

KATHERINE V. JAEGER

Communications and Research Specialist



THE JOHNSON PARTNERSHIP

EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts, Creative Writing, University of Michigan, 2010
Zell Postgraduate Fellowship in Creative Writing, University of Michigan, 2011
Bachelor of Arts, English, University of Washington, 2002
Phi Beta Kappa, 2002

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: THE JOHNSON PARTNERSHIP

Katie Jaeger joined The Johnson Partnership in December 2014. Katie helps with the development of historical resources reports at all stages, from initial proposal to final draft. She enjoys tracing the history of a building or neighborhood through archival and internet research, and seeing a narrative emerge from the data. She also serves as company copyeditor-in-chief.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

2013–2014: Cheesemonger, Morgan & York, Ann Arbor, MI. Ate, sold, and talked about cheese on a professional, rather than merely recreational, level.

2011–2013: Advertising copywriter, LivingSocial. Created original, brand-appropriate advertising copy for the daily deal website.

2011–2012: Communications Assistant, University of Michigan Museum of Art. Assisted the Publications Director and Senior Graphic Designer, maintained event calendars and website copy.

2009–2010: Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan English Department. Taught undergraduate courses including Introduction to College Writing and Introduction to Creative Writing.

REPRESENTATIVE PROJECTS WITH THE JOHNSON PARTNERSHIP

HISTORIC RESOURCES PROJECTS

The Seattle Times Building Addition and Printing Plant, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)
The IBM Building, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)
The National Cash Register Building, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)
Daniel Webster School, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)
Bagley Elementary, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)
Loyal Heights Elementary School, Seattle, Washington (City of Seattle Landmark Nomination)

COMMUNICATIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROJECTS

Designed and implemented a database to corral and archive the Johnson Partnership's extensive text and graphics resources pertaining to Seattle neighborhoods, architects, architectural styles. Researched dozens of buildings of the Roosevelt district for an ongoing blog series highlighting neighborhood changes over the years.

VOLUNTEER PROJECTS, OR OTHER COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS

Participant in Historic Seattle's Digging Deeper Built Heritage Research Series
Database Manager, Community Farm of Ann Arbor, 2010-2013
Developer and workshop host, "The Stagecraft of a Reading," University of Michigan
Editorial Intern, Michigan Quarterly Review
Host and Coordinator, J. Edgar Edwards Reading Series, Ann Arbor, MI