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Honoring Our Nabb Family

Many states have designated October as Family History Month. The Nabb Research Center honors its own "family" by introducing these important members of the Nabb family, our interns, graduate assistants and student staff members to you. Without their hard work and dedication, very little of the work that we do would be possible. I hope that you will join me in celebrating these most valuable members of the Nabb Research Center's family!

- Dr. G. Ray Thompson, Director and Co-Founder



My name is **Ashley Ennals**, and I joined the Nabb Research Center staff in 2007 as a work-study student. From Cambridge, MD, I am currently a senior majoring in finance. I perform clerical duties such as filing and data entry. My future plans include moving across the bay to Annapolis.

My name is **Jess Glazer** and I am a senior communication arts major, focusing on public relations. With an art minor, I try to use my creativity and imagination to enhance my work. I am also captain of the SU's women's lacrosse team. From Ellicott City, MD, I plan to travel after graduation and work in the public relations field.



Greetings! My name is **Jessica St. Sulme**. I am a senior from Landover, MD. I am pursuing a double major in business and finance and a double minor in accounting and hotel management in SU's Perdue School of Business. At the current time, I am completing a Nabb internship digitalizing documents and other important material belonging to Franklin P. Perdue. I hope to use this internship to learn more about the successes and shortcomings of a successful business organization and to use those principles and standards and apply them to my own ambitions to be a self-made business woman.

My name is **Julie Messick**. I recently graduated from Parkside High School where, during my junior and senior years, I attended Wor-Wic Community College. This fall I transferred to SU as a political science major. I have always been interested in history and I really love the work I am doing here as an archival assistant. I have been working on a collection of items from my great-grandfather which has piqued my interest in my family's history.



My name is **Kellie Mooney**. As a senior public relations and marketing major, I am working at the Nabb Center on a practicum. I have been given the opportunity to write press releases on the various events with which I will be assisting. I like working in an environment where I have the opportunity to interact with the public. For me, the best fit is public relations and marketing. My dream job would be to work at a PR firm where I could help plan events and gain recognition for clients in need. With the help of SU and the Nabb Center, this practicum is allowing me to gain hands on experience and become well-rounded, which will prove to be invaluable when I graduate in May.

My name is **Matthew Griffin** and I came to the Nabb Research Center as a work-study student in spring 2008. A native of Salisbury, my interest in computer hardware and software has led me to pursue a degree in information systems. Never one to let my skills go to waste, I am currently working on the Nabb Research database, a future online exhibit, and minor changes to the Nabb Web site. After graduation, I hope to find a job as a computer programmer with a local company.



My name is **Matt Hollis**, and I am currently studying for my M.A. in history at Salisbury University. I received my B.A. at Washington College in Chestertown, MD. My interests center around East Asia, Russia and 20th century avant-garde music. My aim is to teach.

My name is **Leah Hoenen**. Growing up in Lewes, DE, I was surrounded by history and people who loved to share tales of their lives, local history and area people. Initially, my historical interests rested solely with large, world-altering events. But, as a reporter for the *Cape Gazette*, and as research assistant and oral-history coordinator at the Lewes Historical Society, my interests have broadened, and I find that I am increasingly interested in the people who make their livelihoods from and whose art is influenced by the natural areas that surround us. I have seen how history affects everyday people, and I hope that my work with Digitizing Delmarva's Heritage and Traditions will bring many such stories to Wicomico County residents.



"We're History... Without You"



My name is **Lee Krempel** and I am in my final year at Salisbury University as an English major with a concentration in literature. I'm a local, living in Berlin and graduating from Stephen Decatur High School in 2000. I know and love the Eastern Shore. After this academic year, I will be pursuing a post-graduate degree in English with the intention of ultimately teaching American literature at the university level. As a lover of literature, I hope to bring a storytelling sensibility to the study of the rich history of Delmarva, attempting to make the past come to vivid life.

I am **Kentoya L. Downing-Garcia**, a native of Virginia's Eastern Shore and a graduate assistant at Nabb. My interest in history began when I was enlisted in the United States Army. I began exploring my own family history and the history of the Eastern Shore of Virginia. As a graduate student, I plan to study modern (19th and 20th century) U.S. history with an interest in African-American history and gender studies.



Exhibits, Events & Notes

"At the Whim of the Waters: A Photographic Exhibit of a Disappearing Island Culture"

October 12-November 20 • Nabb Research Center Gallery
This exhibit of historic photographs depicts life on Smith Island, a small, remote island in the Chesapeake Bay.

"To Your Tents, O Israel: The Life of Reverend Andrew Manship, Holy Entrepreneur" With Rev. Joseph Di Paolo

Wednesday, October 14 • Nabb Research Center Gallery, 7 p.m.
Co-sponsored by the Peninsula Conference Methodist Historical Society.

"Firefest"

Thursday, October 15, Noon-3 p.m. & Friday, October 16, Noon-3 p.m. & 5-7 p.m. • City Center Building, Downtown Plaza, Salisbury
This exhibit commemorating the great Salisbury fire of 1886, includes historic photographs from the Nabb Research Center collections.
Presented by Urban Salisbury.

"African American History Discussion: Viewing History Through Newspapers" With Author and Local Historian Linda Dwyer

Thursday, October 22 • Nabb Research Center Gallery, 7 p.m.

"Prince to Tyrant: What Changed Henry VIII?" With Suzannah Lipscomb, Research Curator at Hampton Court Palace

Friday, October 30 • Holloway Hall Auditorium, 7 p.m.

"From Slavery to Civil Rights: Pine Street of Cambridge, Maryland" With William Jarmon and Author David "Nicky" Henry

Wednesday, November 4 • Nabb Research Center Gallery, 7 p.m.