



**Curriculum Vita
Spring 2026**

Instructor: Janna Payne

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EDUCATION

East Texas A&M University (Formerly Texas A&M University-Commerce), Commerce, TX

M.S. in History | Minor in Gender Studies Expected: May 2026 Thesis: TBD

Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX

B.S. in History | Minor in Music | Concentration in 7-12 Education May 2023

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of History, East Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX August 2023
– Present Teaching Assistant—“United States History to 1877” and “United States History after 1865”

Piner Middle School, Sherman, TX Jan. 2023 – May 2023 Student Teacher – 8th Grade U.S. History

RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

Neu/Smith/Jackson/Baker/Henager Endowment August 2025- May 2026 East Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX

W. Eugene Hollon Graduate History Scholarship August 2025- May 2026 East Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX

Adkins Family History Scholarship August 2025- May 2026 East Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX

Outstanding Graduate History Student Scholarship August 2024 – May 2025 East

Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX

Anthony Regenald Henager Scholarship August 2023 – May 2024 East Texas
A&M University, Commerce, TX

Adkins Family History Scholarship August 2023 – May 2024

East Texas A&M University, Commerce, TX
A&M Commerce Graduate Scholarship August 2023 – May 2024 East Texas
A&M University, Commerce, TX