WINTER 2022 HISTORY ALUMNI CAREER PANEL

**Racquel West, B.A. in History: Race, Gender & Power and Geography (AIS minor), 2020**

While at the University of Washington, Racquel West participated in the Honors in History program. She worked as a Collections Outreach Coordinator at the Burke Museum of Natural History and Culture for two years before starting her current internship at the School of Advanced Research in their Education, Registration, and Collection departments.

**Monica Meadows, B.A. in History, 2002; M.A. in Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, 2005; Ph.D. in History, 2013**

Monica Meadows participated in research as a Mary Gates Research Fellow while an undergraduate student at UW, later completing graduate work focusing on Islamic History. She also completed a teaching certification program and has taught at several institutions (both as a college professor and as a public school teacher). Currently, she is the Director of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion for the Lake Stevens School District.

**Jacob Carson, B.A. in History, 2020**

Jacob Carson was a transfer student who worked as a student employee while at UW. He took time off from his undergraduate studies for several months to work as a deckhand for boat tours in Alaska before returning to finish his degree. After he graduated he worked on a local organic farm and currently works as a freelance historian/researcher/genealogist.

**Emma Atkinson, B.A. in History and Political Science (LSJ minor), 2020**

During her time at UW, Emma Atkinson participated in the History Fellows program and worked as a student employee. Interested in pre-law, she worked as a Legal Intake intern at the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Washington for ten months. She is currently working at Starbucks while studying for the LSAT.

Questions for the panelists: