

# Devin Gregg

## Scholarly Interests

My scholarly interests include the southern studies, modernism, Caribbean literature, African American literature, critical theory, gender and sexuality studies, and critical race and ethnic studies.

## Education

Doctor of Philosophy in English and Comparative Literature

University of North Carolina Chapel Hill

Expected May 2029

Master of Arts in English

Auburn University

Focus: Literature

Minor: African American Studies

May 2024

GPA 3.86

Bachelor of Arts in English-Liberal Arts

Francis Marion University

Undergraduate e-Portfolio compiling revised works with an emphasis on theory.

Dec. 2020

Bachelor of Arts in Biology

GPA 3.595

## Teaching Experience

### Instructor of Record

ENGL 105: English Composition and Rhetoric

University of North Carolina Chapel Hill  
Fall 2024

### Instructor of Record

ENGL 1100: First Year English Composition I

ENGL 1120: First Year English Composition II

Auburn University  
Fall 2023  
Spring 2024

### Graduate Teaching Assistant

ENGL 2210: World Literature After 1600

Instructor of Record: Dr. Catherine Wickman

Auburn University  
Fall 2022

Spring 2023

ENGL 2260: British Literature After 1789

Instructor of Record: Dr. Emily Friedman

### Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

ENGL 101L: First Year Composition I Writing Lab

Instructor of Record: Dr. Nancy Zaice

Jan. 2020 – Dec. 2020

### Student Tutor

Francis Marion University Writing Center

Jan. 2020 – Dec. 2020

## **Fellowships and Awards**

### **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**

University of North  
Carolina Chapel Hill

Aug. 2024 – Present

### **Noel Polk Award**

The Society for the  
Study of Southern  
Literature

Jun. 2024

### **Graduate Student Tuition Fellowship**

Auburn University

Aug. 2022 - May 2024

### **Francis Marion University English Award**

Voted on by English faculty yearly and presented to the top one or two students who are graduating or have recently graduated.

Apr. 2021

### **President's List**

Francis Marion  
University

Fall 2018 – Fall 2020

### **Dean's List**

Francis Marion  
University

Fall 2016 – Spring 2018

## **Presentations**

### **Society for the Study of Southern Literature 2024**

#### **Biennial Conference**

Jun. 2024

Presented my paper ““Time and space have no meaning in a canefield”: Regionally and Racially Defined Spatiotemporality in Jean Toomer’s *Cane*” in the session Southern Violence: Nature, Time, and Religion in Gulfport, MS.

### **Common Grounds featuring the Winter/Spring 2024**

#### **Exhibitions**

Mar. 2024

Spoke at the Jule Collins Smith Museum of Fine Art in Auburn, Al as a part of their Common

Grounds series contextualizing their exhibitions  
*Black Codes: Art and Post-Civil Rights Alabama*  
and *Bethany Collins: Accord*.

**Common Grounds featuring the Advancing American Art Collection**

Nov. 2023

Presented a mobility reading of Werner Drewes' *A Dark Thought (Was Visiting My Peaceful Backyard)* at the Jule Collins Smith Museum of Fine Art.

**Feminist Rhetorics 2023 De-Conference**

Sept. 2023

Accepted as part of the panel "Making Zines for Social Justice Workshop" at Spellman College in Atlanta, GA. Unable to attend.

**Southeastern American Studies Association Conference**

Sept. 2023

Presented my paper "Sexploitation Film or Abolitionist Text?: The Reproduction of Visual Artifacts of Slavery and Abolitionist Rhetorics in Richard Fleisher's *Mandingo*" in the session "Re-Memory of Forgotten and Lost Histories" in Atlanta, GA.

**Louisiana State University Mardi Gras Conference**

Feb. 2023

Presented my paper "Echoes from the Past: Countering an Ecology of Erasure through an Anthropocentric Reading of *The History of Mary Prince*" at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, LA.

**Leadership**

**Auburn University English Graduate Association**

Literature Co-Chair  
Member

May 2023 – Present  
Sept. 2022 - May 2023

**Creating Change Conference**

Attendee at the largest LGBTQ activist conference in the United States

2019, 2020

**Francis Marion University Gender-Sexuality Alliance**

President  
Secretary  
Member

Aug. 2018 – Dec. 2020  
Aug. 2017 – Aug. 2018  
Aug. 2016 – Dec. 2020

**Academic and Professional Memberships**  
**Modernist Studies Association**

Member

2023-Present