**Marissa M. Gavin**

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**Education**

**Doctor of Philosophy, History**

University of California-Irvine May 2028 (expected)

**Masters of Arts, History**

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee May 2023

**Bachelor of Arts**

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee                                       May 2021

* Major: History
* Honors: *Cum Laude*

**Publications**

* “The Thirty Meter Telescope Project Exemplifies Scientific Progress and Indigenous Dispossession,” *HistoryNewsNetwork.org*
* *Translating the Enlightenment: Women Translators in Eighteenth-Century France*, ProQuest, 2023.
	+ Thesis completed for Master’s degree.

**Research and Teaching Areas**

* French history, women’s and gender history, critical theory, social and cultural history, indigenous studies

**Higher Education Experience**

**Teaching Assistant,** HIST151-201 American History 1607-1877

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee January 2023-May 2023

* Assist with students’ questions and concerns
* Provide supplemental instruction for students
* Grade and provide feedback on discussion posts and essay exams

**Research Assistant,** Department of Political Science

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee January 2022- May 2022

* Collaborate with professor to determine complimentary research questions and approaches
* Utilize creative research techniques to develop and expand the bibliographic source list
* Edit and complete citations for the professor’s upcoming publications

**Leadership Certification, Ignite Leadership Program**

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee         September 2021- November 2021

* Collaborated to create templates and directions for mindful and inclusive leadership
* Learned transferable skills to apply to teaching and leadership opportunities to promote diversity and inclusivity

**Academic Activity and Participation**

**Papers Presented**

* “Gender Relations in the Practice of Aboriginal Child Removal in Australia," Michael Gordon History Graduate Conference, Milwaukee, WI, April 22-23 2022
* “The Gendered Nature of Aboriginal Child Removal in Australia,” Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference, Boulder, CO, September 16-18 2022
* “Gender in the Structures and Practices of Aboriginal Child Removal in Australia,” Loyola History Graduate Conference, Chicago, IL, February 11-12 2023
* “Kanak Women and New Caledonian Sovereignty Claims,” Michael Gordon History Graduate Conference, Milwaukee, WI, April 28-29 2023
	+ Cancelled due to illness

**Leadership Experience**

**DECADE Department Representative**

University of California – Irvine September 2023-May 2024

**POWER (Peers Offering Wellness Education Resources) Ambassador**

University of California – Irvine September 2023-May 2024

**Mentorship Excellence Program Certificate**

University of California-Irvine September 2023-December 2023

**Pedagogical Humanities Certificate**

University of California-Irvine September 2023-December 2023

**Competitive Edge Program**

University of California - Irvine August 2023-September 2023

**Substitute Teacher K-12**

Teachers on Call           April 2022- Current

**Research and Archives Intern**

Waukesha County Historical Society and Museum           May 2021- September 2021

**Certifications**

* T910 – Teaching – Short Term Substitute License
* French language – Advanced Reading; Intermediate Speaking; Intermediate Writing