

MORGAN CRAIN

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EDUCATION

- MPhil Medieval History**, *distinction*, University of Cambridge 2018
Dissertation: ‘The *Leges Henrici Primi* and Its Sources’, advised by Dr. Tom Lambert
- B.A. History**, *summa cum laude*, minor in English, Florida College 2017
Alpha Chi National College Honors Society, Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society
National Merit Finalist (2013) and President’s Merit Scholarship (2013-17)
Patricia A. Graham Prize in World History at the Alpha Chi National Conference (2016)
President’s Award (2017)
Alpha Chi H. Y. Benedict Fellowship (2017-18)

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- “Henry I, ‘Lion of Justice’: A Norman Approach to English Law,” *Aletheia* 1, 2 (2016), <https://ims.alphachihonor.org/index.cfm/publications/aletheia/aletheia-archives/aletheia-vol-1-issue-2-2016/>
- “Henry I, ‘Lion of Justice’: A Norman Approach to English Law”, Alpha Chi National Conference, Washington, D.C. (April 2016)
- “The Relevance of the *Leges Henrici Primi*”, Murray Edwards Graduate Symposium, Cambridge (February 2018)
- “‘Pennons Painted in Blood’: Shifting Views of War in *Henry V*”, Murray Edwards Graduate Symposium, Cambridge (May 2018)

LANGUAGES

Latin (reading proficient)
French (fluent)

SERVICE

- Florida College Alpha Club** *September 2014 – May 2017*
- Selected by college administration to professionally represent the school during Florida College’s Lecture week
 - Assisted new students with the Orientation process

- Florida College Footlighters** *September 2013 – May 2017*
- President of Footlighters Drama Club (2015-17)
 - Director of *The Winter’s Tale* (2017) and *You Can’t Take It With You* (2015)
 - Head Costumer (2015-17) and Assistant Costume Designer (2013-15)
 - One-Act Festival Director (2015 and 2016) and Film Festival Coordinator (2016)
 - Acted in seven theatrical productions

- Florida Xi Chapter of Alpha Chi National Honor Society** *September 2014 – May 2017*
- President (2016-17)
 - Focused on career advancement opportunities and networking as well as school-wide cultural literacy
 - Secretary-Treasurer (2015-16)
 - Hosted events to encourage upper-division engagement in the campus community

Other Activities

Cambridge University Symphony Choir (2017-18)	Junior-Senior Class Treasurer, Student Body Government Association (2015-16)
Florida College Chorus (2013-17)	Florida College Oratory Union (2014-15)
Florida College Chamber Ensemble (2016-17)	
History Department Academic Ambassador (2016-17)	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Director of Student Life, The Cambridge School of Dallas

August 2018-present

- Organized all-school events, including:
 - The All-School Retreat, where faculty and students engage in two days of bonding activities
 - Three high school dances, supporting the Prefect Council
 - Quarterly community service events, supporting the Prefect Council
 - The House Feast, the Sorting Ceremony, and weekly House Meetings, supporting the House Heads
 - Weekly chapel services and Christmas Chapel
- Introduced and coordinated new events, including Homecoming, quarterly House Gauntlet Challenges, monthly student bonding activities, two Middle School Socials, and two Dallas Opera field trips
- Directed *The Importance of Being Earnest* (April 2019)
- Developed online event promotion and ticket sales
- Served on the council which selected the student council members for the next school year
- Assisted with Mini-School Night, the Christmas Performance, Declamation, the Faith and Culture Keynote, Coffee Haus, and various other school events
- Served as a substitute teacher for Latin, English, Art, Logic, Spanish, Theology, Algebra I, and P.E.
- Proctored PSAT, ISEE, PSAT 8, AP, and ERB exams
- Became certified in CPR and First Aid (December 2018)

Assistant Director of Admissions, The Cambridge School of Dallas

August 2018-present

- Streamlined student information collection and application process
- Redesigned the Open House recruiting event
- Engaged in recruiting at fairs, open houses, and individual visits to nearby schools
- Oversaw student visits to Cambridge
- Interviewed prospective students

Supplemental Instructor (Work-Study), Florida College, Temple Terrace, Florida

September 2014 – May 2017

- Provided weekly group instruction for Western Civilization (2014-16) and Elementary French (2016-17)
- Promoted to SI Mentor (2015-17)
 - Advised and monitored other instructors
 - Promoted the SI program to students
 - Supervised employee training

PUBLIC HISTORY EXPERIENCE

Performance-Programming Intern, Frazier History Museum, Louisville, Kentucky

May 2015 – August 2015

- Researched, developed, and performed an historic interpretation of Native American legends in museum galleries and theatre for school groups and other guests
- Designed an adult tour emphasizing local aspects of the American history galleries
- Enhanced programming and visitor interaction for school groups ages 6-12 and families
- Hosted various object-centered, hands-on activity stations for school groups and other guests
- Learned directing techniques and worked in development of a new production of Edgar Allen Poe's works

Interpretations Intern, Frazier History Museum, Louisville, Kentucky

May 2014 – August 2014

- Performed historical interpretations, including "Oregon Trail: 1848", "The Execution of Anne Boleyn", and "Brave Martha and the Dragon"
- Researched, developed, and performed an interpretation about Sally Wister, a young woman who lived in Philadelphia in 1777
- Studied historical and theatrical combat techniques
- Hosted various object-centered, hands-on activity stations for school groups and other guests
- Created and altered reproduction clothing for Interpretations Department