



Native American Archives Section Monthly Meeting

[18 September 2025 - 11:00 AM EST](#)

Welcome to the celebration of 20 years of NAAS!

Introductions

- Kelley - Chair
- Vina - Past Chair
- Candy - Vice Chair
- Jack - Secretary
- Jerrid - Steering Committee
- Eric - Steering Committee
- Janine - Steering Committee
- Mattie - Steering Committee
- Ugoma - Steering Committee
- Sage - Steering Committee
- Jillian - SAA Council Liaison

[NAAS Soundtrack](#) - Candy

[20 Years of NAAS October 2025 Interview](#): Diana Marsh

Subcommittee Updates - current activities, calls for collaboration

- Case Studies: Vina and Sage
 - None to report. We not had a second meeting
- Communications: Jack and Ugoma
 - Performed outreach for NAAS + Repat Committee tabling at ATALM
- IAT: Candy, Jerrid, and Kelley
 - Full Mellon Proposal submitted - revisions requested by October 17th
 - Beginning program prep (Project starts December 1, 2025)
- Elections: Janine and Vina
 - None to report.

- Scholarship: Candy and Jerriid
 - Nothing to report
- Monthly Interviews: Jack, Ugoma, Kelley
 - Completed first interview with Diana Marsh - recorded and shared on YouTube [here](#).
 - November interview: Jonathan Pringle, Nov 20.
- If you want to join a committee, reach out to the co-chairs.

Council Updates - Jillian

- Not able to make the meeting this month, but will report back after the upcoming Council meeting (November 17-19) via the listserv as needed.

Other SAA News:

- Please consider submitting a proposal for the 2026 Annual Meeting. Eric Hung is on the program committee. Proposals are due December 5. [Learn more here](#).
- If you are interested in running for an elected leadership position (SAA Council, Nominating Committee, or Vice President), please reach out to Kelley or Melissa.
- [Riverside Job posting](#) - Melissa
 - Two zoom info sessions about the position will be held on:
 - Monday, October 27 from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm (Zoom registration link: <https://lnkd.in/g546bTcP>)
 - - Wednesday, November 5 from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm (Zoom registration link: <https://lnkd.in/gne5G6hc>)
- [PINAR](#)

ATALM 2025 Highlights

- Diana and Ugoma's session, Indigenizing Archival Search: Trialing SNAC for Community Research and Archives, went quite well!
- Selena and Ryan held an IAT meetup where a number of folks signed up to participate. Alison had some interested folks sign up as well via tabling.
- Our two gift baskets in the raffle were highly sought after and we received multiple requests for a complete book list.

Next Meeting: November 20, 11:00 AM EST

Shareable links:

- [NAAS Discord](#)
- [NAAS Spotify Playlist](#)
- [Interview with Diana Marsh](#)
- [PINAR](#)