

CURRICULUM VITA

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Current Position Associate Scientist, Department of Anthropology,
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Director: Milwaukee County Poor Farm Skeletal Project UWM
Archaeological Research Laboratory

Former Position Research Associate & Principal Investigator, Great Lakes
Archaeological Research Center, Inc. (GLARC)

Education

1983-1997 Ph.D. The University of Wisconsin-
Milwaukee, August 1997

Dissertation Title: *Unknown Man No. 198*
The Archaeology of the Milwaukee County Poor Farm
Cemetery.

Doctoral specialties: Mortuary analysis; Eastern North
America; Historic Period Archaeology; culture change; culture
contact.

1979-1982 The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.
M.S. (Anthropology) 1981
Thesis title: *The Historic Winnebago: Settlement*
and Subsistence in the Crawfish and Rock River
Valleys.

1982 Certified; Museum Studies Program - Milwaukee
Public Museum and the University of Wisconsin-
Milwaukee.

1976-1978 The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
B.A. (Anthropology) 1978

1972-1974 The University of Wisconsin Center System -
Waukesha County

Professional

I have over 30 years of experience in private sector and academic
cultural resource management. I have served as Principle
Investigator on more than 130 archaeological and historical
investigations throughout the Midwest. I have previously conducted
several major archaeological investigations on the Milwaukee
County Grounds including archival research, field reconnaissance,
testing, and archaeological excavation of a portion of the Milwaukee
County Poor Farm Cemetery Richards (1993, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2010).

Excavation of Human Remains

2013 – Project Director, Milwaukee County Pauper Cemetery
Excavations, Wisconsin
2010 Schrage Site, Calumetville, Wisconsin
2006 –Old Catholic Cemetery, Milwaukee Wisconsin
1992-1993 Project Director, Milwaukee County Pauper Cemetery
Excavations, Wisconsin
1979--Blood- Barforth Mound Group, Waukesha Co., Wisconsin
1978 Convent Knoll, Red Ochre Cemetery, Waukesha Co., Wisconsin
1975 Historic Chippewa Cemetery, Madeline Island, Wisconsin
1974 Oneota Ossuary , Pipe Site, Fond du Lac Co. ,Wisconsin

Teaching

1997- present Academic Staff, UWM Dept. of Anthropology
Two Classes per semester including : Archaeology, Physical
Anthropology, Human Evolution ,Human Skelton, Wisconsin Indians,
and Archaeological Methods and Techniques, Professionalism in
Anthropology, Seminar in Historic Cemeteries, Historic Archaeology

1997-1993 Lecturer, UWM Dept. of Anthropology

1989-1990 Lecturer, UWM Dept. of Anthropology
Approaches to Archaeology (156-103)

1988-1989 Lecturer, UWM Dept. of Anthropology

Lecturer, UW-Parkside Div. of Behavioral Science

1987-1988 Lecturer, UWM Dept. Of Anthropology

1985-1987 Teaching Assistant, UWM Dept. of Anthropology

1984 Teaching Assistant, UWM Dept. of Anthropology
Archaeological Field School - Aztalan, Wisconsin

1978 Teaching Assistant, UW-Center:Waukesha Co.
Archaeological Field School - Mile Long Site,
Wisconsin

Memberships

American Anthropological Society
Society for American Archaeology
European Archaeological Association
Wisconsin Archaeological Survey-Board Member
Wisconsin Archeological Society – Board member

Awards

2014 Wisconsin Archeological Society Robert A. Ritzenthaler Award

Recent Technical Reports, Publications and Papers

- 2014 “All lie down together and are soon forgotten.” *The Milwaukee County Poor Farm Cemetery Project*. 79th Annual Meeting of the Society For American Archaeology Austin Texas,
- 2014 *Impotent, Able Bodied, or Idle: Untangling the Poor buried in Milwaukee County Poor Farm Cemetery*. European Association of Archaeologists in Istanbul, Turkey
- 2014 Archaeology Public Interpretation for USH 151 in Wisconsin for WDOT.
http://archaeolab.anthro.uwm.edu/wisdot_cr/public_interpretation/US_151/
- 2014 Archaeological Investigations of Uncatalogued Burial Site: 47WL0004/BWL0092, Delavan Lake, Walworth County, Wisconsin. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 227.
- 2014 Data Recovery at the Vandermissen Brickworks, 47DR388, Door County, Wisconsin. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 219.
- 2012 Archaeological Investigations Within Uncatalogued Burial Site 7WT0019/BWT-0016. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 187.
- 2011 Preliminary Report of Archaeological Investigations at Three Sites (WK-0165, WK-0464, and WK-0591) on the Pabst Farms Development Property, Waukesha County, Wisconsin. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 185.
- 2011 Final Report Of Archaeological Investigations At Three Sites (Wk-0165, Wk-0464, And Wk-0591) On The Pabst Farms Development Property, Waukesha County, Wisconsin. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 186.
- 2011 Report of Archaeological Investigations of Sub-Roadbed Deposits at the Schrage Site, Calumetville, Wisconsin . University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Archaeological Research Laboratory. ARL-ROI Number 180.
- 2010 Archaeological Investigations of the UWM Development Area at the Milwaukee County Grounds, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.. *UWM Archaeological Research Laboratory Report of Investigations No 176*. Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- 2008 Children of the “Old Catholic Cemetery” of Milwaukee, Wisconsin: Great Lakes Métis and American Indian children of the mid 19th century. Paper presented in Symposium: “Children in the Archaeological Record” at the Sixth World Archaeological Congress, Dublin, Ireland, June 29-July 4, 2008.
- 2008 Served as Organizer and Chair of Symposium *Hebior to Hanson: David F. Overstreet Retrospective Symposium in Honor of a Wisconsin Archaeological Icon*: presented at 54th Annual Midwest Archaeological Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 15-18, 2008.
- May 2008 Archaeological and Osteological Analysis of Burials Recovered from the Old Catholic Cemetery, 47Mi-0542, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin. *UWM Archaeological Research Laboratory Report of Investigations No 160*. Milwaukee, Wisconsin

2007 *The Old Catholic Cemetery, Milwaukee, Wisconsin* Paper presented at the 72nd Annual . Society for American Archaeology Meeting, Austin, Texas, April 25-29, 2007.

2006 *And Gave Them for the Potter's Field* Paper presented at the 71st Annual Society for American Archaeology Meeting, San Juan Puerto Rico, April 26-30, 2006.

2003 *After the Great Fire: Archaeology at the Vandermissen Brickworks (47DR388)* MAC

2003 *I Should Have Dug Red banks. The Wisconsin Archaeologist* 84 (1&2). (Published 2004)

Archaeological Field Experience

- 1997-present Assistant Director, Historic Resource Management Services, UWM
Archaeological Research Laboratory, UWM Dept of Anthropology
- 1990-1997 Research Associate (GLARC), Principal Investigator-archaeological
and historical investigations throughout Wisconsin.
- 1989 Site Director, Henshel Site. Archaeological Rescue;
Milwaukee Public Museum
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Milwaukee Public Museum
- 1987 Field Assistant, Goose Lake Archaeological Project.
Marla Buckmaster, P.I.
- 1986 Crew Member, Trout Point Site.
Elizabeth Benchley, P.I.
- 1985 Crew Member, Kumlein Mound Group Mapping
Project. Jennifer Musil, Director.

Crew Member, Effigy Mound Site Survey Project.
Jennifer Musil, Director.
- 1984 Teaching Assistant, Southeastern Wisconsin
Archaeological Project excavations and field
school, Aztalan Site. Lynne Goldstein, P.I.
- 1984 Field Assistant, UWM Amalucan Archaeological
Project, Puebla, Mexico. Melvin Fowler, P.I.
- 1980 Field Assistant, Archaeological Recovery at
11RI217, An Early Middle Woodland lithic
processing site at Milan, Ill. Allen Van Dyke,
Director
- 1979 Field Supervisor, Archaeological survey and test
excavations in the Fox River drainage -
Waukesha, Racine and Kenosha Counties, Wi.
David Overstreet, P.I.
- 1978 Field Supervisor, Archaeological Recovery at
11RI337, An Early Middle Woodland shell

- Director. midden at East Moline, Ill. Allen Van Dyke
- Site Director, Archaeological Investigations at 47W1110, the Mile Long Site. David Overstreet, P.I.
- 1977 Field Assistant, Cultural Resource Inventory of the Chippewa River Flowage, Sawyer Co., Wi. Mark Bruhy, Director.
- 1976 Field Assistant, Great Lakes Archaeological Research Center - under the direction of Gordon R. Peters. Individual Phase I, archaeological inventory and Phase II, archaeological assesment projects in Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois.
- 1975 Field Supervisor, Apostle Island National Lakeshore Archaeological Survey and Testing. David Overstreet, P.I.
- 1974 Field Assistant, Rock River Archaeological Survey, Illinois. Robert Birmingham, Director.
- Field School, UW Center-Waukesha Co. The Pipe Site, Pipe, Wi. David Overstreet, Director.
- 1973 Field School, UW Center-Waukesha Co. Silver Mound, Hixton, Wi. David Overstreet, Director.