

AMERICAN ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY

Annual Report

2023–2024





The American Antiquarian Society cultivates a deeper understanding of the American past, grounded in its ever-growing collection of printed and manuscript sources. The Society fosters a broad community of inquiry through inclusive programs and generous support for scholarship.

Left: Participants in the Center for Historic American Visual Culture summer seminar peruse materials in the reading room.

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Right: Jennifer Merriman (left) and Erika Barrios, participants in the summer seminar, Comparative Migrations and Multilingual Cultures of Print, sponsored by the Program in the History of the Book in American Culture.

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Letter from the Council Chair



I was introduced to the American Antiquarian Society during my freshman year at Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut. As an eager young student, I enrolled in the popular course, “The City in American History,” taught by the late AAS member Glenn Weaver (1917–2000; elected April 1981). Toward the end of the semester, Glenn invited his students on a road trip to Worcester for a tour of Antiquarian Hall. That was the start of a long friendship with Glenn, and it inspired me to pursue a doctorate in American history. While my career path ultimately went in a different direction, my passion for American history stayed with me. Some years ago, I had the good fortune to befriend former Council chair Sid Lapidus (elected October 1996), and he reconnected me with this important organization.



The world has changed dramatically since my first visit to AAS in 1976. The new digital landscape is just one example. As an organization, we are still discovering how and where the Society fits in this evolving paradigm, using lessons learned during the recent pandemic to shape our thinking about the future. From developing and increasing access to digital collections to expanding participation in our vibrant research community through the Diana Korzenik Virtual Research Fellowships, AAS continues to explore new ways to be a resource for all. My exposure to the Society’s primary sources as an undergraduate sparked my lifelong interest in understanding our nation’s history. My hope is that in the future anyone, anywhere, can have that same transformative experience.

To accomplish the important work of growing and diversifying our collections and constituencies, our organization needs to be financially healthy. As you will see in the financial statement in this report, AAS’s position is strong. That is in large part because of the generosity of you—our members and donors. Your vital support helps AAS evolve and grow to meet the changing needs in our communities.

I am honored to serve as Council chair during these exciting times and am grateful to the staff and my fellow Council members, who have helped me tremendously during my first year.

Thank you all for contributing to AAS’s success.

Paul S. Sperry, Council Chair

Letter from the President



Meeting AAS members and friends, whether in Worcester or in their own communities, is among the delights of leading this great institution. During the past year, I visited members in Denver, the San Francisco Bay Area, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and across Delaware and Connecticut. Our conversations reminded me that people seek connection with one another and with AAS itself—through programs that showcase Americans’ complex history and through opportunities to engage with one another. I am grateful for our members’ hospitality and enthusiasm, especially those who hosted gatherings of AAS friends, supporters, and people new to our orbit.

Last year, our Worcester campus, including its virtual extension, continued to be a site of convening and community: for the twenty-four K–12 teachers who attended a weeklong workshop in August (see p. 15); for the scholars, artists, librarians, and collectors who participated in our symposia and seminars; for the hundreds of researchers who dug into the collections; and for all those who attended our public programs in person and on Zoom and YouTube.

Those who visited in person since March 2024 encountered scaffolding on 124-year-old Antiquarian Hall and listened to the noise of drilling and hammering. The restoration of our historic building’s brick, marble, and windows will ensure the safety of staff and researchers, the protection of our collections, and the beauty of this Worcester landmark for many years to come. The project, funded by the George I. Alden Trust, the Cultural Facilities Fund of the Mass Cultural Council, the Save America’s Treasures program of the National Park Service, and an anonymous foundation, was completed in November 2024. On the digital front—always a work in progress—we launched an updated website in the spring and our Historic Children’s Voices web portal in the summer. We also finished a project, funded by the Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation, to catalog and digitize more than six hundred images depicting women at work or created by women photographers, as part of our efforts to make visible people and places long underrepresented in print and visual culture.

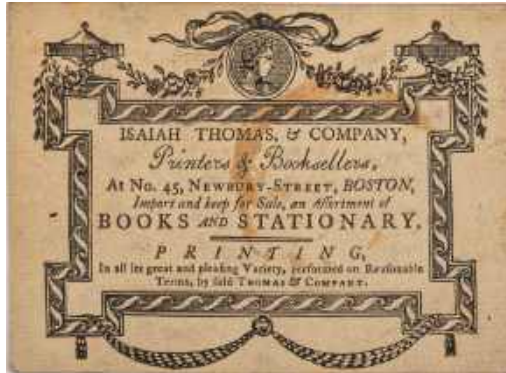
Sustaining and growing AAS’s collections and community takes a village. Our staff, nearly four dozen women and men dedicated to our mission and to the painstaking effort of fulfilling it, amaze me every day with their expertise, professionalism, and imagination. Our Council, now under Paul Sperry’s leadership, continues to support the staff and lend strategic vision. AAS members and friends, donors and community partners, and library users and program attendees contribute both intangible and material support that makes our continued efforts possible. On behalf of my colleagues, thank you for your ongoing commitment to this extraordinary place.

Scott E. Casper, President



Behind the Scenes at AAS

Below are highlights of some of the activities that took place during the year.



Among the 3,764 items cataloged last year was this eighteenth-century trade card discovered by North American Imprints Program Coordinator Alan Degutis inside an 1899 copy of Charles Nichols's *Bibliography of Worcester*. The volume, donated to AAS by the author in 1920, has been available to researchers ever since, but this evidence of Isaiah Thomas's business somehow remained hidden in its pages. Degutis's serendipitous find is the first trade card for an Isaiah Thomas business to be added to the AAS catalog. The card was printed in Boston, 1788-89.

Conservators completed treatments of 752 collection items, including ninety-eight issues of rare post-1814 Cuban newspapers and newly acquired issues of *The Patowmac Guardian* (1790-94), the first newspaper published in what is now West Virginia. Treatment consisted of bathing individual issues to neutralize acidified paper, followed by extensive paper repair as needed. Holes in several insect-damaged Cuban papers were filled with liquid paper pulp.

Right: Chief Conservator Babette Gehrich washes one of two hundred issues of The Patowmac Guardian acquired by AAS in January 2024. Treatment of the eighteenth-century newspapers began in the spring and was completed in October.



Researchers requested 7,243 collection items. The number of in-person library users grew by nearly 11 percent, returning to pre-COVID levels, with requests for newspapers, periodicals, and books and pamphlets increasing over the previous year. Mindy Buchanan-King (Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellow, 2024-25) examined this moveable book with anatomical plates of the human body, *Physicians' Anatomical Aid*, published in 1888, for her project, *(Un)Veiling Disease: Women's Breast Cancer and Concealed Diagnoses*.



A 250-year-old bottle of tea leaves was the most popular social media post of the year.

The tea, supposedly collected from Boston Harbor the morning after the Boston Tea Party, was donated to AAS in 1840 by Reverend Thaddeus M. Harris. Posted on December 16, 2023—the 250th anniversary of the 1773 protest—the image garnered 1,447 likes on Instagram and 439 likes, 32 comments, and 352 shares on Facebook.



More than one hundred digitized cookbooks, along with other related content, were added to the website. The oldest volume featured in Books for Cooks: Highlights from the AAS Cookbook Collection is *The Compleat Housewife: or, Accomplish'd Gentlewoman's Companion* (1742) by E. (Eliza) Smith, printed by William Parks, Williamsburg, Virginia. It includes “several hundred of the most approved receipts” as well as “near two hundred family receipts of medicines. . . never before made publick in these parts. . . .”



The most watched AAS program was *The Sewing Girl's Tale: A Story of Crime and Consequences in Revolutionary America* by John Wood Sweet (elected October 2023). The program took place in person and live streamed from Antiquarian Hall on September 7, 2023. More than 250 people watched it live, and more than 1,250 have viewed it on YouTube since then. Sweet's 2022 book of the same name won several awards, including the Bancroft Prize and the Francis Parkman Prize.



A news story about a researcher's discovery at AAS went viral. WBUR-FM reported on October 31, 2023, that Max Chapnick discovered in the AAS digital archives a possible new pseudonym used by Louisa May Alcott (shown at left). At least fifteen different press outlets—including the Associated Press, *The Boston Globe*, WGBH, *The Christian Science Monitor*, and *The Seattle Times*—subsequently picked up the news item.



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Acquisitions

In January 2024, the Council approved a collection development policy to align the Society’s collecting with the mission statement and 2021 Strategic Plan. It expands the collection scope to materials produced before 1900 and prioritizes those that elucidate the lived experiences, voices, and productions of people who were underrepresented by previous collecting practices. Last year, AAS acquired 3,080 objects from a variety of sources—collectors and dealers, online auctions, fairs, and gifts—and representing a wide range of subject areas and communities. These include:

- ❖ 600 pre-1900 books
- ❖ 382 pre-1900 newspaper and periodical titles
- ❖ 494 children’s literature items
- ❖ 825 graphic arts items and collections
- ❖ 237 manuscript items and collections
- ❖ 396 post-1900 books
- ❖ 146 journal subscriptions

Directorio de la Ciudad de la Habana y Estramuros, Habana: Soler y Comp., 1842.

Havana in the 1840s was one of the wealthiest cities in the Americas with a large and growing professional class. This rare, detailed 1842 city directory includes listings of residences, illustrated ads for businesses, information useful for traders and merchants, and more. The directory lists more than three thousand residents of the government and professional classes in Havana with their names, modes of employment or business, and addresses. Classified advertisements promote an array of products and services, including a hotel run by an Englishman, dry goods and fancy stores, a tailor, coach maker, optician, printer, and stores selling everything from musical instruments to confectionery.

John Cameron, *Longfellow*, hand-colored lithograph, New York: Currier & Ives, 1871.

John Samples (d. 1912) was born around 1857 to enslaved parents in Midway, Kentucky. He was the jockey for the thoroughbred racehorse, Longfellow (also known as “King of the Turf”), who won thirteen of the sixteen contests he ran in the 1870s. Samples appears in nearly every print of Longfellow but is never identified by name. Black jockeys and handlers were common in the racing industry as early as the colonial period. This print is one in a group of forty-six Currier & Ives sporting prints and trade cards donated to AAS this year. The gift of Roger Stelle.



J. D. Hunt Diaries, 1888–1890.

J. D. Hunt, an itinerant book canvasser and salesperson, traveled throughout the western United States in the 1880s and 1890s. In his diaries, he describes traveling through Kansas, Colorado, Utah, and California, selling books and wax and paper flowers that he crafted. He also writes about his visit to the penitentiary in Cañon City, Colorado, and Mormon politics during an election in Salt Lake City. Hunt had an unidentified physical disability that required the use of crutches, and in 1890 he describes a supposed miraculous treatment by Christian Scientist Ada Surbaugh.



A group of dime novels, including (center) *Marline Manley, Dave Barton, or The False Guide. A Thrilling Tale of the Far West*, New York: Ornum & Company, circa 1873.

Over the past year AAS added to its already extensive collection of dime novels, so called because they sold for ten cents. Thousands of these inexpensive, sensational novels, aimed primarily at boys, were published in the latter half of the nineteenth century. They featured brightly colored, dramatic covers, such as the one titled *Dave Barton*, which shows a ghost hovering over a campfire. The title page lists the author of this “thrilling tale of the far West” as Marline Manley, which was a pseudonym used by Kentucky-born author St. George Rathborne (1854–1938). Like many other nineteenth-century authors who wrote for popular audiences, Rathborne churned out hundreds of similar titles. *Dave Barton* was the gift of Bill Bryson (elected May 2014).



Historic Children's Voices symposium leader, Karen Sánchez-Eppler (elected October 2005), delivers the keynote address "How to Put Away Childish Things: Children's Cultural Production and the Hermeneutics of Care" in May 2024.

Programs

During fiscal year 2024, 2,873 people from 41 states and 23 countries participated in AAS's free public programs. Topics ranged widely, from the Haitian Revolution to the poetry of Phillis Wheatley and from a scandalous New York City divorce to the history of pockets in fashion. Of the thirty-two programs, eighteen were held both in person and live streamed online, and fourteen were held virtually.

In addition, the Society hosted the American Studies Undergraduate Seminar—**Water, Land, and Ecology: Doing Environmental History in Early America** (fall 2023); the Center for Historic American Visual Culture seminar—**Disability Histories in the Visual Archive: Redress, Protest, and Justice** (June 2024); the Program in the History of the Book in American Culture seminar—**Comparative Migrations and Multilingual Cultures of Print** (July 2024); a Historic Children's Voices (HCV) symposium (May 2024); and an HCV K–12 teacher institute (August 2024).

In a September 2023 program based on her new book, *Prints of a New Kind: Political Caricature in the United States, 1789–1828*, Allison M. Stagg detailed the political strategies and scandals that inspired the first generation of American caricaturists. Using colorful caricature prints by James Akin and William Charles from AAS's collections, she explored caricatures that mocked politicians and events reported in newspapers, the reactions captured in personal papers of the politicians being satirized, and the lives of the artists who lampooned them.





Manisha Sinha (elected October 2006) launched her new book, *The Rise and Fall of the Second American Republic: Reconstruction*, at AAS on March 26, 2024.* In a conversation with John Stauffer (elected April 2024), Sinha discussed her groundbreaking research that expands our understanding of Reconstruction and challenges existing views of this consequential period in American history. In a sweeping narrative, Sinha shows how the great contest of that age is also the great contest of our age—and serves as a necessary reminder of how young and fragile our democracy is. Sinha conducted much of the research for her book at AAS as the Mellon Distinguished Scholar in Residence in 2020–21.

**The Rise and Fall of the Second American Republic: Reconstruction* and *Freeman's Challenge: The Murder That Shook America's Original Prison for Profit* were filmed by the cable network C-SPAN and added to its archives at c-span.org.

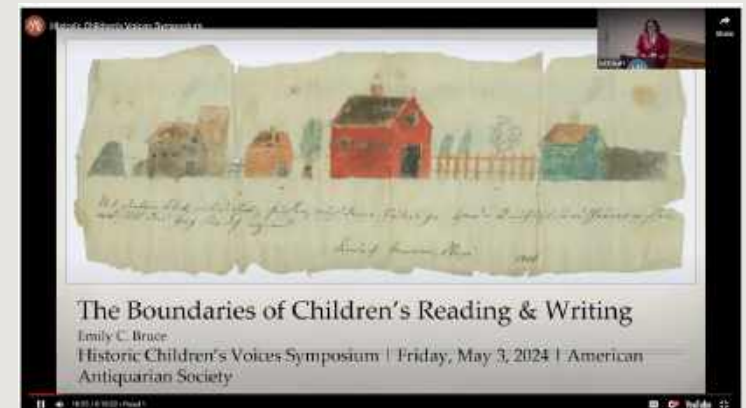
During the early nineteenth century, as slavery gradually ended in the North, the village of Auburn, New York, invented a new form of unfreedom: the profit-driven prison. In an April 2024 program, Robin Bernstein (elected November 2013) discussed her new book, *Freeman's Challenge: The Murder That Shook America's Original Prison for Profit* (2024).* In a conversation with Kevin Quashie, Black studies and cultural literary studies professor at Brown University, Bernstein reflected on the story of William Freeman, an Afro-Native teenager convicted of a horse theft he insisted he did not commit and sentenced to five years of hard labor in Auburn's prison. His demand for wages triggered violence: first against him, then by him.





In June 2024, community members explored letters, diaries, newspapers, and books that children wrote and produced in the nineteenth century—revealing the writers’ lively imaginations, creativity, beliefs, and concerns about issues of the day. This **Chat with a Curator** event included a hands-on workshop on binding a booklet, led by Chief Conservator Babette Gehrlich. The program was held in conjunction with the Historic Children’s Voices project.

Sixteen emerging and established scholars, whose work amplifies the voices of nineteenth-century American children or explores the archival silences of underrepresented children, presented their research at the **Historic Children’s Voices Symposium** on May 2 and 3, 2024. The symposium corresponded with the launch of the Society’s new Historic Children’s Voices web resource, which makes freely accessible more than fifteen thousand digitized pages of child-authored materials preserved at AAS. The digitization project and symposium were funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.



The Center for Historic American Visual Culture (CHAViC) summer seminar, **Disability Histories in the Visual Archive: Redress, Protest, and Justice**, focused on the visual and material cultures of disability in eighteenth- and nineteenth-century North America. Held in June, the weeklong program was led by Laurel Daen, assistant professor of American studies at the University of Notre Dame, and Jennifer Van Horn, associate professor of art history and history at the University of Delaware.

The overlapping of migration and print culture with the histories of early American communities was the focus of the summer seminar, **Comparative Migrations and Multilingual Cultures of Print**, sponsored by the Program in the History of the Book in American Culture. The weeklong July program was led by Rodrigo Lazo (elected October 2010), professor of literature at the University of California, Santa Cruz, and Patrick Erben, professor of English at the University of West Georgia.

Twenty-four social studies and language arts teachers from seventeen states traveled to AAS in August for the five-day **Historic Children's Voices K-12 Teacher Institute**. Educators participated in hands-on workshops using AAS's collections of early American books for children and children's own writings from the colonial period through the nineteenth century. The institute was led by Karen Sánchez-Eppler, L. Stanton Williams 1941 Professor of American Studies and English at Amherst College (elected October 2005), and Allison Bass-Riccio, department chair of English at Cheshire Academy in Cheshire, Connecticut.

Right (left to right): CHAViC summer seminar participants Matthew Sparacio, Alissa Butler, Anna Marley, Laurel Daen (seminar leader), and Sarah Chinn.



Research

Forty-seven fellows, supported by twenty-one different fellowships, conducted research on an array of topics, from early American politics and Black print culture to nineteenth-century hairdressing and the history of American lacemaking. In addition, three Diana Korzenik Virtual Research Fellows advanced their research—on environmental history in Maryland, Black-owned art collections, and psychiatric and medical care—while participating in the fellowship community remotely.

The opportunity to peruse the collections of primary sources housed at AAS brings researchers from around the world to Antiquarian Hall. However, as nearly every fellow attests in their end-of-fellowship report, the collections are just part of the research experience here. Fellows develop and hone ideas, theses, and stories through discussions with AAS staff members and other fellows. These productive, often unplanned exchanges of ideas and feedback provide valuable inspiration, direction, and support to the scholars, graduate students, artists, and writers whose work in turn will advance a deeper understanding of the American past.



“The other fellows and I talked, gathered, laughed together at Reese House. Oh, that place! My room served as a writing haven. The common areas hosted moments of intense brainstorming around each fellow’s project and ideas. Those moments of sitting around in the evenings, talking about Haiti, nineteenth-century children, Latinx Confederate soldiers, material culture, etc. were invaluable.”

—Ronald Angelo Johnson, *Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellow, 2023–24*

“When I arrived at the American Antiquarian Society, I did not realize I was intellectually parched and had long been on scholarly life support. . . . My experience at AAS has renewed confidence in myself as a researcher and writer. Like many people I met there, I live in an academic world suffering post-COVID exhaustion. Many resources—imaginative, financial, emotional, social—have dried up, and I had despaired of recovering my pre-COVID resilience and optimism. This fellowship has restored both, as well as faith in the work and fresh energy for what I love most—research and writing, yes, but also open-ended discussion and exploration with people who love these things too.”

—Wyn Kelley, *National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, 2023–24*



Fellows

The American Antiquarian Society supports scholars, artists, and writers with dozens of research fellowships every year. Individuals come from across the United States and from around the world to use the Society's extensive collection of primary sources and experience a collegial atmosphere that fosters the sharing of ideas among fellows from all backgrounds and interests. Since 2023, three-month virtual fellowships have allowed researchers who cannot travel to Worcester to access the collection, work with curators, and participate in the fellows' community remotely. Between September 2023 and August 2024, the following individuals were awarded fellowships.

2024–2025

(Fellowships awarded between September 1, 2023, and August 31, 2024.)

Andrew W. Mellon Distinguished Scholar in Residence
Susan Schulten, Distinguished University Professor of History, University of Denver; *Maps and Visual Culture in American History*

Cora Anthony, Ph.D. candidate in English, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign; *The Queer Genealogies of Black Women Writers in the Long Nineteenth Century*; Brown Family Collection Fellowship

Charlotte Brivio, Ph.D. candidate in English, Université Paris-Sorbonne, Paris IV; *Suffragists and the New Departure Strategy in the History of Women's Right to Vote (1868–1876)*; Joyce Tracy Fellowship

Mindy L. Buchanan-King, Ph.D. candidate in English and comparative literature, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; *(Un)Veiling Disease: Women's Breast Cancer and Concealed Diagnoses*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Alexandra Cade, Ph.D. candidate in history, University of Delaware; *Sensory Performance of National Identity in Nineteenth-Century American Tourism*; Kate Van Winkle Keller Fellowship for Research in Early American Music and Dance

Max Chapnick, postdoctoral teaching associate in English, Northeastern University; *Wild Science: Radical Politics and Rejected Knowledge in Nineteenth-Century Fiction*; Stephen Botein Fellowship

Andrew Jay Chung, assistant professor of music theory, University of North Texas; *Music's Long Anthropocene: The Climate of Empire and the Sound of Ecological Disaster*; National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship

Alison Clarke, poet, Edmonton, Alberta; research on Harriet E. Wilson for a historical fiction trilogy; Hearst Foundations Fellowship



“ Being in residency at AAS transformed my experience with research overall. . . . From the first day, AAS staff members and curators demonstrated that they were invested in assisting fellows as much as possible.

—Courtney Murray, *Jay and Deborah Last Fellow, 2024–25* ”



Abby Clayton, Ph.D. candidate in English, Indiana University, Bloomington; *Narrating Abolition: Scissors-and-Paste Reform in the Emerging Anglosphere*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Amy Earhart, associate professor of English, Texas A&M University; *The Millican Massacre: Newspaper Transmission and Extension of Reconstruction Racial Violence*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Wyatt Erchak, Ph.D. candidate in history, Carnegie Mellon University; *Private Wrongs: A Hidden History of the American Civil War's First Black Regiment*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

“The network of AAS fellows is invaluable, and in my view, the best part of the program. I have not experienced this type of fellows’ community or cohort at any other fellowship experience. I know firsthand how this is in large part due to the community AAS creates, from the very top levels down, fostering an environment in which people are eager to work and participate.”

—Abby Clayton, Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellow, 2024–25

David F. Garcia, Robin March Hanes Distinguished Professor, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; *Border Crossings: Latin U.S. History We Weren’t Taught*; Kate Van Winkle Keller Fellowship for Research in Early American Music and Dance

Amy Gore, assistant professor of English, North Dakota State University; *Bodies of Believers*; Reese Fellowship

Li-hsin Hsu, professor of English, National Chengchi University; *Racial and Ecological Intimacies in the Mid-Nineteenth-Century Atlantic Silk Imagination*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Adam Laats, professor of education and history, Binghamton University; *School Children: A New History of US Public Education, 1790–1860*; Lapidés Fellowship in Pre-1900 Juvenile Literature and Ephemera

Sara E. Lampert, associate professor of history, University of South Dakota; *Leg Show: Ballet, Burlesque, and Female Spectacle in the Civil War Era and Gilded Age*; Jay and Deborah Last Fellowship

Ilana Larkin, visiting assistant professor, Northwestern University; *Hostile Love: Rage, Race, and Gender in American Children’s Literature, 1850–1900*; National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship

Michelle LeMaster, director, Lawrence Henry Gipson Institute for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Lehigh University; *“Butchered after the Most Barbarous Manner”: Violence in the Tuscarora War*; National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship

Nora Lessersohn, visiting researcher in history, Georgetown University; *The Sultan of New York: Armenians and Turks in Nineteenth-Century America*; Diana Korzenik Virtual Research Fellowship

BJ Lillis, Ph.D. candidate in history, Princeton University; *A Valley Between Worlds: Slavery, Dispossession, and the Creation of a Settler-Colonial Society in the Hudson Valley, 1674–1766*; Hench Post-Dissertation Fellowship

Jeremy L. McLaughlin, Ph.D. candidate in the School of Information, University of Wisconsin–Madison; *A Most Familiar Form(e): Textual and Visual Knowledge Transmission in the Cultural Astronomy of Colonial North America*; Reese Fellowship

Jessica Mehta, inter/multi/anti-disciplinary poet, artist, and scholar, Hillsboro, Oregon; Research for “Red-Acted” a collection of Indigenous erasure poetry; Robert and Charlotte Baron Fellowship

Hunter Davis Moskowitz, Ph.D. candidate in world history, Northeastern University; *Labor and Race in the Global Textile Industry: Lowell, Concord, and Monterrey in the Early Nineteenth-Century*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Courtney Murray, Ph.D. candidate in English and African American studies, Pennsylvania State University; *The Hold: Black Femme Formations of Space, Text, and Being in the Long Nineteenth Century*; Jay and Deborah Last Fellowship

Ross Michael Nedervelt, adjunct professor of history, Florida International University; *Security, Imperial Reconstitution, and the British Atlantic Islands in the Age of the American Revolution*; American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies Fellowship

Chinaza Amaeze Okoli, assistant professor of English, Eastern Kentucky University; *Freedom of the Scenes: Performance Cultures and Black Atlantic Literature, 1750–1830*; Jay and Deborah Last Fellowship

Jennifer W. Reiss, Ph.D. candidate in history, University of Pennsylvania; *Undone Bodies: Women and Disability in Early America*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Damien Rousseliere, professor of economics, Institute Agro; *Accounting, Remuneration and Labor Conflicts in Nineteenth-Century American Utopian Communities: A Comparison Between Northampton Association of Education and Industry and Other Communes*; Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Britt M. Rusert, professor of Afro-American studies, University of Massachusetts, Amherst; *The Afric-American Picture Gallery: Imagining Black Art, Circa 1859*; National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship

“ There is just something special about being under the dome, working with books and documents and other materials, and the connection that we all share for our love of history and our work in the archive.

—Jeremy L. McLaughlin, Reese Fellow, 2024–25





Hearst Foundations Fellow Tina Spangler in the reading room in March 2024.

Leslie Schomp, visual artist and senior lecturer, College of the Holy Cross; investigation into the history of American lacemaking in past centuries; Robert and Charlotte Baron Fellowship

Augustine Sedgewick, independent writer, *Thoreau's Pencil: A New History of Slavery, Abolition, Complicity, and Justice*; David Jaffee Fellowship in Visual and Material Culture

Jason Shaffer, professor of English, United States Naval Academy; *Johnston's The Heavenly Nine and Jacksonian Performance Culture*; Drawn to Art Fellowship

Tina Spangler, documentary filmmaker, Narrowsburg, New York; research for historical film about the life, work, and influence of artist Frances Flora "Fanny" Palmer (1812–76); Hearst Foundations Fellowship

Mackenzie Tor, Ph.D. candidate in history, University of Missouri, Columbia; *Spirited Struggles: Race and the Temperance Movement in Nineteenth-Century America*; Brown Family Collection Fellowship

Karen Woods Weierman, professor of English, Worcester State University; *Forty Acres and a Mule: A Legal and Literary History*; Legacy Fellowship

Andrew Wildermuth, doctoral researcher, department of English and American studies, Friedrich-Alexander University, Erlangen-Nuremberg; *Malleability in Antebellum Periodical Cultures*; Barbara L. Packer Fellowship

Monique Wimby, Mellon Data Fellow, Cornell University; *"Git in the Woods": Enslaved Women's Epistemologies of Self, Community and World*; Diana Korzenik Virtual Research Fellowship

Darbyshire Witek, Ph.D. candidate in English, University of Delaware; *Reading American Racial Thought in the Memory and Myth of the Underground Railroad*; Stephen Botein Fellowship

Jewon Woo, professor of English, Lorian County Community College; *(Re)Constructing Black Childhood: Young Readers and Contributors of Black Newspapers*; Diana Korzenik Virtual Research Fellowship

Jeanette Zaragoza, associate professor, graduate program in translation, University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras; *8000*; Alstott Morgan Fellowship

Membership

At the end of August 2024, the Society had 1,160 elected members in forty-seven states, the District of Columbia, and six other countries—bringing to the organization a rich diversity of interests and experience. They include scholars, collectors, booksellers, librarians, curators, artists, writers, and individuals who have achieved distinction in a range of fields related to AAS’s mission and goals. The membership also includes history enthusiasts working in other fields, poets who engage with the American past, and Worcester residents who value a local resource.

Thirty new members were elected to the Society in fall 2023 and twenty-nine in spring 2024. Each new membership class received an AAS orientation held on Zoom. The sessions featured informal presentations by staff and opportunities for the new members to introduce themselves to their cohorts. The orientations grew from feedback received after the recent pandemic, in which members asked for more engagement with the organization and their fellow members.



Member programs

The **2023 Annual Meeting** was held on October 20, 2023, in person in Antiquarian Hall and live streamed. For “Surprises from the Stacks,” Christine Morris, associate curator of graphic arts, and Ashley Cataldo (*pictured above*), curator of manuscripts, presented a selection of digitized American photographs, broadsides, and ephemera related to working women in the nineteenth century. The images are part of “Working Women: 1830–1900,” a recent digitization project funded by the Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation.



The Collectors’ Roundtable featured Nancy Rosin (elected April 2016) and Basie Gitlin (elected April 2021) in conversation with Nick Aretakis (elected April 2019). The meeting concluded with Nym Cooke (elected April 2016) directing *The Swan Singers* (*pictured left*) in a performance of music by self-taught New England composer Timothy Swan (1758–1842), whose papers and portrait are in the AAS collection.

The **Semiannual Meeting** was held in New York City on April 18, 2024, and live streamed. Jesse Alemán (elected April 2012), the 2023–24 Mellon Distinguished Scholar in Residence, gave a lecture titled *Archive X: The Missing Values of the Latinx Civil War Years*.

Members

This list includes all those individuals who have accepted their election to the American Antiquarian Society through August 31, 2024.

April 1958

John William Middendorf II, M.B.A., East Providence, RI

April 1961

Linwood Mandeville Erskine Jr., J.D., Paxton, MA

April 1963

Michael Garibaldi Hall, Ph.D., Austin, TX

October 1965

Roger Eliot Stoddard, A.B., Concord, MA

October 1966

Jules David Prown, Ph.D., North Branford, CT

October 1967

James Eugene Mooney, Ph.D., Ogunquit, ME
Hiller Bellin Zobel, LL.B., Boston, MA

October 1970

George Thomas Tanselle, Ph.D., New York, NY

April 1971

David Hackett Fischer, Ph.D., Wayland, MA

October 1972

Jack Phillip Greene, Ph.D., Warwick, RI

April 1976

Mary Beth Norton, L.H.D., Ithaca, NY
Gordon Stewart Wood, Ph.D., Providence, RI

October 1976

M. Howard Jacobson, M.B.A., Needham, MA

April 1977

Maris Arved Vinovskis, Ph.D., Ann Arbor, MI

October 1977

Kathryn Kish Sklar, Ph.D., Berkeley, CA

April 1978

Martin Emil Marty, LL.D., Chicago, IL

April 1979

John Putnam Demos, M.A., Tyngham, MA

October 1979

Donald Richard Friary, Ph.D., Salem, MA
Peter Hutchins Wood, Ph.D., Longmont, CO
Larzer Ziff, Ph.D., Baltimore, MD

April 1980

James Brugler Bell, Ph.D., New Haven, CT
Kenneth Edward Carpenter, M.S., Newton Center, MA
Loren Frank Ghigliione, Ph.D., West Tisbury, MA
Neil Harris, Ph.D., Chicago, IL
Stephen David Weissman, M.A., London, England

October 1980

Joan Toland Bok, LL.D., Boston, MA
John Christie Dann, Ph.D., Dexter, MI
Barbara J. Novak, Ph.D., New York, NY
Merritt Roe Smith, Ph.D., Newton, MA

April 1981

Richard David Brown, Ph.D., Hampton, CT
Norman Sanford Fiering, Ph.D., Providence, RI
David Drisko Hall, Ph.D., Arlington, MA
Stanley Nider Katz, Ph.D., Skillman, NJ
John Odlin Mirick, J.D., Worcester, MA
Harold Kenneth Skramstad Jr., Ph.D., Denver, CO
Robert Wedgeworth, M.L.S., Chicago, IL

October 1981

James Morrill Banner Jr., Ph.D., Washington, DC
Richard Lyman Bushman, Ph.D., New York, NY
Warner Stoddard Fletcher, J.D., Worcester, MA
Linda Kaufman Kerber, Ph.D., Hingham, MA
Peter Howard Creagh Williams, A.B., North Grafton, MA

April 1982

Ross Worn Beales Jr., Ph.D., Reading, MA

October 1982

Jonathan Leo Fairbanks, M.F.A., Westwood, MA
Robert Alan Gross, Ph.D., Concord, MA
Stephen Willner Nissenbaum, Ph.D., Underhill, VT
Robert McColloch Weir, Ph.D., Blythewood, SC

April 1983

Nancy Falik Cott, Ph.D., Oakland, CA
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Hendrik Edelman, M.L.S., New York, NY



Julian Davis Wade (elected October 2018) and Ellen S. Dunlap (elected October 1992).

October 1983

Eugene Garland Waddell, B.S., Charleston, SC

April 1984

Sally Gregory Kohlstedt, Ph.D., Minneapolis, MN
Andrew Hutchinson Neilly Jr., B.A., Weston, CT
Charles Ernest Rosenberg, Ph.D., Cambridge, MA
Mary Patricia Ryan, Ph.D., Berkeley, CA
Theodore Ellis Stebbins Jr., Ph.D., Brookline, MA
Michael Russell Winston, Ph.D., Washington, DC

October 1984

Richard Dyke Benjamin, M.B.A., New York, NY
Jane Cayford Nylander, M.A., Portsmouth, NH
Justin Galland Schiller, B.A., Kingston, NY
Herbert Mason Varnum, B.A., Worcester, MA

April 1985

John Walsh Jr., Ph.D., Los Angeles, CA

October 1985

John Young Cole, Ph.D., Chevy Chase, MD
Daniel Robert Coquillette, J.D., Cambridge, MA
James Aloysius Henretta, Ph.D., Glendale, CA
Karen Ordahl Kupperman, Ph.D., New York, NY
Michael Zinman, Hastings on Hudson, NY

April 1986

Harold Cabot Jr., LL.B., San Antonio, TX
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Ron Curtis Tyler, Ph.D., Fort Worth, TX
Michael Bancroft Winship, D.Phil. (Oxon.),
Philadelphia, PA

October 1986

Millicent Demmin Abell, M.A., Del Mar, CA
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Sumner Burnham Tilton Jr., J.D., Worcester, MA

April 1987

John Bidwell, D.Phil. (Oxon.), Princeton, NJ
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Stephen Alan Goldman, D.D.S., Oxford, MD
Gloria Lund Main, Ph.D., Boulder, CO
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October 1987

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Everette Eugene Dennis, Ph.D., Portland, OR
James Harley Harrington, B.A., Portsmouth, RI
Paul Revere O'Connell Jr., LL.B., Manitou Springs, CO
Nell Irvin Painter, Ph.D., New Russia, NY
Donald Moore Scott, Ph.D., New York, NY

April 1988

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Philip Francis Gura, Ph.D., Chapel Hill, NC
Joseph Henry Hagan, Ed. D., Little Compton, RI
Donald William Krummel, Ph.D., Urbana, IL
Richard Manney, Laguna Woods, CA
Steven Rotman, M.S., Worcester, MA
Garry Wills, Ph.D., Evanston, IL

October 1988

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Canada
David Richard Godine, M.Ed., Milton, MA
John James McCusker, Ph.D., San Antonio, TX
Barbara Ketcham Wheaton, A.M., Lexington, MA
Don Whitman Wilson, Ph.D., Beaufort, SC

April 1989

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Henry Louis Gates Jr., Ph.D., Cambridge, MA
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Linda Fishman Lapides, M.S.L.S., Baltimore, MD
Charles Robert Longworth, M.B.A., Concord, MA
David Alan Persky, B.A., Worcester, MA
Barbara Sicherman, Ph.D., West Hartford, CT
Robert Allen Skotheim, L.H.D., Port Angeles, WA

October 1989

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April 1991

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Elizabeth Carroll Reilly, Ph.D., Hardwick, MA
Benjamin Blake Taylor, B.A., Brookline, MA
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Donald Andrew Heald, New York, NY
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Jay Thomas Snider, B.S., Pacific Palisades, CA
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October 1999

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Jon Butler, Ph.D., Minneapolis, MN
Ramon A. Gutierrez, Ph.D., Albuquerque, NM
Nicholas Kanellos, Ph.D., Houston, TX
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Thomas Joseph Davis, Ph.D., Gilbert, AZ
Cornelia Hughes Dayton, Ph.D., Ashford, CT
Philip Joseph Deloria, Ph.D., Cambridge, MA
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 Images, in September 2023.
 It was the inaugural Jane
 Ramsay Pomeroy Lecture, an
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In Memoriam

The following AAS members passed away between September 1, 2023, and August 31, 2024.

John Adler, M.B.A.

Following a successful business career, John Adler (elected October 1995), who died on June 11, 2024, developed and published innovative CD-ROM resources, based on the periodical *Harper's Weekly* (1857–1916). After acquiring a full run of the periodical, he had all seventy-three thousand pages indexed and digitized, creating the HarpWeek database used in hundreds of colleges, universities, and libraries. Adler also wrote *Doomed by Cartoon: How Cartoonist Thomas Nast and The New York Times Brought Down Boss Tweed and His Ring of Thieves* (2008) and *Thomas Nast: America's Most Influential Journalist* (2022) and founded the Adler Foundation Symposium for Alzheimer's Disease Research, which he served for eighteen years as a trustee.

Whitney Beals, M.F.S.

Whitney Beals (elected April 2010) died on September 14, 2023. Beals enjoyed a career of nearly a half-century in the field of environmental conservation. A graduate of the Yale School of Forestry, he worked with the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection, the Roaring Brook Nature Center, the Nature Conservancy, and ultimately the New England Forestry Foundation, from which he retired four years ago. He served for many years on the board of Worcester's EcoTarium, as well as other citizen committees at the town and state level.

George F. Booth II, B.A.

George F. (Geof) Booth II (elected October 1991) died on December 24, 2023. Booth, whose grandfather was the publisher of the *Worcester Telegram* and *Evening Gazette* (predecessors of the current *Telegram and Gazette*) going back to 1899, grew up in Worcester and spent his own career in the publishing industry. After military service in Vietnam, for which he earned several service awards, Booth worked as an executive for a number of Time-Life publications: *Life*, *Money*, *Travel & Leisure*, *Food & Wine*, and *Gourmet*. He then moved to *The Washington Post*, and after retirement returned to Worcester. Booth supported several Worcester-area cultural institutions, including serving on the AAS Council from 1996 to 2002.



Richard V. Buel Jr., Ph.D.

Revolutionary War and early national US historian Richard V. Buel Jr. (elected October 2000) died on November 22, 2023. Buel served on the faculty of Wesleyan University for four decades. He wrote and edited several books that contribute significantly to the scholarship on Revolutionary America, including *Securing the Revolution: Ideology in American Politics, 1789–1815*. With his wife Joy Day Buel, he cowrote *The Way of Duty: A Woman and Her Family in Revolutionary America* (1984), an intimate social history that inspired the film *Mary Silliman's War* (1994). His extensive professional service included serving as associate editor of the journal *History and Theory* (for twenty-two years) and as president of the New England Historical Association.

Richard Crawford, Ph.D.

Richard Crawford (elected April 1975) died on July 23, 2024. The Hans T. David Distinguished University Professor Emeritus of Musicology at the University of Michigan, Crawford played a leading role in developing the study of American music. Since the 1960s he conducted research on early American musicians. He was a founder of the Sonneck Society (later renamed the Society for American Music) and served as

president of the American Musicological Society. Crawford held a US Steel Foundation Fellowship at AAS in 1972–73. His project, *A Bibliography of American Sacred Music Imprints Through 1810*, completed the magisterial work begun by Allen Perdue Britton and Irving Lowens. AAS published it in 1990 as *American Sacred Music Imprints, 1698–1810: A Bibliography*.

Natalie Zemon Davis, Ph.D.

Natalie Zemon Davis (elected October 1987), the Henry Charles Lea Professor of History, Emerita, at Princeton University, died on October 21, 2023. Davis's research focused on the social and cultural lives of marginalized people, and her writing illuminated entire worlds of life and thought, most famously in her third book, *The Return of Martin Guerre* (1983). Davis co-taught (with Jill Ker Conway) a pioneering course in the history of women and gender at the University of Toronto and helped found women's studies programs at Princeton and the University of California, Berkeley. She received eighteen honorary degrees in the US, Canada, the United Kingdom, and Israel and was presented the National Humanities Medal by President Obama in 2013.

Henry B. Dewey, LL.B.

Fourth-generation AAS member Henry B. Dewey (elected April 1966) died on October 23, 2023. Dewey received the Bronze Star for his service during the Battle of the Bulge in World War II. For forty-two years he was senior partner at the Worcester law firm Bowditch & Dewey, and nearly every cultural organization in the city benefited from his leadership and support. He was a founder of the Greater Worcester Community Foundation and in 2002 received the Isaiah Thomas Award for his distinguished community service. He served on the AAS Council from 1972 to 1980 and on the boards of numerous other organizations in Worcester and beyond, including the Boston Symphony Orchestra, WGBH, and the Clark Art Institute in Williamstown.

Thomas L. Doughton, Ph.D.

Giant of the Worcester historical community Thomas L. Doughton (elected October 2002) died on February 3, 2024. Doughton, who spent much of his adult life tracing the history of Worcester's intertwined African American and Nipmuc communities, was a driving force in

developing the Worcester Black History Trail, a series of historic markers unveiled in 2022. Doughton served for two decades on the College of the Holy Cross faculty, as senior lecturer in the Center for Interdisciplinary and Special Studies. For more than twenty-five years, Doughton was a regular presence at AAS, conducting research and delivering talks. In 2009 he co-taught the AAS K–12 teacher institute “Citizenship, Property, Identity, and Representation: The Historical Journey of Southern New England's Native Peoples.”

Ronald P. Formisano, Ph.D.

Ronald P. Formisano (elected October 1980) died on February 20, 2024. A historian of nineteenth- and twentieth-century US political culture, Formisano wrote ten scholarly books. His early works, state-level studies of political culture, helped transform scholars' understanding of the emergence of political parties. Formisano was a member of Clark University's history department from 1973 to 1989. He moved to the University of Florida and ultimately in 2001 to the University of Kentucky, as the William T. Bryan Chair of American History. Formisano served as an editor of the *Journal of American History* and as president of the New England Historical Association. More recently, he wrote “muckraking fiction,” penning four detective novels, the last of which appeared in 2023.

Jane N. Garrett, B.A.

Jane N. Garrett (elected October 1995) died on October 12, 2023. For more than forty years, Garrett served as an editor at Alfred A. Knopf. Books she edited won eight Pulitzer Prizes in history and eight Bancroft Prizes, among other awards. Many were written by AAS members, including Michael Kammen's *People of Paradox* (Pulitzer Prize, 1973), Bernard Bailyn's *Voyagers to the West* (Pulitzer Prize, 1987), Laurel Thatcher Ulrich's *A Midwife's Tale* (Pulitzer Prize and Bancroft Prize, 1991), Alan Taylor's *William Cooper's Town* (Pulitzer Prize and Bancroft Prize, 1996), Jack Rakove's *Original Meanings* (Pulitzer Prize, 1997), and David S. Reynolds's *Walt Whitman's America: A Cultural Biography* (Bancroft Prize, 1996). Garrett was also an ordained Episcopal priest.

Edward G. Gray, Ph.D.

Edward G. Gray (elected April 2006), professor of history at Florida State University, died on December 22, 2023. Gray published four major books: *New World Babel* (1999), *The Making of John Ledyard* (2007), *Tom Paine's Iron Bridge* (2016), and *Mason-Dixon: Crucible of the Nation* (2023). He also coedited, with Jane Kamensky, the *Oxford Handbook of the American Revolution* (2013), and was the editor of *Common-place*, a pioneering online journal of early American culture. At the time of his death, Gray had drafted a nearly complete manuscript of a book on Henry Laurens, a leading merchant and political figure of Revolutionary South Carolina, and had begun a book on the financial world of Benjamin Franklin.

Elizabeth M. Harris, Ph.D.

Printing history scholar and curator Elizabeth M. Harris (elected October 1974) died on March 5, 2024. She was curator of graphic arts in the National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution, from the 1970s until her retirement in 1997. She was the author of *The Common Press* (1978, with Clinton Sisson), *The Fat and the Lean: American Wood Type in the Nineteenth Century* (1983), and *Personal Impressions: The Small Printing Press in Nineteenth-Century America* (2004). In 2006 Harris received the American Printing History Association's Individual Laureate award, which is presented annually "for a distinguished contribution to the study, recording, preservation, or dissemination of printing history." After retiring, she moved to Dorset, England, where she spent much of her time raising goats and making cheese.

James N. Heald II, M.B.A.

An AAS member for nearly fifty years, James N. Heald II (elected October 1974) died on August 5, 2024. A lifelong Worcester resident, he spent most of his career in the family business, Heald Machine, founded in nearby Barre, in 1826. The company was responsible for many industrial innovations over its long life. Heald's commitment to Worcester and its cultural institutions was renowned. He served on the boards of the Worcester Art Museum and Worcester Polytechnic Institute, receiving the latter's Distinguished Service Award in 1999, and the museum's Salisbury Award in 2001. A longtime supporter of AAS and a collector himself, he made annual donations for the purchase of visual materials.

John B. Hench, Ph.D.

John B. Hench (elected October 1985), regarded as the scholarly soul of AAS for more than three decades, died on April 10, 2024. A Minnesota native, Hench began his relationship with AAS in the late 1960s while earning a Ph.D. at Clark University and researching early American newspapers. He joined the staff full time as editor of publications in 1973. His many accomplishments at AAS include growing and leading the fellowship program; creating the Program in the History of the Book in American Culture; developing programs that welcomed new communities of readers, including K-12 teachers and creative artists; and creating and securing funding for the Andrew W. Mellon Distinguished Scholar in Residence program. He wrote *Books as Weapons: Propaganda, Publishing, and the Battle for Global Markets in the Era of World War II* (2010).

Robert H. Jackson, J.D.

Robert H. Jackson (elected April 2009), cofounder and senior partner of Kohrman Jackson & Krantz P.L.L. in Cleveland, died on August 15, 2024. A bibliophile and collector of nineteenth- and twentieth-century English and American literature and illustrations, Jackson spoke and wrote extensively on libraries and collectors. He cofounded and chaired the Fellowship of American Bibliophilic Societies, was a trustee of the Western Reserve Historical Society, and served as president of the Contemporary Art Society at the Cleveland Museum of Art. He participated in rare book exhibitions at the Grolier Club, San Francisco de Young Museum, Walker Museum, Whitney Museum, Rowfant Club, Cleveland Museum of Art, and Norman Rockwell Museum.

Daniel P. Jordan Jr., Ph.D.

Daniel P. Jordan Jr. (elected October 1989) died on March 21, 2024. A native Mississippian, Jordan taught at the University of Richmond and Virginia Commonwealth University, published three books—notably *Political Leadership in Jefferson's Virginia* (1983)—and became recognized as an authority on the state's history. He served as president of the Thomas Jefferson Foundation, which owns and operates Monticello, for twenty-three years. During his tenure, Jordan created the Robert H. Smith International Center for Jefferson Studies, established the Thomas Jefferson Parkway and walking trail, developed educational programs, oversaw preservation projects, led the recognition of Jefferson's Hemings descendants, and undertook the process of recognizing enslaved people's indispensable contributions at Jefferson's home and farm.

Richard S. Kirkendall, Ph.D.

Richard S. Kirkendall (elected October 1978), professor of history, emeritus, at the University of Washington, died on August 26, 2024. A leading scholar of New Deal and post–World War II politics, especially the Truman administration, Kirkendall wrote or edited more than ten books. These included *Social Scientists and Farm Politics in the Age of Roosevelt* (1966); *The Global Power: The United States Since 1941* (1974); *The Truman Encyclopedia* (1989); and *Harry's Farewell: Interpreting and Teaching the Truman Presidency* (2004). He served as executive secretary of the Organization of American Historians from 1973 to 1981 and served for many years on the board of the Harry S. Truman Library.

Henry M. Lee, M.A.

Henry M. Lee (elected April 2001), best known as a leader of the Friends of the Public Garden in Boston, died on August 12, 2024. Under his leadership, the Friends successfully fought a plan to build office and residential towers that would have dwarfed the garden. Before he turned to civic preservation work, Lee served in the US Foreign Service with postings in Germany and Washington, DC, and then as a teacher and administrator at the Dexter School in Brookline and as headmaster of the Carroll School in Lincoln. He also served as president of the Massachusetts Historical Society and as director of the Augustus Saint-Gaudens National Historic Park in Cornish, New Hampshire.

**Kenneth A. Lockridge, Ph.D.**

Kenneth A. Lockridge (elected October 2002), professor emeritus of history at the University of Montana, died on August 26, 2024. A prolific scholar during his forty-five-year career, Lockridge produced numerous books and articles celebrated for their penetrating assessments of early American life. His first book, *A New England Town: The First Hundred Years* (1970), became a seminal text of the “new social history,” the transformative move among historians to study the everyday lives of ordinary people. After retiring in 2009, he and his wife moved to Sweden to be closer to their son and family.

Gary Y. Okihiro, Ph.D.

A founder of the field of Asian American studies, Gary Y. Okihiro (elected October 2011) died on May 20, 2024. He grew up on a sugar plantation on the island of Oahu, Hawaii, living in the Japanese internment camp and working alongside his father and grandfather. He served in the Peace Corps for three years in Botswana. During his five-decade career, he was professor of international and public affairs at Columbia University, where he helped found the first Asian American studies program in the Ivy League. Okihiro wrote thirteen books on ethnic and Asian American studies and received the Lifetime Achievement Award from the American Studies Association and the Association for Asian American Studies.

Marc Pachter, M.A.

Cultural historian Marc Pachter (elected April 2005) died on February 17, 2023. Pachter led two branches of the Smithsonian Institution: the National Portrait Gallery (NPG) (2000–2007), where he had previously been chief historian and assistant director, and the National Museum of American History as acting director (2001–2 and 2011–12). His signal professional accomplishment was raising the funds to keep Gilbert Stuart’s so-called Lansdowne portrait of George Washington in the United States and at the NPG, when its British owner threatened to sell it in 2001. Described in *The Washington Post* as “a raconteur and cultural omnivore as much at home with high art as pop TV culture,” Pachter sought to put “art and objects into context of their time and place and significance,” whether the ruby slippers from *The Wizard of Oz* or the Lansdowne portrait.

Robert Seth Seymour

Robert Seth Seymour (elected October 2010), a leading New England bookseller for four decades, died on February 27, 2024. Seymour grew up in Connecticut and, after service in the US Army Field Artillery Corps, returned to the state and joined his father's business, the Colebrook Book Barn in the town of Colebrook. In addition, he managed the University of Hartford Bookstore, as well as other university bookstores in the area. In 1977, he became sole proprietor of the Book Barn, and in 1980 joined the Antiquarian Booksellers' Association of America.

Charles B. Swartwood III, LL.B.

Charles B. Swartwood III (elected October 2012) died on November 16, 2023. Retired chief magistrate judge of the US District Court of Massachusetts, he brought to the court more than forty years' trial experience as a litigator with Mountain, Dearborn & Whiting in Worcester. As a federal judge (1993–2006), he presided over numerous trials and mediated more than one hundred cases involving disputes over contracts, business/commercial law, professional liability, employment, civil rights, copyright and patents, personal injury, product liability, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, insurance, and construction. The papers of Swartwood's grandfather, AAS member Charles Grenfill Washburn (elected 1908), are in the Society's collections.

Louis Leonard Tucker, Ph.D.

Louis Leonard Tucker (elected April 1979) died on March 18, 2024. The son of Russian immigrants, Tucker made his career in the realm of public history. After serving as executive director of the Cincinnati Historical Society, assistant commissioner of education and state historian of New York, and New York bicentennial commissioner, he became director of the Massachusetts Historical Society in 1977. He remained in that role for twenty years. In addition, Tucker wrote nine books and was the author of more than thirty journal articles and many book reviews.

Alden Vaughan, Ph.D.

Alden Vaughan (elected April 1977), professor emeritus of history at Columbia University, died on March 19, 2024. He taught at Columbia for thirty-three years (1961–94) and since 2002 was affiliate professor of history at Clark University. For more than half a century, Vaughan was a

leading scholar of Indigenous-European relations in colonial North America. His first book, *New England Frontier: Puritans and Indians, 1620–1675* (1965), has remained a touchstone for generations of scholars. Vaughan and his wife, Virginia Mason Vaughan, a scholar of Shakespeare and professor of English at Clark University, cowrote and coedited a series of books. He spent three years at AAS as a resident researcher (National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, 1982–83; Research Associate, 1985–87), and many more days and months in the reading room.

Susan Stark Vincent

Collector and enthusiast of all things early American Susan Stark Vincent (elected April 2016) died on December 18, 2024. Vincent collected American decorative arts and children's books, and with her husband Robert (also elected April 2016) managed and cared for their library of Revolutionary-era American books and documents. Together they owned and restored two historic homes in Thompson, Connecticut. The Vincents loaned from their collection a framed letter by Paul Revere for the AAS exhibition *Beyond Midnight: Paul Revere*. Susan Vincent was instrumental in having the eighteenth-century Ramsdell Farm in Thompson documented before it was demolished by the Army Corps of Engineers. The Vincents acquired or rescued the oldest parts of the house and the barn, which they moved to their own property and restored.

Wyatt Wade, B.A.

Wyatt Wade (elected October 2001) died on February 23, 2024. A Louisianan by birth, Wade grew up in Houston and lived his adult life in New England, where he worked as a high school humanities teacher in Maine, a furniture designer and craftsman in Cambridge, and a teacher at Minuteman Regional Vocational Technical High School in Lexington. In 1977 he began working for Davis Publications, a 123-year-old Worcester family business, first as an editor and then as the company's president from 1994 to 2016. For much of that time, he was also CEO of the Printers Building, a Worcester landmark that the family restored to become a hub of arts and culture.

Meridith D. Wesby, M.B.A.

Longtime AAS Council member Meridith D. Wesby (elected April 1981) died on January 7, 2024. Wesby served on the Council for fourteen years (1994–2008), eight of those as recording secretary. She was the niece of former councilor Fred Harris Daniels (elected October 1956) and Eleanor Goddard Daniels, who deeded the Goddard-Daniels House to AAS. Wesby was devoted to community service, notably to organizations serving women and girls. In 2002 she cofounded the Women’s Initiative of the United Way of Central Massachusetts. As a member and officer of the Fred Harris Daniels foundation, she led the foundation to focus on helping underserved middle-school-aged girls.

John Wilmerding, Ph.D.

American art historian and collector John Wilmerding (elected April 1978) died on June 6, 2024. Wilmerding served on the faculty at Dartmouth College (1966–77), as curator and then deputy director of the National Gallery of Art (1977–88), and finally as the Christopher Binyon Sarofim Professor in American Art at Princeton University (1988–2007). He advised many other museums and collectors and wrote more than twenty books, many based on exhibitions he curated, including the landmark *American Light: The Luminist Movement, 1850–1875* (1980). His personal collection of nineteenth- and twentieth-century American art was the subject of a 2004 National Gallery of Art exhibition, *American Masters from Bingham to Eakins: The John Wilmerding Collection*.

Calhoun Winton, Ph.D.

Calhoun Winton (elected April 1995) died on April 15, 2024. Professor of English, emeritus, at the University of Maryland, Winton was a scholar of eighteenth-century American and English literature, printing, and publishing. He also served on the faculties of Dartmouth College, the University of Virginia, the University of Delaware, and the University of South Carolina, where he played a role in the university’s peaceful desegregation. His publications include *John Gay and the London Theatre* (1993), *Captain Steele: The Early Career of Richard Steele* (1964), and *Sir Richard Steele, M.P.: The Later Career* (1970). For the first volume of AAS’s *History of the Book in America* (2000), Winton wrote “The Southern Book Trade in the Eighteenth Century.”

During the past year we learned that the following member passed away prior to August 31, 2023.

June Namias, Ph.D.

June Namias (elected April 2007) died on March 19, 2021. Associate professor of history at the University of Alaska Anchorage from 1992 to 2003, Namias studied the history of Unangan or Aleut women and the impact of British and Russian “discovery.” She was the author of *White Captives: Gender and Ethnicity on the American Frontier, 1607–1862* (2005), editor of *First Generation: In the Words of Twentieth-Century American Immigrants* (1978), and editor of new editions of James E. Seaver’s *Narrative of the Life of Mrs. Mary Jemison* (1995) and Sarah F. Wakefield’s *Six Weeks in the Sioux Tepees: A Narrative of Indian Captivity* (2002). In 2005 her essay “First Meetings in the North Pacific: Russians and ‘Americans’ in the Aleutians” appeared in the online journal *Common-place*.



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Amanda Kondek, Programs Coordinator (*through September 2023*)



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Christine Graham Morris, Associate Curator of Graphic Arts and Registrar
Alicia Murphy, Serials Cataloger
Jaclyn Penny, Graphic Designer
Danielle Pickett, Director of Individual Giving
Ana Pietrewicz, Digital Librarian
Elizabeth Watts Pope, Curator of Books and Digital Collections
Beth Rheame, Library Aide and Cataloging Assistant
Anthony Schiavone, Maintenance Assistant
Wayne Stepanauskas, Development Assistant
Caroline Stoffel, Online Services Librarian
Lisa Sutter, Acquisitions Assistant
Sally Talbot, Receptionist
Amy Tims, Cataloging Initiatives Librarian (*through November 2023*)
Jennifer Trently, Executive Assistant to the President
Laura E. Wasowicz, Curator of Children's Literature

Interns and Temporary Staff

Borodine Chery, Library Page (*June through August 2024*)
Minyoung Kim, Conservation Intern (*June through July 2024*)
Isabella Uva, Library Page (*June through August 2024*)

Volunteers

Jane K. Dewey, Manuscripts
Ann Harris, Manuscripts
Frank Lamelas, Manuscripts
Phil Lampi, A New Nation Votes
Kathy Major, Manuscripts

Facing page (from top): Elizabeth Pope, curator of books and digital collections, is interviewed by Northeastern University for a documentary about the discovery of a new Louisa May Alcott pseudonym in the AAS digital archives. Alan Mendieta-Rivadeneira, acquisitions assistant, scans photographs as part of the 2024 Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation grant on women in the American economy. This page: Staff members gather during disaster training in the Elmarion Room of the Goddard-Daniels House.





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Financial Statement

Statement of Financial Position, August 31, 2024, and 2023

	2024	2023
Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 6,721,969	\$ 6,703,796
Contributions Receivable, net	265,600	325,000
Grants and Other Receivables	117,383	254,673
Prepaid Expenses	50,394	32,808
Property, plant and equipment, net	28,082,277	27,354,147
Investments	81,787,742	73,953,076
Deposits with Bank Trustee		-
Other Assets	127,088	466,278
Total Assets	\$ 117,152,453	\$ 109,089,778
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current Liabilities		
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$ 285,000	\$ 335,000
Accounts Payable, trade	274,670	76,855
Accrued and other liabilities	213,799	128,524
Long-term debt, less current maturities	3,984,508	4,260,446
Other liabilities including notes payable	-	77,442
Total liabilities	4,757,977	4,878,267
Net Assets		
Without donor restrictions	29,383,756	27,887,154
With donor restrictions	83,010,720	76,324,357
Total net assets	112,394,476	104,211,511
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 117,152,453	\$ 109,089,778

Statement of Activities: Unrestricted General Fund, August 31, 2024, and 2023

	2024	2023
Revenue, Gains and Other Support		
Contributions, gifts, grants	\$ 1,240,454	\$ 1,777,409
Unrestricted investment returns	458,901	314,473
Auxiliary activities	816,346	1,011,086
Other Income	0	207,763
Net assets released from restrictions	4,018,844	3,576,110
Transfer (to) from other AAS funds	(988,165)	(193,843)
Total Revenue	5,546,380	6,692,998
Expenses		
Program Services		
Library and academic programs	4,023,045	3,793,312
Collections purchases	494,100	479,945
Supporting Services		
Management and general	905,659	973,789
Development	394,110	391,421
Total Expenses	5,816,914	5,638,467
Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets	\$ (270,534)	\$ 1,054,531



