



Alumni Profile

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BA Hons '12 History and Bioarchaeological Anthropology

Current Career

Organization: Brock University

Title: Skills Translation Coordinator

Career Overview

My role as Skills Translation Coordinator at Brock University is to help students, staff, and faculty make meaningful connections between skills, education, and the labour market. In this role, I developed a competency-based career education framework and a large part of my job is to facilitate its implementation across the university. My goal is to help students identify, reflect on, and effectively translate their academic knowledge, skills, and experience into a career-ready context.

How did King's prepare you for your current role?

The small class sizes and engaged faculty played a large part in my academic and professional success. My History degree at King's gave me a broad range of historical knowledge and empowered me to develop the core skills that have formed the basis of my career. Studying History prepared me to enter the world and the workforce, encouraging me to think critically, engage with my community, and become civically engaged.

What advice would you give to a current student looking to enter your field?

Enjoy your time at King's and get involved in things that interest you, especially outside your program and subject matter. Reach out to your professors for feedback and support: they are an incredible well of knowledge and experience. Consider not only the content of your courses, but the skills you are gaining as a student of history!

Additional Education:

MA '17 Anthropology, Trent University

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