

**Wayne State University Society of American Archivists
Student Chapter**

2020-2021 Annual Report
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General Meetings

- October 16, 2020
- November 13, 2020
- December 11, 2020
- January 13, 2021
- February 10, 2021
- March 10, 2021
- April 14, 2021

Events

Open House

The first event held after reforming the group was a virtual Halloween themed open house with introductions of the new officers and fun activities for all who wanted to participate.

Information on Becoming a Certified Archivist

Dr. Louis Jones (WSU SAA faculty advisor) presented on the process of becoming a certified archivist through the Academy of Certified Archivists and gave advice on how to prepare for the test.

Tour of the Cranbrook Center for Collections and Research

Head Archivist Deborah Rice gave us a virtual tour of the facilities in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and spoke about changes caused by COVID-19 lockdowns.

Tour of Van Hoosen Farms

Samantha Lawrence, Head Archivist at the Van Hoosen Farms in Rochester Hills, Michigan presented a virtual tour and information about how COVID-19 disrupted workflows of the organization.

Brown Bag Lunch and Webinar with HGSA

We joined WSU's History Graduate Student Association for a brown bag lunch viewing of the prerecorded webinar *How Much am I Worth?* by Rachel Christine Woody.

Other Significant Activities

- Due to not having a student chapter for the 2019-2020 school year, fall 2020 was devoted to rebuilding the group and revising the constitution.
- The February 10, 2021, general monthly meeting included special guest Sarah Lebovitz (Service Employees International Union Archivist) from the Reuther Library who asked for input on development of job-support programming for WSU SAA students.
- President of SAA student chapter wrote and distributed *SAA @ Wayne Career Outlook* newsletter for the months of February and March.