

Nicholas Fowler

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Education

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Anticipated Graduation: May 2026

- **Bachelor of Science in History** (Concentration: Secondary Education)
 - **Bachelor of Arts in International Studies** (Concentration: International Politics & Diplomacy)
 - **Minors:** Social Science Education, Geography, Asian Studies, Spanish
 - **GPA:** 3.97 | Dean's List (2022–Present)
 - **Honors:** Phi Kappa Phi, Sigma Iota Rho (Int'l Studies), Phi Alpha Theta (History)
 - **Community-Engaged Digital Engagement Scholar**
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Professional Experience

Archival & Circulation Assistant | Lovejoy Library, SIUE (*Sep 2023–Oct 2024*)

- Cataloged and organized archival materials using ALMA Interactive and database management systems.
- Provided front-desk customer service in a collaborative, independent work environment.

Golden Apple Scholar | Golden Apple Scholars Institute (*Jun–Jul 2024*)

- Assisted in an elementary special education classroom, developing inclusive teaching strategies.

Wetlands Research Intern | National Great Rivers Research & Education Center (*May–Aug 2023*)

- Designed conservation lesson plans and mentored TRIO Upward Bound students.
 - Conducted community science research with a multidisciplinary team.
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Research & Presentations

Extraterritoriality in Chinese Port Cities (1888–1928)

- Presented at *Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities (URCA)*, SIUE, and *American Comparative Literature Association (ACLA) Conference* (2023).
- Analyzed missionary narratives, international law, and Sino-foreign treaties (1841–1928).

Mestizo Nationalism in El Salvador (1929–1958)

- Researched Spanish-language primary sources on immigration policy and the Palestinian diaspora.

- Presented at *Latin American & Latinx Studies Symposium*.

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- **Anthropology Dept. (2022–2023):** Managed an Omeka S digital repository on West China missionaries.
 - **University Museum (2024–2025):** Handled artifact preservation using PastPerfect software.
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Leadership & Activities

- **President:** Phi Alpha Theta (History), Sigma Iota Rho (Int'l Studies), History Club (2022–Present)
 - **Founder:** Sigma Iota Rho Honor Society (2024)
 - **Treasurer:** Mustard Seed Peace Project (2024–Present)
 - **Member:** Climate & Sustainability Action Board, Ukrainian/Arabic/Spanish Clubs
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Skills

- Research & Writing | Spanish (Literacy) | Digital Collaboration (Omeka S, PastPerfect, ALMA)
 - Public Speaking | Cross-Cultural Communication | Lesson Planning
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Awards & Honors

- **Phi Kappa Phi Undergraduate Scholarship (2025)**
- **Critical Language Scholarship (Arabic, 2025)**
- **Kimball, McAfee & Riddleberger Award (Excellence in History, 2024)**
- **Ambassador Hussein Moussawi Int'l Travel Scholarship (2024)**
- **CODES Scholarship (2022)**
- **Illinois State Scholar (2022) | Golden Apple Scholar (2022)**