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## **Education**

Master of Library and Information Science-- Wayne State University, Library and Information Science, 2003

Master of Arts-- University of Tennessee, Anthropology, 1993

Bachelor of Arts-- University of Maine, Anthropology, 1990 (magna cum laude)

## **Professional Experience**

### **Information Resource Manager**

**B. H. Barkalow, P.C.**

**Newaygo, MI (8/05-Present)**

I provide reference and research service to support the engineering staff. I maintain the library collection, to include cataloging, acquisitioning and collection development. I provide copy-editing of engineering reports, correspondence, etc. In addition, I supervise three office staff members.

**Medical Library Coordinator (3/05-7/05); Research Technician (10/01-3/05)**

**Medical Library, Holland Hospital**

**Holland, MI**

As the Medical Library Coordinator I was responsible for running the Medical Library. In addition to my former library duties, this included maintaining the annual budget and coordinating the activities of five library volunteers.

As a Research Technician I conducted research on medical-related topics for hospital staff and local community members, and provided library instruction as needed. I designed and maintained the Medical Library's website as well as a community cultural diversity website. I served as administrator for the library's electronic databases. I assessed the collections and purchased, cataloged, and labeled items for both the Medical and Consumer Health libraries. I maintained circulation records, and lent/borrowed items for patrons using DOCLINE interlibrary loan software.

### **Adjunct Reference Librarian**

**Zumberge Library, Grand Valley State University**

**Allendale, Michigan (8/00-10/01)**

As an Adjunct Reference Librarian, I instructed students, faculty, and the public in how to conduct research using the online catalog, electronic databases, as well as the Internet and traditional print resources. I also aided in collection development by assessing anthropology and reference texts for purchase.

**Forensic Anthropologist/Collections Manager**  
**United States Army Central Identification Laboratory, Hawaii (CILHI)**  
**Hickam AFB, Honolulu, Hawaii (8/93-8/00)**

I analyzed and identified skeletal remains of past war dead as well as Medical Examiner cases. This included assessing age, sex, racial ancestry, stature, and trauma, as well as obtaining mitochondrial DNA bone samples. In the field I led archaeological excavations of sites worldwide, supervising soldiers and local workers from many diverse cultural groups. As the laboratory's Collections Manager I was responsible for accessioning, circulating, and inventorying remains; conducting archival research; and maintaining two databases. I led hundreds of scientific tours to varied audiences. I also trained new scientific staff in laboratory and field standard procedures.

**Graduate Assistant**  
**Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee**  
**Knoxville, Tennessee (9/91-8/93)**

While a Graduate Assistant, I provided support for the teaching of Forensic Anthropology, Human Origins, and Human Osteology courses, and was responsible for running the laboratory section of the latter course. I was also a member of the Forensic Response Team conducting death scene investigations and skeletal analyses. I served as the Collections Manager for the Anthropology Research Facility.

**Teaching Experience**

Occasional lecturer in Forensic Anthropology identification methods and techniques of human remains recovery (2005-Present)

Online database instruction, Holland Hospital--Holland, Michigan (2001-2005)

Reference/online database instruction, Grand Valley State University--Allendale, Michigan (2000-2001)

Co-lecturer for Location and Recovery of Human Remains course, Naval Criminal Investigative Service--Honolulu, Hawaii (1998)

Co-lecturer for Location and Recovery of Human Remains course, New York State Police--Albany, New York (1997)

Teaching Assistant for Forensic Anthropology, Human Osteology, and Human Origins courses at the University of Tennessee--Knoxville, Tennessee (1991-1993)

Instructor, United States Army Reserve--Bangor, Maine (1989-1991)

**Professional Memberships**

American Academy of Forensic Sciences (Fellow)  
Michigan Health Sciences Libraries Association  
West Michigan Health Sciences Libraries Association  
Sigma Xi

### **Publications, Presented Papers, et cetera**

- Anderson, B. E., Holland, T. D., Manoukian, A. & Grant, W. E. (2002). A death in paradise: human remains scavenged by a shark. In D. Wolfe Steadman (Ed.), *Hard evidence: case studies in forensic anthropology* (pp. 189-196). New York: Prentice Hall.
- Barkalow, B. H., Grant, W. E., & Curran, F. H. (2009, February) *Biomedical Engineering in Root Cause Analysis – Example: Assessing Infant Apnea-Related Deaths*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Denver, CO.
- Blanchard, A., Anderson, T. D., Wilson, R. E., Rankin, D. R., Grant, W. E., Temple, R. E., et al. (2001, February). *Using science to better the quality of human life*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Seattle, WA.
- Callum, K., Grant, W. E., Tibbetts, E. P., & Enslin, J. (1990, March). *Ethics in archaeology: a matter of public concern*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Maine Archaeological Society, Orono, ME.
- Faulkner, C. H., & Grant, W. E. (1992). *Sims burial cave*. Unpublished manuscript, University of Tennessee at Knoxville.
- Galloway, A., Woltanski, T. J., & Grant, W. E. (1993). *Bibliography for the Forensic Application of Anthropology*. Knoxville: University of Tennessee Press.
- Grant, B. (2005, May/June). Accessing relevant medical information using electronic resources, part 1: creating a search strategy. *PHO Newsletter*, 1; 4-5.
- Grant, W. E. (1990, Spring). Ethics and responsibilities regarding skeletal remains: a time for understanding and Respecting Native American beliefs. *Maine Archaeological Society Newsletter*, 5, 7-8.
- Grant, W. E. (1993, June). *Correcting a case of mistaken identity: the Pole Cat Creek incident*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Mountain, Swamp and Beach Practicing Forensic Anthropologists, Chattanooga, TN.
- Grant, W. E. (1993). *The effects of changing subsistence strategies on the degree of sexual dimorphism of skeletons from the southeastern United States*. Unpublished master's thesis, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.
- Grant, W. E. (1999, November). *CILHI: an overview of field and laboratory procedures*. Paper presented at the 1999 Symposium on Human Remains: Conservation, Retrieval and Analysis, Williamsburg, VA.
- Grant, W. E. (2000, February). *From the field to the family: chain of custody procedures and curation of remains at the United States Army Central Identification Laboratory, Hawaii*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Reno, NV.

**Publications, Presented Papers, et cetera (cont.)**

- Grant, W. E. (2005, January). *Accessing relevant medical information using electronic resources*. Paper presented to Holland Hospital physicians for continuing medical education, Holland, MI.
- Grant, W. E. (2005, March). *Using the power of CINAHL to conduct nursing research*. Paper presented to Holland Hospital nursing staff for continuing education, Holland, MI.
- Grant, W. E., Curran, F. J., & Barkalow, B. H. (2008, October). *An interdisciplinary forensic approach to solving medical device failure cases*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Biomedical Associations of Wisconsin Conference, Green Bay, WI.
- Grant, W. E., Grant, T. J., & Reyers, J. (2005, March). *The mystery of the missing mystery: a Nancy Drew 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary whodunit*. Children's interactive event presented at the Georgetown District Library, Jenison, MI.
- Grant, W. E., & Hoshower, L. M. (1999, November). *The lost generation: the long journey of Harold Wurtz and Harriet Gowen*. Paper presented at the 1999 Symposium on Advances in Personal Identification in Mass Disasters, Honolulu, HI.
- Grant, W. E., & Jantz, R. L. (2003, February). *The estimation of sex from the proximal ulna*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Chicago, IL.
- Grant, W. E., & Smith, B. C. (1998, February). *The recovery and identification of a United States Korean War-era soldier from Unsan County, Democratic People's Republic of Korea*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, San Francisco, CA.
- Holland, T. D., & Grant, W. E. (1998, February). *The recovery and identification of human remains from a World War II crash site in Tibet*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, San Francisco, CA.
- Houck, M. M., Ubelaker, D. H., Owsley, D. W., Craig, E. A., Grant, W. E., Fram, R., et al. (1995, February). *The role of forensic anthropology in the recovery and analysis of Branch Davidian compound victims: Assessing the Accuracy of Age Estimations*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Nashville, TN.
- Houck, M. M., Ubelaker, D. H., Owsley, D. W., Craig, E. A., Grant, W. E., Fram, R., et al. (1996). The role of forensic anthropology in the recovery and analysis of Branch Davidian compound victims: assessing the accuracy of age estimations. *Journal of Forensic Sciences*, 41, 796-801.
- Konigsberg, L. W., & Grant, W. E. (1994, April). *Females better buffered? Past and ethnographic present*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Physical Anthropologists Denver, CO.
- Mann, R. W., Holland, T. D., Webster, A. D., & Grant, W. E. (1996). The search for American MIAs: forensic anthropology in the field. *The Director*, 64, 34-38.

**Publications, Presented Papers, et cetera (cont.)**

- Rankin, D. R., Temple, R. E., Grant, W. E., Blanchard, A., & Smith, B. C. (2001, February). *Homeward bound: the recovery and identification of the crew of the "Lost Liberator."* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Seattle, WA.
- Owsley, D. W., Ubelaker, D. H., Houck, M. M., Sandness, K. L., Grant, W. E., Craig, E. A., et al. (1994, February). *The role of forensic anthropology in the recovery and analysis of Branch Davidian compound victims: techniques of analysis.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, San Antonio, TX.
- Owsley, D. W., Ubelaker, D. H., Houck, M. M., Sandness, K. L., Grant, W. E., Craig, E. A., et al. (1995). The role of forensic anthropology in the recovery and analysis of Branch Davidian compound victims: techniques of analysis. *Journal of Forensic Sciences*, 40, 341-348.
- Parisian, S. D., Barkalow, B. H., & Grant, W. E. (2008, February) *The Pathologist's Role in Preserving Implanted Pacemakers and Cardiac Defibrillators or How Not to Get Shocked!* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Washington, D.C.
- Ubelaker, D. H., Owsley, D. W., Houck, M. M., Sandness, K., Grant, W. E., Craig, E., et al. (1994, February). *Role of anthropology in Mount Carmel disaster.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, San Antonio, TX.
- Ubelaker, D. H., Owsley, D. W., Houck, M. M., Craig, E. A., Grant, W. E., Woltanski, T. J., et al. (1995). The role of forensic anthropology in the recovery and analysis of Branch Davidian compound victims: recovery procedures and characteristics of the victims. *Journal of Forensic Sciences*, 40, 335-340.

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