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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Southern Methodist University (Anthropology) | *expected 2024* | GPA: 3.915
- M.A. Southern Methodist University (Anthropology) | 2017 | GPA: 3.915
- B.A. James Madison University (Anthropology) | 2011 | GPA: 3.796
Magna cum laude, with honors from the Honors College

DISSERTATION

Staying in Place: Erasure & Persistence in the Tenth Street Freedman's Town, Dallas, Texas
Committee: Kacy L. Hollenback, David J. Meltzer (Co-Advisors), Chris I. Roos, & Paul R. Mullins (IU-PUI)

My research interests center on race, space, and place-making. This dissertation examines 20th century transformations in the Black landscapes of Dallas, Texas through the lens of one of its few surviving Freedman's Towns, Tenth Street. I draw from geospatial data, U.S. Census and city directory data, archival records, oral histories, artifacts, community interactions, and historical and contemporary urban planning, real estate, and preservation policies to map changes in the Tenth Street landscape, understand the social and economic impacts of those transformations, and document the ways residents have maintained their place in the cityscape.

PUBLICATIONS & ACADEMIC PRODUCTS

- 2021 | Trabert, Sarah J., and Kacy L. Hollenback [maps contributed by **Kathryn A. Cross**]. Archaeological Narratives of the North American Great Plains: From Ancient Pasts to Historic Resettlement. In *SAA Current Perspectives*. The SAA Press, Washington, D.C.
- 2021 | Metin I. Eren, **Katie Cross**, Brian N. Andrews, and David J. Meltzer. A Quantitative Test of Folsom Unifacial Tool Recycling in Block C. In *The Mountaineer Site: A Folsom Winter Camp in the Rockies*, edited by Bryan N. Andrews, David J. Meltzer, and Mark Stiger. University Press Colorado, Boulder.
- 2019 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Anne B. Parfitt. Archaeological Investigations at the Double Flute Folsom Site (LA178142), New Mexico. *PaleoAmerica* 4(3):248-250.
- 2018 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Anne B. Parfitt. *QUEST Investigations at the Double Flute Folsom Site (LA178142)*. QUEST Archaeological Research Program, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX.
- 2012 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. Least Resistance? Cost-Path Analysis and Hunter-Gatherer Mobility in the Virginia Blue Ridge. *Journal of Middle Atlantic Archaeology* 28:1-10.
- 2011 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. Hunter-Gatherer Site Function in the Blue Ridge Mountains: An Analysis of Artifacts from the Pryors Camp Site (44NE153). *Lambda Alpha Journal* 41:23-37.
- 2011 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Challenging Traditional Settlement Models: The Movement of Lithic Raw Material and the Residential Mobility of Native Peoples in the Virginia Blue Ridge Mountains*. Honors College Capstone Project, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA. Advisors: Drs. Carole L. Nash & Julie P. Solometo.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2019 | 84th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology | Albuquerque, NM
The Archaeology of Late-19th & Early 20th Century Freedman's Towns in Dallas, Texas (Poster)

2012 | 77th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology | Memphis, TN
Challenging Traditional Settlement Models: GIS Cost-Path Analysis and Hunter-Gatherer Mobility in the Virginia Blue Ridge (Poster)

2012 | Middle Atlantic Archaeological Conference Annual Meeting | Virginia Beach, VA
Evaluating the Potential of Geophysical Techniques for Archaeological Survey: The James Madison University Farm (co-authored with Daniel Sumner, Anna Courtier, and the Fall 2011 Field Geophysics Class)

2011 | Archeological Society of Virginia Annual Meeting | Staunton, VA
Belmont: Rediscovering an Early Vineyard and Winery/Distillery in the Shenandoah Valley (co-authored with Peter Hof and Sarah Ellis)

2011 | Middle Atlantic Archaeological Conference Annual Meeting | Ocean City, MD
Least Resistance? Cost-Path Analysis and Hunter-Gatherer Mobility in the Virginia Blue Ridge

2010 | Archeological Society of Virginia Annual Meeting | Williamsburg, VA
Hunter-Gatherer Site Function in the Blue Ridge Mountains: An Analysis of Artifacts from the Pryors Camp Site (44NE153)

OTHER PRESENTATIONS

2022 | Old City Park Juneteenth Celebration
Post-Emancipation Sites in Dallas and Navarro counties (Archaeology booth)

2012 | Archeological Society of Virginia Massanutten Chapter Meeting | Bridgewater, VA
Evaluating the Potential of Geophysical Techniques for Archaeological Survey: The James Madison University Farm (co-authored with Daniel Sumner, Anna Courtier, and the Fall 2011 Field Geophysics Class)

2011 | JMU Sociology & Anthropology Undergraduate Research Symposium | Harrisonburg, VA
Breaking Traditional Settlement Models: The Movement of Lithic Raw Material and the Residential Mobility of Native Peoples in the Virginia Blue Ridge Mountains (Honors College Capstone Project)

2010 | Archeological Society of Virginia Massanutten Chapter Meeting | Bridgewater, VA
Hunter-Gatherer Site Function in the Blue Ridge Mountains: An Analysis of Artifacts from the Pryors Camp Site (44NE153)

AWARDS & HONORS

2022 | P.E.O. Scholar Award Nominee | Texas State Chapter
**Application in progress for 2023-2024*

2011 | Best Student Paper | Middle Atlantic Archaeological Conference Annual Meeting

2011 | Outstanding Anthropology Thesis | James Madison University

2011 | Outstanding Archaeology Student | James Madison University

2010| Best Student Paper (Prehistory) | Archeological Society of Virginia Annual Meeting
2010| The Phi Beta Kappa Society | Xi Chapter of Virginia
2009| Lambda Alpha National Anthropology Honor Society | Epsilon Chapter of Virginia

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Project Manager & Archaeological/GIS Support | 2022

Dallas Forgot Project, Dallas Free Press & Imagining Freedom Institute, Dallas, TX

Archaeological Technician | Summer 2017, 2019, 2022

QUEST Archaeological Research Program, Southern Methodist University

Principal Investigator & Laboratory Manager | 2019-2022

AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX

Archaeological Technician | 2018-2019

AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX

Research Assistant | Spring 2021

Archaeology Research Collections, Southern Methodist University

Research Assistant | Fall 2019

Department of Anthropology, Southern Methodist University

Teaching Assistant | 2015-2018

Department of Anthropology, Southern Methodist University

Archaeological Technician | Summer 2015

Tennessee Valley Archaeological Research, Huntsville, AL

Archeologist/Historic Preservation Specialist | 2012-2015

Mississippi Recovery Office (Biloxi), Federal Emergency Management Agency

Field & Laboratory Technician, Senior Team Lead | 2009-2012

Environment & Archaeology Program, James Madison University

Archaeological Technician Certification Program Volunteer | 2009-2012

Massanutten Chapter, Archaeological Society of Virginia

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant (*and Laboratory Instructor), Southern Methodist University

The Science of Our Past: An Introduction to Archaeology* | Fall 2022

The Science of Our Past: An Introduction to Archaeology* | Fall 2017 – Fall 2018

People of the Earth | Spring 2017

The Science of Our Past: An Introduction to Archaeology* | Spring – Fall 2016

Fantastic Archaeology & Psuedoscience | Fall 2015

Course Assistantship, James Madison University

Introduction to Archaeology | Spring – Fall 2010

Introduction to Cultural Anthropology | Fall 2009

COURSEWORK & PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Dissertation Writing Book Camp | Southern Methodist University | 2022
Introduction to Systemic Racism | Society for Historical Archaeology | 2020
Research Strategies (Grant Proposal Writing) | Southern Methodist University | 2018-2019
Lithic Analysis | Southern Methodist University | 2017
Statistics in Anthropology | Southern Methodist University | 2017
Geographic Information Systems & Mapping | Southern Methodist University | 2017
The Practice of Archaeology | Southern Methodist University | 2016
Principles of Archaeology | Southern Methodist University | 2015
Adv. Methods of Historic Preservation Compliance | Emergency Management Institute | 2015
Intro Environmental/Historic Preservation Compliance | Emergency Management Institute | 2013
Field Geophysics | James Madison University | 2012
Global Positioning Systems (GPS) | James Madison University | 2011
Soils and Land Use | James Madison University | 2010
Archaeology Methods | James Madison University | 2009
Spatial Analysis for Anthropologists | James Madison University | 2009
Field School in Archeology, American Southwest | James Madison University | 2009

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & ORGANIZATIONS

Society for Historical Archaeology | Member
Preservation Dallas | Member
Remembering Black Dallas, Inc. | Member & volunteer
Dallas County Justice Initiative | Member & volunteer

TECHNICAL REPORTS

2021 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Jacob Harris. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Westside IV Transmission Water Main, Tarrant County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2021-06. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Monitoring and Delineation for the Proposed NTMWD Trinity River Lock & Dam #7, Kaufman County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2020-23. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Phillip Fisher. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Kaufman County Water Line, Dallas and Kaufman Counties, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2020-22. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Sundance Wind Farm Transmission Line, Major County, Oklahoma*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2020-18. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross**, Valerie Vendrick, and Kathryn M. Crater Gershtein. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Lower Bois d'Arc Creek Pipeline Relocation, Fannin County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2020-07. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Kathryn M. Crater Gershtein. *Archaeological Survey of the Sister Grove RWRRF, Collin County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2020-02. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2020 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Cottonwood and Fish Creek Bank Stabilization Project, Dallas and Tarrant Counties*. Cultural Resources Report 2020-01. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Kathryn M. Crater Gershtein. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Grapevine Equity Partners, LLC Parking Lot, Tarrant County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2019-27. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Valley Vista Park, Denton County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2019-26. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Kathryn M. Crater Gershtein. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed EMLI at Pecan Creek Housing Development, Denton County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2019-20. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Rush Creek Restoration, Tarrant County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report 2019-17. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | Molly A. Hall, **Kathryn A. Cross**, and Joy C. Tatem. *Archaeological Survey and Reconnaissance of Portions of the Proposed Heartland Development Tract, Kaufman County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2019-15. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson.

2019 | Philip Fisher and **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Crawford Memorial Park Improvements, Dallas, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2019-09. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2018 | Molly A. Hall and **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Mesquite ISD Middle School #10, Dallas County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2018-56. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2018 | Philip Fisher and **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Class III Cultural Resources Inventory for the Staghorn Petroleum, LLC: Gemini 19-13-10-15 1H Well Pad and Lease Road*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2018-52. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2018 | **Kathryn A. Cross**, Emily D. Goetschius, and S. Alan Skinner. *Cottontail 31_30-17N-11W 2XH and Cottontail 31_30-17N-11W 3XH Well Pads, Pipelines, and Lease Roads*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2018-49. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2018 | **Kathryn A. Cross**, Joy C. Tatem, and Philip R. Fisher. *Archaeological Report on the Maloy Landfill, Hunt County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2018-45. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2018 | **Kathryn A. Cross** and Molly A. Hall. *Archaeological Survey of the Proposed Bar C Ranch, Tarrant County, Texas*. Cultural Resources Report No. 2018-44. AR Consultants, Inc., Richardson, TX.

2015 | James, Thomas R., Glenn Strickland, Natasha Nelson, James A. Nyman, **Kathryn A. Cross**, Scott Bierly, Allison Coutts, Drake Brownfield, and Katie Bates. *Forrest County Standard Survey Report*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2015 | James, Thomas R., Natasha Nelson, James A. Nyman, Glenn Strickland, Katie Bates-Harville, Scott Bierly, Drake Brownfield, **Kathryn A. Cross**, and Allison Coutts. *Stone County Standard Survey Report*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2015 | James, Thomas R., James A. Nyman, **Kathryn A. Cross**, and Scott Bierly. *Pearl River County Standard Survey Report*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2015 | Nyman, James, **Kathryn A. Cross**, Katie Bates-Harville, Natasha Nelson, and Thomas R. James. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Shingle Mill Site (22Ja 579), in Jackson County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2015 | Nyman, James, Glenn Strickland, **Kathryn A. Cross**, Drake Brownfield, and Thomas R. James. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Oswald Site (22Ja 799), in Jackson County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2015 | Carter-Davis, Cindy, Drake Brownfield, Blake Coleman, Tara Potts, and Thomas R. James with contributions by Xana Peltola and **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Phase II Cultural Resources Investigation of Singing River Site and Front Street Historic District in Pascagoula, Jackson County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2014 | James, Thomas R., Tara Potts, **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Cultural Resources Survey of the Stone II Site (22Ja651) in Jackson County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2014 | Carter-Davis, Cindy, Tara Potts, **Kathryn A. Cross**, Glenn Strickland, and Thomas R. James. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Poticaw Landing Site (22Ja536) in Jackson County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2013 | James, Thomas R., Allie Coutts, **Kathryn A. Cross**, and P. Shawn Marceaux. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Nature Conservancy Old Fort Bayou Mitigation Bank in Ocean Springs, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2013 | Cindy Carter-Davis, **Kathryn A. Cross**, Allie Coutts, Alana Lynch, and Shawn Marceaux. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Northern Parcel of the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks Wolf River Conservation Area in Harrison County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2013 | James, Thomas R., **Kathryn A. Cross**, Alana Lynch, and Shawn Marceaux. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Southern Parcel of the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks Wolf River Conservation Area in Harrison County, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

2013 | James, Thomas R., Alana Lynch, Shawn Marceaux, Scott Bierly, and **Kathryn A. Cross**. *Cultural Resources Investigation of the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources Wolf River Coastal Preserve DeLisle Unit, DeLisle, Mississippi*. DHS/FEMA MSRO. Submitted to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson.

RELEVANT SKILLS

Field	Project management; Desktop cultural resource evaluation; Phase I survey, Phase II testing, and Phase III mitigation excavation experience; GPS mapping, data collection, and navigation; Map and compass navigation; Total station survey and mapping; Able to pull Texas Antiquities and Archeological Resource Protection Act permits; Secretary of the Interior Qualified
Laboratory	Artifact processing and treatment; Prehistoric (lithics, ceramics, shell, basic faunal) and historical artifact analysis; Records and artifact curation
Research	Research design development; Grant proposal writing and budgeting; Academic and technical report writing; Quantitative and qualitative data analysis; Genealogical research; Deeds research; U.S. Census and city directory data collection; Other archival research
Computer	GIS software: ArcMap, ArcGIS Pro, ArcGIS Field Maps Application, QGIS Space syntax software: depthmap_x, Space syntax toolbox in QGIS Statistics: basic SPSS, R, and JMP Design software: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator Microsoft software: Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Access, Outlook Websites: Ancestry research, WordPress site design, ArcGIS StoryMap design

Professional website: <https://people.smu.edu/kcross/>