EMILY WILLIAMS

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., History, University of Center City, 2018

Dissertation: "Traveling West: A History of the Railroad, 1850-1900"

Dissertation Advisors: William James (first reader), Tatiana Ayole (second reader)

M.A., History, University of Center City, 2015

Dissertation: "The Golden Spike: The Role of the Railroads in the Industrial Revolution"

Dissertation Advisor: John Murray

B.A., American Studies, Rogers College, 2010

Graduated Summa Cum Laude

HONORS AND AWARDS

Best Dissertation Award, University of Center City, 2018

Received award for best dissertation in the humanities. Three awards are given each year to Ph.D. graduates in humanities, physical sciences, and social & behavioral sciences.

James Doe Award, University of Center City, 2017

Given to the graduate student who earned the highest GPA in their school.

Phi Beta Kappa, Invited Junior Year at Rogers College, 2009

Dean's List, Rogers College, 2007-2010

PUBLICATIONS

"The Role of the Railroad in the Development of Philadelphia, 1840-1860." Journal of American History and Technology. Vol. 71, no. 8 (Spring 2018): 88-101.

"Book Review: Michael Weston's Travels through Philadelphia." Philadelphia History Journal. Vol. 71, no 2 (Fall 2017): 121-123.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, University of Center City, 2016-2018

- American History, 1865-Present
- History of Technology

Teaching Assistant, University of Center City, 2014-2016

- World History
- Popular Culture in America

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"The Rise of the Easton Railroad Company." History of America Conference. Philadelphia, PA, 20XX.

"The Railroad in American Literature." American Railroad History Conference. Trenton, NJ, 20XX.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

President, University of Center City Graduate Student Association, 20XX Conference Organizer, Graduate History Conference, University of Center City, 20XX

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Co-organizer, Center City Cares, University of Center City Outreach Program, 20XX

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historians Organization Organization of American Technology

LANGUAGES

English: Native Language

Spanish: Fluent, Advanced Reading and Writing

Mandarin: Novice Speaker

COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft Office, WordPress, Google Analytics, Social Media