

Undergraduate Research Journal 2011 Editorial Team

Co-Editor-in-Chief--Rebecca Gibson

Rebecca Gibson is a graduating senior who will soon hold a BA in philosophy and one in history. She is looking forward to matriculating at Brandeis University in the fall, where she will pursue a Joint MA in Women's and Gender Studies and Anthropology, studying both osteology and archaeology. She would like to thank her husband Sean, her parents John and Judy Horwitz, and her various and assorted other relatives, friends, professors and supporters for their emotional and temporal assistance throughout her extremely busy last semester at IU South Bend. Finally she would like to thank her wonderful assistant editors, specifically her partner, Co-Editor-in-Chief April Buck, who played the very important role of anti-panic-button, by continuing to assure her that everything would work out perfectly.

Co-Editor-in-Chief--April Buck

April Buck is an English Major planning a May 2014 graduation. She is also pursuing a degree from a neighboring university. April would like to offer humble thanks to her very understanding family. Especially her wonderful husband of nearly 20 years, Art, and her fantabulous children, Kaley, Rion and Dakota. Without their encouragement, love and support none of her academic aspirations or extracurricular activities would be possible. April would also like to thank her parents, Stanley Shaw and Debra Patterson. Their encouragement to embrace her love of reading and academia has inspired her throughout her life...the pilgrim's progress continues. Spending a third and final year as co-editors-in-chief with the talented, ultra organized and wicked smart Rebecca Gibson was indeed a pleasure. Without Rebecca's partnership and urging, April would have missed many educational opportunities and failed to unfurl her academic wings. Finally, April would like to express gratitude to everyone who made this journal possible. It has been her delight to be a part of such an esteemed undertaking.

Web Designer - Jenn Zellers

Jenn Zellers is a 2010 graduate of IU South Bend currently pursuing a second degree in History. Her first degree was in Mass Communications with a focus in Journalism. Her post-secondary education career is focused on pursuing a Masters in History. In 2009-2010, she was the editor-in-chief of The Preface, the official student newspaper of IU South Bend. In her spare time, she enjoys watching the Chicago Cubs and is an avid NASCAR fan, but more often than not, she can be found buried in a history book about the Cold War. She also enjoys photographing landscapes, cityscapes, and wild life.

Assistant Editor -Timothy Dann-Barrick

Timothy Dann-Barrick (né Barrick) is a senior majoring in French with a minor in business. Ze has presented hir work on gender confusion in Patrice Lecont's cinematic work at the IU Women's and Gender Studies Conference and the Undergraduate Research Conference. In hir free time ze enjoys reading, doing music and learning Spanish. Hir plans for the future include getting an MBA and a masters degree in a liberal arts field. Ze and hir spouse Cheryl plan to move to Canada during the summer. They have long-term plans of immigrating to Copenhagen, Denmark.

Assistant Editor - Chloe Lawrence

Chloe Lawrence is a product of the Summer of Love, born to Baby Boomers-cum-hippies, and came of age during the Yuppie-filled and HIV-phobic 1980's. In short, Chloe has been getting mixed signals. A reluctant Gen X-er, Chloe's life has been plagued by double-edged clichés: "Greed is good," vs: "Less is more."

Early on, Chloe was keenly aware that her young friends were stymied by both the umlaut and accent aigu with which her name could be written. To settle the debate, Chloe is majoring in English/Professional Writing. She will graduate from IU South Bend in 2012.

Assistant Editor - Steve Richards

Steve Richards is a career Navy veteran and critical care paramedic and is a senior with majors in Anthropology, Biology, History and Physics. Graduate plans include University of Chicago, University of Notre Dame and University of London for MD/PhD in Medicine and Bioarcheology with an emphasis on ancient and future global health. His research interests include human biological diversity, medical anthropology and the kinematics of trauma. In his spare time, he pursues hobbies in Irish heritage, culinary arts, genealogy and the blues guitar and spending time with his wife, Erica Vitale, and his six children, and drinking great whiskey and cider.

Assistant Editor - Hannah Stowe

Hannah Stowe is an English major who plans to study literature and law in graduate school. Ze does not know where the prefix "re-" in "research" comes from and respectfully resents the implication that this has all been done before. Ze has learned a lot of things for the first time from reading the work in this journal and thinks that you will, too.

Assistant Editor - Jeffrey Tatay

Jeff Tatay is an English major, poet and photographer. He would like to thank his friends, family and the IUSB community for contributing to his life journey. Jeff plans to peruse an M.F.A. in poetry and a Ph.D. in English when he finishes his undergraduate degree.