

Kathryn M. Schubert
Curriculum Vitae

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI May 2019
B.A. With Highest Distinction in English and History
GPA: 3.974

University of Oxford, St. Peter's College, Oxford, UK June-August 2018
St. Peter's College Summer School
Concentration in Literature

AWARDS AND HONORS

High Honors in English Spring 2019
Honors Program Wagner Academic Excellence Prize Spring 2019

- Presented to the outstanding overall student in the English Honors Program.

LSA Honors Grant for Research, Travel, and Special Projects Summer 2018

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi Winter 2018

Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society Winter 2018

Nancy Bylan Bratman Excellence in Writing Award Winter 2017

- Given to the outstanding history paper of the semester by an underclassman.

James B. Angell Scholar (University of Michigan) 8 terms

- Awarded for the achievement of an "A" record for 2+ consecutive terms.

University Honors (University of Michigan) 8 terms

SELECTED COURSEWORK

- ◆ Spanish Readings: Literary and Visual Dialogues on Gender in Latin America
- ◆ Shakespeare's Plays
- ◆ Literature in English to 1660
- ◆ Women Who Made History: Medieval Women's Writing
- ◆ The Theory Mess: Introduction to Literary Theory
- ◆ Rediscovering Shakespeare (University of Oxford)

RELEVANT RESEARCH PAPERS

"Time runs on, and I with it": Age, Gender, and the Production of Elizabethan Monarchical Power – Fall 2018-Winter 2019

- English Honors Thesis; uses Shakespeare's *Henriad* as a lens through which to view the ways that Queen Elizabeth I manipulated perceptions of her gender and her age in order to maintain power throughout her reign

"A fascist and slave conception of woman": National identity, religion, and oppression in Éamon de Valera's Ireland – Winter 2018

- Colloquium project for my History degree; explores how the nationalistic religious fervor created by the Irish independence movement led to the forced confinement of unwed mothers in so-called "mother and baby homes"

Harm among the people: Margery Kempe's Bid for Sainthood – Winter 2018

- An analysis of medieval sainthood arguing that *The Book of Margery Kempe* was a failed attempt at auto-hagiography, doomed from the start because of the ways in which Margery's disruptive piety turned her community against her

The McClear-Birney-Hankerd Family: A Study of the Role of Women in 19th Century Immigrant Communities – Winter 2017

- An examination of the reciprocal relationship between Irish immigrant women and their communities based on the Bentley Historical Library's collection of nineteenth-century correspondence

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Bodleian Library, University of Oxford Summer 2018

- Conducted research on Elizabeth I and Shakespeare's history plays for my honors thesis

Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan Winter 2017, Fall 2018

- Worked with the nineteenth-century correspondence of the McClear-Birney-Hankerd Family for an essay on immigrant women
- Worked with the records and publications of Detroit's Universal Hagar's Spiritualist Church for a project exploring cradle-to-grave culture through the Church's newspaper

WORK EXPERIENCE

City Year Detroit—AmeriCorps, Detroit, MI July 2019-Present

- Serving as a Student Success Coach, English Language Arts Coordinator, and Development Squad member at Burns Elementary-Middle School
- Tutoring 15 students daily with the goal of improving average reading proficiency by at least one grade level
- Creating and directing grade-wide literacy initiatives in collaboration with teammates and school leaders
- Working to connect the local community to City Year's efforts through networking and social media outreach

David Aretha, Inc., Chicago, IL May 2018-July 2018

- Completed remote internship with David Aretha, a well-known freelance editor
- Copyedited two full manuscripts for publication
- Was given paid work copyediting the memoir of historian and civil rights activist Gwendolyn Midlo Hall after the internship's completion

Hatcher Graduate Library, University of Michigan May 2016-May 2019

- Performed data and inventory management for Document Delivery and Interlibrary Loan departments, organizing books and articles and delivering them to patrons

Panera Bread, Ann Arbor, MI May 2017-May 2019

- Communicated clearly and positively with team members and management while maintaining high standards of customer service

LEADERSHIP

Pure Dance, Co-Director and Lead Choreographer Fall 2015-Winter 2019

- Directed an inclusive student-run dance group that offers a body-positive space for women to express and assert themselves through movement
- Planned and coordinated auditions, practices, and performances for 14-20 dancers

Zeta Omega Eta, Rush Committee Member Winter 2017-Winter 2019

- Transformed the organization's messaging to welcome women and femmes from across campus, forming diverse and politically active sisterhood
- Planned mass meetings, rush events, and Bid Day activities

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

- **Spanish:** proficient through the University of Michigan's Residential College Language Intensive Program
- **Microsoft Office and Google Suite:** proficient
- **ILLiad Interlibrary Loan System:** proficient