

JACOB BUMGARDNER

English Language and Literature Ph.D. — Rackham Graduate School

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EDUCATION

University of Florida

B.S. English

Department Honor Program; Focus on Studies in Theory and Culture
Minor in Art History

Gainesville, FL

May 2024

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

Conferences:

American Psychoanalytic Association (APsaA) Annual Meeting

February 2023

Attendee

University of Florida English Society Conference

April 2023

Panelist/Presenter of “The Reader's Power: Digital Media and Figures of the Implied Reader”

B.A. Thesis

The Great American Front Lawn: Cultivation Narratives, Colonialism, and Cultural Ecologies

University of Florida English Department, Supervised Honors Thesis

May 2024

- Permalink: <https://ufdc.ufl.edu/AA00098436>

HONORS AND AWARDS

Lipsky Award

2023

- For academic excellence within the English discipline

Member — Sigma Tau Delta UF Chapter

2023

- A national English honor society.

VOLUNTEER & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Stage Manager/Technical Director

Gainesville, FL

Florida Players, Gainesville, FL

Sept. 2021 - May 2022

- Organized and supported teams, galvanizing them to produce exceptional performances
- Responsible for clear logistical communication to large casts and design teams
- Part of an educational program, teaching elements of theater to members
- Focused on the process of building a thorough understanding of a play, involving many sessions of working with cast and crew to build a strong understanding of the material

UF ICC (Imagining Climate Change) “Trees!” Initiative

Jan. 2023 - Present

- Planted trees as a way of beautifying and making sustainable the local ecosystem

OTHER SKILLS

Technical Skills: Printmaking, Photography, Videography, Sound Production, Computer Architecture | MLA Style, Coding (Python, Javascript, HTML), GitHub, Wordpress, Multimedia Production, Statistical Analysis (IBM SPSS, Minitab, etc.) | MS Office Suite, Google Cloud Services, Adobe Suite, Various Open-Source Equivalents to Adobe Suite/MS Office (e.g. GIMP/LibreOffice), | Computer Emulation and Virtual Machines, Every Major OS (Mac, Windows, Linux; use, not design)

Soft Skills & Languages: Critical Editing, Disability Accommodation, Empathetic Communication, Organization | Latin (Adv.), French (Interm.), Mandarin (Interm.), German (Reading), Nahuatl (Reading)