Development Commission to identify historic sites and create a trail in West Georgia of the sites (2005-2008).

2007

FEMA-1603-DR-LA Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans, Louisiana

Display windows for Thomas B. Murphy birthday celebration, Annie Bell Weaver Special Collections, Ingram Library, State University of West Georgia.

Webpage for the Georgia Political Heritage Collection, Annie Bell Weaver Special Collections, Ingram Library, State University of West Georgia.

Inventory/Catalog the Civil Rights collection of James E. Allen, Townsend, Georgia.

Historic Preservation Committee of the Downtown Development Authority, coordinator Villa Rica Historic Plaque Program (2003-2007)

Brentwood Heights National Register District Nomination, Spartanburg, South Carolina (2006-ongoing)

2006

Printed Fabric Company, Carrollton, Georgia

Sorting and accessing a collection of fabrics, legal documents, plans, blueprints and other materials associated with a local mill which will become part of the Public History Center at West Georgia (2006-2007)

2005

Processing of United States Representative Bob Barr Collection, Georgia Political Heritage Collection, Annie Belle Weaver Special Collections, Sullivan Library, State University of West Georgia

2004

Principal Investigator, Parking Survey 2004, City of Villa Rica, Georgia

Consultant for Villa Rica Comprehensive plan section 4 and 9, Lynne Miller, Historic Preservation Planner, Chattahoochee-Flint Regional Development Center, Franklin, Georgia,  
<http://www.villarica.org/PDFs/CompPlan/Section4HistoricResources.pdf> and  
<http://www.villarica.org/PDFs/CompPlan/Section9Transportation.pdf>

Consultant for City of Villa Rica 2026 Comprehensive Plan (August 2005)

<http://www.dca.state.ga.us/development/planningqualitygrowth/programs/documents/VillaRicaCi.Old.pdf>

2003

Consulting City of Villa Rica, Georgia

“Train Station Park” plan, Main Street application historic preservation ordinances, parking survey, chair Historic Preservation Committee, historic structure survey.

Preservation Assessment and Plan, Mitchell-Williams Farm, Villa Rica, Georgia

Martin Luther King, Junior National Historic Site, Atlanta, Georgia

Oral History Indexing of audio tapes and Fire Station No. 6 videos.

2002

Strawberry Plains, Tennessee Battlefield Preservation Plan.

2001

Survey, research, assessment and determination of effects on transportation projects throughout Georgia. Various Section 106 reviews for permitting, licensing, and construction using Federal funds.

2000

Survey, research, assessment and determination of effects on transportation projects throughout Georgia.

Site survey for cell towers in eastern Tennessee.



Measured drawings and moving of historic corn crib in Maynardville, Tennessee.

Work on National Register Nominations for Morristown Cemetery, Morristown, Tennessee; Highway Patrol Headquarters, Rockwood, Tennessee; and several others.

1999

Tennessee Historical Commission/National Park Service grants submitted for Speedwell Academy, Speedwell, Tennessee; Rhea-Mims Hotel, Newport, Tennessee; and Monroe County Courthouse, Madisonville, Tennessee.

TEA-21 Grants for City of Loudon for Orme-Wilson House, Loudon, Tennessee.

1998

*M<sup>c</sup>Leod Plantation*, James Island, Charleston County, South Carolina (March 1998 to April 1998).  
Supervised students at the College of Charleston with measured drawings of a slave cabin.

*Preservation of Old Beaufort College Building*, Beaufort, Beaufort County, South Carolina (November 1997 to February 1998). History of the Building, building assessments, material analysis, measured drawing, planning issues.

1997

*Old Sheldon Church*, Sheldon, Beaufort County, South Carolina (June 1997 to August 1997).  
Cemetery preservation plan and restoration with hands-on examples of stone cleaning, repair, and restoration. Contributed archaeological searches for unmarked graves.

1996

*93 Broad Street*, Charleston, Charleston County, South Carolina (August 1996).  
Measured drawings of attached carriage house for section 106 compliance.

*M<sup>c</sup>Leod Plantation*, James Island, Charleston County, South Carolina (June 1996).  
Measured drawings of interior and exterior of the slave cabins.

*78 East Bay Street*, Charleston, Charleston County, South Carolina (June 1996).  
Measured drawings of plan and two sections of the attic.

*Isle of Hope Oral History Project*, Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia (March 1996 to May 1996).  
Participated in research and writing teams for a group project producing an oral history into a book.

### **Knowledge and Skills**

Mapping	Measured Drawing	GIS and GPS/Trimble	Illustration/Drawing
Microsoft Office	Adobe Photoshop	InDesign	PC/Mac Platforms
Documentary Photography	35mm Photography	Digital Photography	Pinnacle Video editing

### **Awards, Fellowships, and Scholarships**

Distinguished Service Medal, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Work on grave desecration and illegal grave goods removal at Yellow Dirt Cemetery, Heard County, Georgia (2012)

Distinguished Service Medal, Sons of Confederate Veterans, *Always Looking North: the Carroll County Confederate Monument* documentary video and brochure (2011)

Graduate Assistantship, Political Heritage Collection, Department of History, State University of West Georgia, Carrollton, Georgia (2007)

Sons of the American Revolution Past Governor Robert Vance Website Contest and Award for best Chapter webpage, Ernest E. Blevins, Webmaster (2006)

Bronze Citizenship Award, Casimir Pulaski Sons of the American Revolution in acknowledgement of work as historian and as webmaster (2005)

Sons of the American Revolution Past Governor Robert Vance Website Contest and Award for best Chapter webpage, Ernest E. Blevins, Webmaster (2005)

Genealogist's Award for Complete Documentation, Soule Kindred of America, Duxbury, Massachusetts. (2004)

Fellowship for stipend to attend the George Miller Ceramics Workshop Presented by the Chicora Foundation, Inc., Columbia, South Carolina. (1992)

### **Selected Current and Past Memberships in Societies and Organizations**

American Historical Association	Association for State and Local History
Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation	American Planning Association
South Carolina Historical Society	Georgia Historical Society
East Tennessee Historical Society	National Trust for Historic Preservation
National Council on Public History	Southeastern Archaeological Conference (life)
New England Historical & Genealogical	Society General Society of <i>Mayflower</i> Descendants (life)
Sons of Confederate Veterans (life)	Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (life)
Founders & Patriots of America	Sons of the American Revolution
Alden Kindred of America	Friends of the <i>Hunley</i>
Association of Gravestone Studies	American Association of University Professors
Society for Historical Archaeology	Southeastern Society of Architectural Historians

### **Book Contributions**

“Statehood,” *Encyclopedia of Politics in the American West*, CQ Press (forthcoming)

“Howard Turner Meek Pioneer and Private Company K, 11<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Confederate States,” “Moses Harvey Meek Pioneer and Private Company K, 11<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Confederate States,” “Dickson County Grand Army of the Republic Post 44” in *The Heritage of Dickson County, Tennessee 1803-2006*, Waynesville, North Carolina: Dickson County Heritage Book Committee/Walsworth Publishing Company, 2007.

Contributor of three chapters to *Passing the Georgia Studies 8<sup>th</sup> Grade CRCT*, publishing 2007-2008, Atlanta, Georgia: American Book Company.

### Journal and Magazine Articles

Review of Jerry E. Hilliard "An Antebellum Ozark Community and the Civil War: the Archaeology of the Second Mount Comfort Church (3WA880), Washington County, Arkansas (1840-ca. 1865)," for *Southeastern Archaeology: a Journal of the Southeastern Archaeological Society*, publication TBD 2012.

In progress article "70<sup>th</sup> Eddy Mayflower Line" for submission for consideration to *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register* for 2012 publication.

In progress article "Simons & Lapham: Charleston Architects," for submission to *ARRIS: The Journal of the Southeast Chapter of the Society of Architectural Historians*.

"Coca Cola Roots Firmly Embedded in Villa Rica," *The Cola Call*, Atlanta Coca-Cola Collectors' Club, January-February 2008, 6-7.

with Anne L. Blevins, "The Descendants of Benjamin Smith, Sr. of Duxbury, Massachusetts Who Migrated to Charleston, South Carolina" *Soule Kindred of America Newsletter*, Vol. 41, No.1 (Summer 2007), 2-7. New research added since 1991 article in *Mayflower Quarterly*.

"Siege and Battle of Savannah" *Bulletin, a Journal of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America*, Vol. 80, No. 1 (Spring 2006), 15-19.

"Blueprint of History: The Architecture of Samuel Lapham and the firm of Simons & Lapham," *Carologue* (South Carolina Historical Society), Vol. 20, no. 4, (Winter 2004), 16-23.

"Col. John Peyre Thomas of Company B (Arsenal) South Carolina Battalion of Cadets," *Confederate Veteran*, Vol. 1 (April 1999), 15-19.

with Anne L. Blevins, "The Descendants of Benjamin Smith, Sr. of Duxbury, Massachusetts" in the *Mayflower Quarterly*, Vol. 58, No. 2 (May 1991), 112-115.

### Newspaper Articles

"History of National Memorial Day," *Cannon Courier* (Woodbury, Tennessee), 28 May 2012, on line at <http://www.cannoncourier.com/history-of-national-memorial-day-cms-8274>

"SUVCW holds work day in Hollywood Cemetery," *The Tallapoosa Journal*, Vol. 15, No. 15, (2 October 2010), 3.

"Carroll County Confederate Monument Rededication and Brochure Unveiling," *The Georgia Confederate*, Vol. 25, No. 6 (July-August 2010), 8-9.

"Carroll County Confederate Monument Celebrates 100 Years" *Carroll StarNews* Online Edition, May 2010 <http://starnewsga.com/latest/carroll-county-confederate-monument-celebrates-100-years>

"60 [sic] Years for Carroll County Confederate Memorial" *Civil War Courier*, Vol. 24, No. 12 (April 2010), 3.

"Highway's Name Has Roots in Carroll County," *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 46, 19 (November 2009), 11

- “Potential National Historic Register District Encompasses a Lot of Villa Rica History,” with photograph of the author from 2005, *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 30, 20 August 2009), 7.
- “Villa Rica’s Historic North Commercial District,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 28 (6 August 2009), 8.
- “[Perry “Bill”] Bailey Visits VR to Collect Information for Fullerville Book,” with uncredited photograph, *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 74, No. 30 (30 July 2009), 8.
- “Bailey Visits VR to Collect Information for Fullerville Book,” with uncredited photograph, *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 74, No. 30 (30 July 2009), 8.
- “History of Memorial Day,” *The Knoxville News-Sentinel*, (25 May 2009), <http://www.knoxnews.com/news/2009/may/25/history-memorial-day>
- “Bankhead Highway Cuts Though Villa Rica,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 27 (10 July 2008), 10.
- “First Presbyterian Church: Two Buildings in One,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 21 (12 June 2008), 10.
- “Jefferson Davis 200<sup>th</sup> Birthday,” *The Georgia Confederate*, Vol. 24, No. 11 (June 2008), 10.
- “Memorial Day History Dates Back to 1866” *The Summerville [South Carolina] Journal Scene*, (23 May 2008), 5A.
- “Memorial Day More Than Day Off” *The Summerville [South Carolina] Journal Scene* (22 May 22 2008), <http://www.journalscene.com/news/0523NEMemorial>
- “Memorial Day More Than Day Off” *The Gazette [Goose Creek and Hanahan, South Carolina] Journal Scene* (22 May 22 2008), <http://www.ourgazette.com/news/0523NEMemorial>
- “Memorial Day,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 20 (22 May 2008), 1, 10.
- “Confederate Memorial Day,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 16 (24 April 2008), 1, 12.
- “Temple Street Named for Railroad Pioneer,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73 No. 11 (20 March 2008), 1.
- “Sons of Union Veterans Looking for Descendants of Union Soldiers to Replace Graves,” *The Tallapoosa Journal*, Vol. 12, No. 34 (22 January 2007), 5.
- “Happy Birthday General Robert E. Lee American Hero: 200<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Robert E. Lee,” *Tehachapi News [California]*, 19 January 2007, online version <http://www.tehachapinews.com/node/21212>
- “200<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Robert E. Lee,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 3 (18 January 2007), 9.
- “Sons of Union Veterans Looking for Descendants of Union Soldiers to Replace Graves,” *The Haralson Gateway-Beacon*, Vol. 17, Issue 3 (18 January 2007), 11.
- “Villa Rica Section of Interstate I-20 Celebrates 30 Years,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 73, No. 1 (10 January 2008), 1.

“The Early Days In Villa Rica: Cola Cola’s Bottles and Bottlers” *The Times-Georgia*, Vol. 136, No. 29 (13 December 2007), 10. Also published in *The Villa Rican* and national Coca-Cola Collectors magazine (Summer 2008).

“Do You Know Your Villa Rica? More to Downtown than Meets the Eye” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 72, No. 37 (14 September 2006), 9.

“‘Old Library’ a Piece of Villa Rica’s History,” *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 72, No. 31 (3 August 2006), 5

“Villa Rican in *Gods and Generals*,” *The Villa Rica Voice*, Vol. 5, No. 36 (27 March 2003), 8

Writing Sample Available Upon Request

### **Articles with Interviews or About**

Peavyhouse, Gary, “Down in the Dirt: Archaeological Teams Excavate for Proposed Rerouting of Hwy. 30,” *The [Dayton, Tennessee] Herald-News*, Vol. 114, No. 67, 22 August 2012, 1.

Cook, Rhonda, “Brothers Win – For Now – Flight Over Cemetery at Georgia Power’s Plant Wansley: Flag Removal Highlights Long-Standing Dispute With Georgia Power,” *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, 14 November 2011 <http://www.ajc.com/news/brothers-win-for-now-1225320.html>

Scott, Carole, “Confederate Flags repeatedly Removed from Gravesites of Civil War Veterans,” *Star News*, Vol. 17, No. 11 (6 November 2011), 40

Fletcher, Carlton, “Sherman's March Turned Tide Of War,” *Albany Herald* (Albany, Georgia). Vol. 119 No. 362 (24 October 2011), 1A; 4A. <http://www.albanyherald.com/news/2011/oct/23/shermans-march-turned-tide-war/>

“Sons of Confederacy Replace Confederate Flags on Graves, Georgia Power Removes Them,” *Times-Journal* (Franklin, Georgia) Vol. 17, No. 30 (18 October 2011), 6.

“Sons of Confederate Veterans Discuss Local Monument” *StarNews OnLine*, (10 June 2010). <http://www.starnewsga.com/latest/sons-confederate-veterans-discuss-local-monument>

“Sons of Confederate Veterans,” Photograph of speaking on the Carroll County Monument, *The Villa Rican*, Vol. 76, No. 25, (30 June 2011), 2.

Photograph of Confederate Monument 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Carroll [Carrollton, Georgia] *StarNews*, Vol. 16, No. 5 (6 June 2010), 25.

“GAR Veterans Stone Replaced in Hollywood Cemetery” *The Tallapoosa Journal*, (2 October 2010) 3.

Department of Georgia & South Carolina News and Photograph, *Banner*, Vol. 115, No. 1 (Autumn 2010), 16 <http://www.starnewsga.com/latest/sons-confederate-veterans-discuss-local-monument>

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Stan Hardegree, "Historic Plaques Start Going Up," *The Villa Rica Voice*, Vol. 8, No. 4 (21 July 2005), 1.

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### **Film and Video Work**

4<sup>th</sup> *Minnesota Monument Dedication* (April 2011), filmed and edited the monument dedication on 9 October 2010 in Allatoona Pass, Georgia. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iAx9pPdRkF8>

*Always Looking North: the Carroll County Confederate Monument Documentary* (October 2010) researched, filmed and edited, premiered Dixie Film Festival, Athens, Georgia, October 2010

*Sears Exploring My America Application: The Overland Dixie Highway* (July 2010) wrote, filmed and edited this video for competition to become one of 21 travelers on historic roads contest sponsored by Sears Auto Center, <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OBOWhYDyls0>

*The Road to Marietta: Commemorating the 1864 Atlanta Campaign* (also known as *Department Georgia & South Carolina 2014 Encampment Campaign*) (May 2009), wrote, filmed and edited a history video to attract at national convention to Georgia. Accepted to Dixie Film Festival, Athens, Georgia 17-18 October 2009 Available at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7gsM9tTACq0>.

*Henry McNeal Turner* (April 2008), filmed and edited video on the ceremony honoring the first black Army chaplain. Three parts Available at <http://youtube.com/watch?v=Eit4Em2-mBU>

*Desecration of Knoxville Pauper Cemetery* (March 2008) an impromptu video documentation of a cemetery desecration. Available at <http://youtube.com/watch?v=2y12tLuq8qM>.

*Muted Riot: The Atlanta Riot, 1906* (2006), AGSUH, Georgia State University, Team member for Campus Movie Fest documentary on the Atlanta Race Riot of 1906. Available on <http://youtube.com/watch?v=HcDSFbU1gXk>

*Rob and the Mob* (released 2008), contemporary extra.

*Gods and Generals* (released 2003), Confederate soldier and Union soldier period extra.

*C.S.S. Hunley* (released as *The Hunley* 1999) HBO TV, Confederate soldier period extra.

*An American Tempest* (released released as *The Tempest* 1998) NBC TV movie, Union soldier period extra.

*The General's Daughter* (released 1999), electrician.

*Close to Danger* (released 1997) ABC TV movie, various extra roles.

### **Internet Article Publication**

“George Wing, 51<sup>st</sup> Illinois” <http://www.51illinois.org/wing.html> (2006)

“Siege and Battle of Savannah” Casimir Pulaski SAR Chapter, <http://casimirpulaskisar.org> (2006)

“Casimir Pulaski” with Dutch Dryer, Casimir Pulaski SAR Chapter, <http://casimirpulaskisar.org> (2005)

### **Speaking Engagements**

Invited Moderator, “Charleston,” Southeast Chapter of the Society of Architectural Historians (SESAH), Charleston, South Carolina (26-29 October 2011)

Invited Speaker, “*Always Looking North: Carroll County, Georgia Confederate Monument*,” Forrest Escort 1239, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Villa Rica, Georgia (27 June 2011).

Panel Presenter, “*Always Looking North: Carroll County, Georgia Confederate Monument*,” Kentucky-Tennessee American Studies Association Conference “Images, Sounds, and Meanings of the Civil War,” Heritage Center, Murfreesboro, Tennessee (20 May 2011)

Guest, “Naming of the Civil War/Commentary on Historical Marker to Sherman’s Burning on MLK Drive,” *DennyRadio* hosted by Denny Schaffer, WGKA 920 AM, Atlanta, Georgia (12 April 2011)

Presenter, “Simons & Lapham: Charleston Architects,” *Scholar’s Week*, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee (6 April 2011)

Guest, “Sons of Confederate Veterans: 150<sup>th</sup> South Carolina Secession,” *The Community Voice* hosted by Steve Gradick, WLBB 1330 AM, Carrollton, Georgia (20 December 2010)

Guest, “Sons of Confederate Veterans,” *Community Voice* hosted by Steve Gradick, WLBB 1330 AM, Carrollton, Georgia (9 June 2010)

Accepted Film, *Department Georgia & South Carolina 2014 Encampment Campaign* to Dixie Film Festival, Athens, Georgia 17-18 October 2009

Invited Speaker, “Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War,” Cobb County Genealogical Society, Marietta, Georgia (26 May 2009)



Invited Speaker, "Georgia G.A.R.," Camp Edward Lea, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Houston, Texas (14 April 2009)

Invited Speaker, "The Battle of Cowpens," Bernardo de Gálvez Chapter #1, Sons of the American Revolution, Galveston, Texas (10 January 2009).

Invited Speaker, "The Atlanta Campaign," Sons of Confederate Veterans, Sam Davis Camp #596, Gulfport, Mississippi (9 October 2008)

Invited Speaker, "Georgia Patriot Day," Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Elias Moon #2, Snellville, Georgia (19 April 2008).

Guest, "Memorial Day," DennyRadio.com, hosted by Denny Schaffer, internet show, dennyradio.com (23 May 2008)

Presenter, Working Group in Historic Preservation "Unifying and Dividing Communities Through Historic Preservation," National Council on Public History, Louisville, Kentucky (12 April 2008)

Invited Speaker, "Tallapoosa, Georgia G.A.R." Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, M<sup>c</sup>Pherson Camp #1, Atlanta, Georgia (2 January 2007).

Invited Speaker, "New England Historic & Genealogical Society and Union Veteran Research," Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Elias Moon Camp #2, Snellville, Georgia (18 March 2006).

Invited Speaker, "Introduction to Genealogy" Lunch and Learn, Georgia Highlands College, Rome, Georgia (12 December 2006).

Exhibitor, "Documentation of the Architecture of Samuel Lapham and the Firm of Simons & Lapham," A Celebration of Graduate Student Research, State University of West Georgia, Carrollton, Georgia (4 March 2004).

### **Professional Conferences & Conventions Attendance**

Southeastern Society of Architectural Historians, Charleston, South Carolina (2011)

Kentucky-Tennessee American Studies Association Meeting, Murfreesboro, Tennessee (2011)

Southeastern Archaeological Conference Annual Meeting, Mobile, Alabama (2009)

National Council on Public History, Louisville, Kentucky, presenter Working Group in Historic Preservation on Historic Preservation: Unifying and Dividing Communities (2008)

Restoration & Renovation 2003, Baltimore, Maryland (2003)

National Trust for Historic Preservation Conference, Washington, District of Columbia (2000)

Tennessee Main Street Conference, Franklin, Tennessee (2000)

Restoration & Renovation 1999, Charleston, South Carolina. Workshop on Historic Preservation and Affordable Housing (NPI course). (1999)

National Trust for Historic Preservation, Washington, District of Columbia (1999)

Restoration & Renovation 1999, Washington, District of Columbia. Workshops on stone monuments, retrofitting historic buildings, and GIS/GPS systems. (1999)

Southeastern Archaeological Conference Annual Meeting, Little Rock, Arkansas (1992)

### **Personal**

Georgia Work Ready Silver Certificate (December 2009)

FEMA Security Background Check (E-QIP) passed March 2008, current badge expired November 2009.

- Investigation Number and/or copy of letter available on request

Sons of Confederate Veterans, Secession Camp 4, Charleston, South Carolina and Forrest's Escort 1239, Villa Rica, Georgia

- Georgia Division Historian (2008 to Present).
- Newsletter Editor, Forrest's Escort Camp 1239, Villa Rica, Georgia (2006 to 2007).
- Member, National SCV Elm Springs Task Force (2006 to Present).

Sons of the American Revolution, Casimir Pulaski Chapter, Carrollton, Georgia

- Historian (2005 to 2006).
- Genealogist (2007 to 2011).
- Webmaster <http://casimirpulaskisar.com> (2005 to 2009) Winner of the PG Vance Best Chapter Website in SAR award 2005 and 2006.
- Georgia Society SAR *Sourcebook* Technical Manager (2005 to 2007).

Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War, Elias Moon #2 Chapter, Georgia and Kennesaw Mountain #3 Chapter, Georgia

- Member, National Civil War Flags Restoration Special Committee (2008 to Present)
- Member, National GAR Records Committee (2010 to Present)
- Civil War Memorials Officer. Elias Moon (2012 to Present)
- Graves & Memorials Officer Department of Georgia (2008 to 2011) and Elias Moon (2007 to 2010).
- Commander, Kennesaw Mountain (2006 to 2009).
- Patriotic Instructor, Elias Moon (2006 to 2007).
- Senior Vice Commander, Elias Moon (2008).
- Senior Vice Commander, Department of Georgia (2008 to 2009).
- Interim Newsletter Editor, Elias Moon (2007).

Association of Georgia State University Historians, Atlanta, Georgia

- Secretary (2005-2006).

Army Reserve Command Military History Division, Fort McPherson, East Point, Georgia

- Volunteer living historian for military oral historian training at Kennesaw Mountain and Chickamauga NMP (2006 to 2007).

Order of Founders and Patriots, Georgia Chapter

- Registrar (2005 to 2007).

American Association of University Professors (2004 to 2006)

- Georgia Highlands Chapter Webmaster (2006).

Georgia Association of Professional Genealogists

- Secretary (2005).

South Carolina Society of *Mayflower* Descendants (1989 to Present)

- Assistant Deputy Governor (National Convention Delegate) (September 1996 to 1998).
- State Historian (June 1995 to September 1995).

10<sup>th</sup> South Carolina Volunteer Infantry War Between the States Reenacting (1994 to Present)

- Secretary (August 1997 to September 1998).

South Carolina State Guard, 6<sup>th</sup> Battalion (Mark Clark), 3<sup>rd</sup> (Light Coastal) Brigade, North Charleston, South Carolina (Active February 1998 to March 1999, reserve March 1999 to May 2001).

- Rank of Second Lieutenant.

Listed in

*Who's Who in America* 2006 and thereafter

*Who's Who Registry of Outstanding Professionals* 2006-2007 and thereafter

*The Chancellor's List* 2006

Centennial Olympic Games Volunteer, Atlanta, Georgia (July 1996 to August 1996)

- Worked in the International Broadcast Center Help Desk to trouble shoot and report computer problems.

*Alpha Phi Omega*, National Service Fraternity (Fall 1987 to May 1992, Spring 1994 to December 1995, Life Member).

- Historian (Spring 1989), Service Vice-Chair (Spring 1992), Alumni Secretary (Spring 1995), Vice-president of Administration (Fall 1995), active alumnus (1996 to 1999).

Boy Scouts of America

- Tiger Cub Den leader (2012-Present)
- Assistant Scoutmaster (1986-1987)
- Eagle Scout (November 1986)
- Order of the Arrow Brotherhood (Fall 1986)

## References

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