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Professional Genealogical Experience

Generations Revealed, LLC

Owner, June 2020–present

Conducts genealogical research and analysis to produce client reports adhering to professional standards. Specializes in traditional genealogical research in the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic states, particularly New York State and New York City.

Stone House Historical Research, LLC

Forensic Genealogist, September 2021–present

Specializes in kinship determination research for the legal community and as a contract researcher for the U.S. military to assist in the accounting of missing service members from World War II.

Certification and Education

Board for Certification of Genealogists®

Certificate number 1164, expires 17 March 2028.

Boston University, Center for Professional Education

Certificate in Genealogical Research, 2020

State University of New York at Albany

Master of Arts, Criminal Justice, 1998

Boston College

Master of Arts, Educational Psychology, 1994

Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy (SLIG)

Courses: Intermediate Foundations; Advanced Genealogical Methods; Introduction to Genetic Genealogy; Fundamentals of Forensic Genealogy; Writing and Documenting for Peer Review; Advanced Techniques for Mastering Online Searches; Researching New York, Resources and Strategies; Advanced New England Research: From the Colonial Period to the Early 1900s; Advanced Evidence Analysis Practicum; The Art of Writing Client Reports; and Becoming an Accredited Genealogist Professional: The Why, the What, the How

Genealogical Research Institute of Pittsburgh (GRIP)

Courses: Following Your Ancestors in Time and Place; Beyond Fundamentals: Hands-on Forensic Genealogy; and Law School for Genealogists

Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research (IGHR)

Courses: Genetics for Genealogists: Beginning DNA; Advanced Methodology & Evidence Analysis; and The Third and Fourth Waves: Researching Recent Immigrants to the United States of America

Genealogical Institute on Federal Records (Gen-Fed)

Applied Genealogy Institute (AppGen)

Course: Exploring Broad Context

National Genealogical Society Continuing Educational Studies

Courses: Transcribing, Extracting, and Abstracting Genealogical Records; and Reading Old Handwriting

Study/Discussion Groups

GenProof #55 Study Group; Jill Morelli's Certification Discussion Group; Jill Morelli's Write As You Go; ProGen #53 Study Group; and National Genealogical Quarterly (NGSQ) Study Groups

Conferences

Federation of Genealogical Societies (2020); RootsTech Connect (2021, 2022, 2023); New York State Genealogical and Biographical Society (2020, 2021, 2022); New England Regional Genealogical Consortium (2023); National Genealogical Society (2023)

Honors

Recipient of the 2021 Donna Hansen Peterson Memorial Scholarship

Recipient of the 2022 Ancestry ProGenealogists Scholarship

Membership and Volunteer Leadership

Genealogical Organizations and Historical Societies

National Genealogical Society; Association of Professional Genealogists; New York Genealogical and Biographical Society; Utah Genealogical Society; and the Italian Genealogical Group.

Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy (SLIG)

SLIG Committee, Syllabus Coordinator (2021–present)

Association for Professional Genealogists (APG)

Member of the Professional Development Committee (2022–present)

Board member, Forensic Genealogy Special Interest Group (2022–present)

Mentorship Committee member, Forensic Genealogy Special Interest Group (2022–present)

Program Committee member, New England Chapter (2021–present)

Publication

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