

Curriculum Vitae

Michael Fung

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Education

Ph.D. History, Texas Christian University, In progress, 2022-present

M.A. History, University of Texas at Arlington, 2020

B.A. History, Stephen F. Austin State University, 2018

Present Position

PhD Candidate and Graduate Assistant, History, Texas Christian University, 2022- present

Publications

The Heist: A massive theft of pre-Columbian art reveals troubling truths about Texans' role in the illicit antiquities trade," [with Alex Hidalgo PhD, Jack Hines, Anthony Peebler, Sofía Gómez Pichardo, Leonel Rodríguez, Meghan Scott-Chaber and Jack Emery] *The Texas Observer*, (10 June 2024). <https://www.texasobserver.org/the-heist/>

Co-editor for Dr. Kara Dixon Vuic et al., *Fighting Frogs: A History of Army and Air Force ROTC at TCU*, 2026.

Book Reviews

Review of *Religion and the American West: Belief, Violence, and Resilience from 1800 to Today*, by Jessica Lauren Nelson. *Great Plains Quarterly* Volume 44, no. 2 (Spring 2024)

Review of *Fury and Ice: Greenland, the United States and Germany in World War II*, by Peter Harmsen. *Journal of Military History* Vol. 89, no. 1 (January 2025)

Review of *The American Homefront During WWII: Blackouts, Ration-books and Rosie the Riveter*, by C. D. Peterson. *Journal of Military History* Vol. 89, no. 2 (April 2025)

Talks

Panelist for “Beyond the BA” at University of Texas at Arlington, organized by Danielle Pennycuff and Dr. Stephanie Cole (Fall 2025)

Teaching (K-12 Educator)

Grand Prairie ISD (2019-2022)

6th Grade World Cultures

7th Grade Texas History

8th Grade US History

International Leadership Texas (2018-2019)

7th Grade, Texas History

Certifications

Texas Examinations of Educator Standards (TExES)

TExES Pedagogy and Profession Responsibilities, May 2018

TExES History 7- 12, November 2017

Awards

The Douglas-Britt Carvey Classics Award, University of Texas at Arlington-1st Place (Fall 2018)