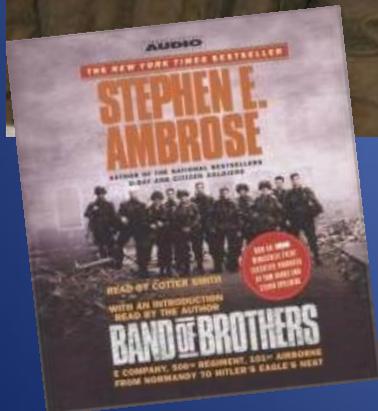


What can you do as a student of the  
Department of History?

# Meet interesting people...



At the National World War II Museum, UNO History students meet Lynn “Buck” Compton of the famous Band of Brothers, chronicled by UNO historian Stephen Ambrose.

# Help Preserve History

At the National World War II Museum, the patrol torpedo boat PT-305 is being restored to its Second World War condition. The restoration work is done by a volunteer crew, including UNO History Students.





# Meet new friends

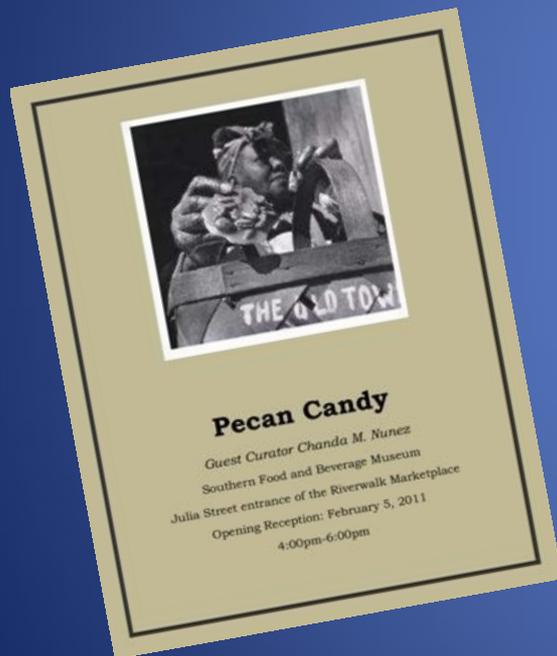
For several years, history students have participated in the educational panels of the Oak Street Po-boy festival. Graduate student Lauren Milner poses with the Roman Candy mule during Po-boy Fest.

# Travel to do research



UNO Graduate Student Eva Maltschnig, an exchange student from Austria, stands outside the White House in Washington, DC. Eva traveled to Washington to visit the National Archives as part of her thesis research on World War II Austrian War Brides.

# Share your findings



Chanda M. Nunez discusses her research into the history of pralines and praline vendors during her poster presentation at the National Council on Public History conference.

# Discover New Orleans



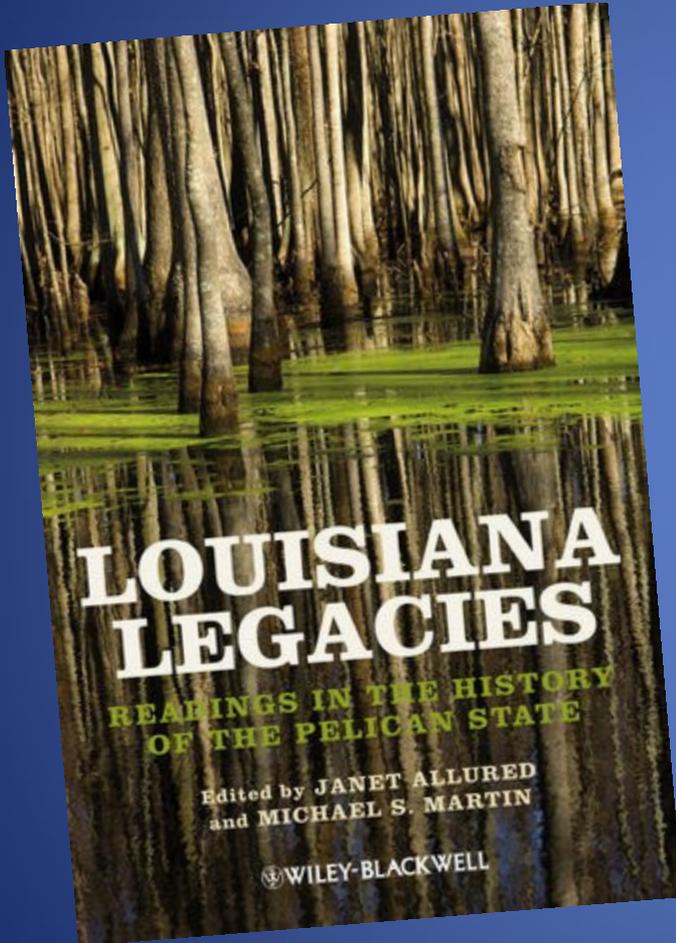
UNO history students tour three of the Louisiana State Museum facilities in the French Quarter as part of the history department's annual Spring Break field trip to the historic New Orleans French Quarter. The current curator of the LSM, Greg Lambousy, is a former UNO history student as well.

# Follow your passion



History student Josh Schick has been a volunteer on the PT-305 Restoration at the World War Two Museum since boyhood. He is now a vital part of its mission.

# Publish your work



Alan Gauthreaux's MA thesis was published in *Louisiana Legacies: Readings in the History of the Pelican State*. "An Inhospitable Land," tells the history of Italian immigrants in Louisiana . His upcoming book, *An Extreme Prejudice: Anti-Italian Sentiment and Violence in Louisiana, 1855-1924* will be released soon.



Alan is now an instructor of history and works with the Oral History Project at the West Bank Campus of Delgado College.

# Get access and get ahead!



UNO students often volunteer at the many international conventions that New Orleans attracts. Here, our students are working the International Association of Popular Music Annual Conference in 2011.

Today, L-R, Shawn Ryder, MA UNO, is Director of Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame, Anna and Lauren Lastrapes have their PhDs, and John Mangipano is a PhD student at Southern Mississippi.

# Plan an exhibition



As a student, Paula Fortier interned at the Touro Infirmary Foundation archives where she planned and mounted an exhibition titled "Touro at War: WWI" drawn from her thesis research into the role of nurses and the New Orleans Red Cross in World War I. Paula Fortier, MA UNO, is currently employed as the Archivist of Touro Infirmary, now in charge of the archives where she once interned.



# Join Phi Alpha Theta



History chair Andrew Goss stands with some newly inducted members of the UNO chapter of Phi Alpha Theta in 2011..



# Take charge

In 2010, Graduate Student Amber Nicholson, now a PhD candidate, served as an intern with the French Quarter Festival, the largest free festival in the South. By 2011 she was running the headquarters tent. The history department has a long-standing relationship with several local festivals, ensuring an educational component to the fun.

# Take part in major research projects



UNO graduate student John Mangipano combs through the Orleans Parish School Board minutes capturing names and summarizing Board meetings. John was part of a Board of Regents grant won by the department that employed history grad students to conduct original research. The school board records, dating from 1842 – the present day, are just some of the gems located at the University of New Orleans library.

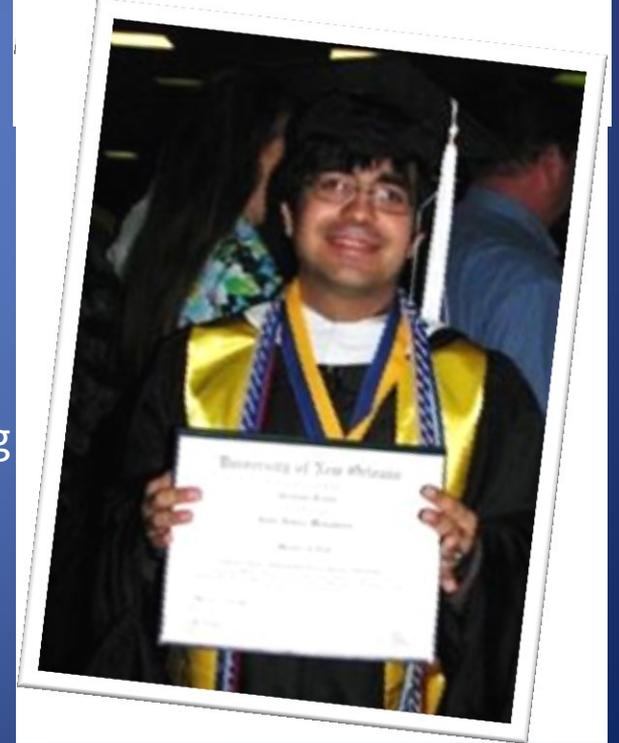
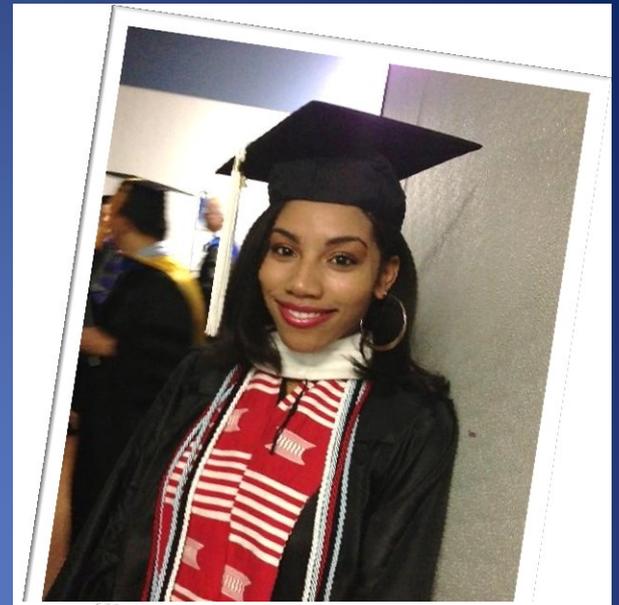
# Mix work with fun!

It's all about the bread!

Grad students give out free Leidenheimer po-boy bread at the Oak Street Po-boy Festival. Public history students were active in the educational component of the festival (and the tasting, as well! )

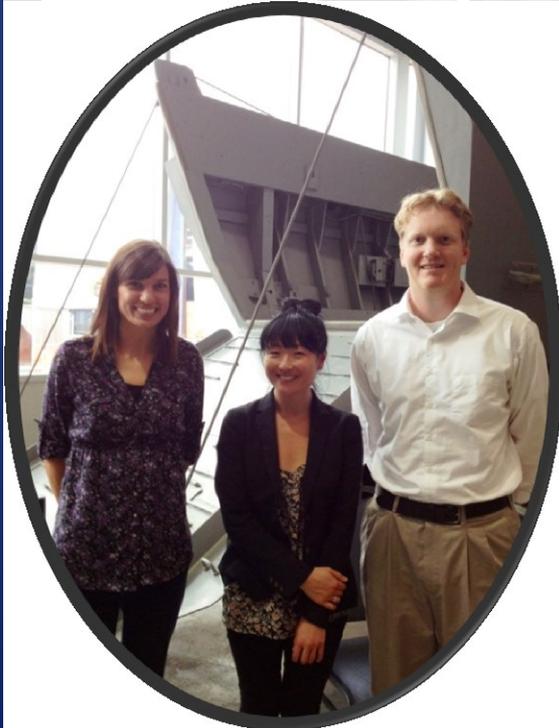


# Graduate!



*The American Historical Association* has listed UNO's Department of History as one of the top 20 in the nation for its MA students successfully completing PhDs at leading universities. With our professors from the best universities along with UNO's designation as THE university whose students graduate with the lowest debt of any other university in the nation, and New Orleans as your campus, who wouldn't want to come to UNO????

# Become a working historian



Clockwise from left, recent UNO history students now employed historians: Executive Assistant to the VP / Chief Operating Officer Nicole Romagosa, Assistant to the VP for Institutional Advancement Megan Franich, and Special Projects Historian Tom Gibbs, WWII Museum Victoria Baiamonte, manager, Ft Pike State Historic Site; Paula Fortier, archivist, Touro Infirmary Archives; Joe Stoltz, US Military Academy Rowan Fellow in Military History; Remesia Shields, archivist, Archdiocese of NO.

Presentation created by UNO history student

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