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### **Education**

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas  
*PhD in History* Aug. 2019 – est. May 2023

University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma  
*Master of Arts in History* Aug. 2017 – May 2019

University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma  
*Bachelor of Arts in History* Aug. 2005 – Dec. 2009

### **Conference Presentations**

2021, “The Palmetto “Men of Bronze”: The 371<sup>st</sup> Infantry, Jim Crow, and the Great War,”  
Annual Conference, Society for Military History, Norfolk, VA, to be given in March.

2020, “The Palmetto “Men of Bronze”: The 371<sup>st</sup> Infantry, Jim Crow, and the Great War,”  
Annual Conference, Society for Military History, Arlington, VA, cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic.

2019, “Racism Endemic in a Flu Pandemic: African-American Troops in the Great War Fight the Flu,” Spring Colloquium, University of Tulsa, Tulsa, OK.

2018, “The Great Debate: Civic Anti-Slavery Organizations Debated the Colonization Movement,” Annual Missouri Conference on History, The State Historical Society of Missouri, Jefferson City, MO, March 16.

### **Honors and Awards**

Thomas H. Buckley Award                      University of Tulsa                      April 22, 2019

Kimberly Hanger Award                      University of Tulsa                      April 22, 2019

### **Scholarly Memberships**

Society for Military History (2019 – Present)

International Society for First World War Studies (2019)

Phi Alpha Theta (2019 – Present)

**Professional Experience**

PhD Teaching Assistant Present	Texas A&M University	Aug. 2019 –
Masters Teaching Assistant May 2019	University of Tulsa	August 2018 –
Masters Research Assistant May 2018	University of Tulsa	January 2018 –

**Research Interests**

My research focuses on African American history and its relationship to American military history. I wish to build a research project focusing on African American soldiers in the Services of Supply of the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I. Such a project will likely become my doctoral dissertation. I am also interested in the study of video games as a historical field. The military history of video games and video games as historical literature is of particular interest to me.