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Current Position

Senior Staff Archaeologist and Manager of Woodstock, Illinois Office

Education

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY
M.A. Anthropology

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA
B.A. Anthropology

Professional Registration

Registered Professional Archaeologist (R.P.A.)

Professional Development

Microsoft Front Page Web Page Development Course, Chicago, Illinois, 2001.

National Preservation Institute: An Update on Federal Cultural Resource Compliance Issues. December 1-2, 1998. State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison

Licensed Open Water Diver (PADI)

Awards, Professional and Civic Affiliations

Research Excellence Award, Iowa State University, 1998. Recognizing Outstanding Research Accomplishments within the top 10% in a Graduate Program.

Experience

Mr. Parrish holds an M.A. degree in Anthropology from Iowa State University. His thesis focuses on Middle/Late Woodland period settlement patterns in the Central Des Moines

valley of Iowa. Specifically, his analysis examines prehistoric locational behavior as well as predictive modeling using GIS as a tool. Prior to coming to Archaeological Research, Inc., in the summer of 1998, Mr. Parrish worked for the Office of the State Archaeologist of Iowa as well as the Iowa State University Archaeological Laboratory as a crew chief and field school teaching assistant. Mr. Parrish has studied soils and geomorphology at the graduate level with the Iowa State University Agronomy department to further a secondary research interest: geomorphology, specifically pertaining to soil genesis and landform formation. Mr. Parrish's expertise in mapping and CAD production has allowed ARI to generate high caliber visual documents.

Special Projects

Project Manager, Phase III Mitigation of the City of Chicago Cemetery within the National Register of Historic Places Lincoln Park, City of Chicago. Excavation, removal and documentation of over 80 human burials. 1998.

Project Manager, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Chicago District exclusive contract. 1998-2004.

Project Manager, Long-Haul Internet Fiber Optic Network Corridor Survey. A 240 mile corridor survey from Kansas City, Missouri to St. Louis, Missouri. Coordination between Engineering and Construction Companies and the Federal Communications Commission, the Advisory Council for Historic Preservation as well as the Missouri State Historic Preservation Officer. 2000.

Project Manager, Iowa Department of Transportation U.S. 63 and U.S. 34 Eddyville Bypass. 1998

FCC Cell Tower Architectural and Archaeological Evaluations, Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Illinois. 2002-present.

Phase I Archaeological and Architectural Investigations: over four hundred throughout Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Arkansas, Missouri, Ohio, South Dakota and Indiana, 1998-Present.

Phase II Determinations of Eligibility, Archaeology and Standing Structures, Representative examples include: 11CK110 an Archaic period site on the Upper Des Plaines River; The Half Ridge Site Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Burlington, Wisconsin; 11KE438 19th Century Historic Farmstead; 11KE492 a Late Archaic period site in Kendall County, Illinois; 11KE494 a Middle to Late Archaic period site in Kendall County, Illinois; 11KE486 a pre-historic Lithic Scatter in Kendall County, Illinois.

Phase III Archaeological Mitigations including developing mitigation plans. Representative examples include Mitigation of the City of Chicago Cemetery within the National Register of Historic Places Lincoln Park, City of Chicago, Friendship Farms an Archaic Shell Midden at the Confluence of the Rock and Mississippi Rivers, and The Pine River Site, a Prehistoric Multi-component Site on the Pine River, Richland County, Wisconsin. 1988-Present.

Selected Publications and Presentations

2000 Results of a Phase I Cultural Resource Investigation of the Long-Haul Internet Fiber Optic Network Project, Kansas City to St. Louis, Missouri. Project Completion Report. Archaeological Research Inc., Chicago.

1998 Results of a Phase I Cultural Resource Investigation of the Upper Des Plaines River Project, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois. Project Completion Report for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Chicago District. Archaeological Research, Inc., Chicago.

1998 Results of a Phase I Cultural Resource Investigation of U.S. Route 63, Eddyville Bypass in Mahaska, Monroe, and Wapello Counties, Iowa. Project Completion Report. Archaeological Research, Inc., Chicago.

1998 Archaeology Field Guide for Anthropology 308. Iowa State University Press, Ames.

1998 Middle/Late Woodland Settlement Systems: An Analysis of Prehistoric Locational Behavior in the Central Des Moines Valley. A Thesis Submitted to the Graduate Faculty in Partial Fulfillment of the Requirements for the Degree of Master of Science, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.

1997 "Middle/Late Woodland Settlement Systems: An Analysis of Prehistoric Locational Behavior in the Central Des Moines Valley." Paper Presented at the 55th Annual Plains Anthropological Conference, Boulder, Colorado.

1996 Session Chair. 54th Annual Plains Anthropological Conference, Iowa City, Iowa.