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Michael A. Rusche		Archaeological Field Technician	
Availability: Immediate	Email: marusche@crai-ky.com	RPA Registration No.: NA	
Specific Duties:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct Fieldwork in Phase I, II, and III Archaeological Investigations Field Supervisor on Phase I Archaeological Investigations Catalog and Process Artifacts Project Preparation Report Preparation 	Education and Training:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M.Sc., forensic archaeology and anthropology; Cranfield University B.S., anthropology and criminal justice studies; University of Southern Indiana
Experience Summary Information			
Archaeological Field Technician	Archaeological Field Technician	Archaeological Field Technician	Intern
Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc. 2021 – present	Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc. 2018-2019	Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc. 2018	Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc. 2018
<p>Michael Rusche is one of a team of full-time survey and excavation personnel. His duties encompass all aspects of seeing these projects through to completion. These responsibilities include the initial fieldwork, laboratory analysis, project preparation, and report preparation. Since 2018 Michael has participated in field research in West Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri, and has led field research in Indiana and Kentucky. He has assisted in the documentation of prehistoric and historic sites, ranging from an Archaic cemetery in Southeastern Indiana to a historic farmstead in central Illinois. In addition to archaeological fieldwork and technical report writing, he has assisted in archival research and field documentation of architectural resources. His main focus is forensic archaeology/bioarcheology. In addition, he has experience conducting GIS surveys, with a specialization in aerial photogrammetry.</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participated in many Phase I surveys, 1 phase II survey, and 4 phase III surveys/cemetery relocations Led 15+ Phase I surveys throughout Indiana and Kentucky, and authored the associated reports Participated in 2 field schools in New Harmony, Indiana and Bedfordshire, England Participated in electro resistivity surveys of New Harmony Mounds and the Mann Site, both located in Posey County, Indiana Led drone-based photogrammetry surveys of Hamilton Spring Cave, located within Meramec State Park in Missouri <p>Representative Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Field Technician, Phase III survey/cemetery relocation along SR 111 in Floyd County, Indiana, Winter-Spring 2022. CRA Project No. I210161. 			

- Field Technician, Phase I and II surveys at Hovey Lake in Posey County, Indiana, Fall 2021. CRA Project No. I210472.
- Field Technician, Phase III survey/cemetery relocation within Downtown Evansville, Indiana, Spring 2023. CRA Project No. I230152.
- Field Technician, Phase I survey of Hoosier National Forest near French Lick, Indiana, Fall 2022. CRA Project No. I220263.
- Field Supervisor, Phase I survey within Van Buren Township in Monroe County, Indiana, Spring 2023. CRA Project No. I230018.
- Field Supervisor, Phase I survey within Jackson and White River Townships in Hamilton County, Indiana, Spring 2023. CRA Project No. I230222.
- Field Supervisor, Phase I survey located along the East Fork Whitewater River in Richmond, Indiana, Winter 2023. CRA Project No. I200051.

Representative CRM Publications:

Rusche, Michael

2022 A Phase Ia Archaeological Reconnaissance Survey of the Barkley Dam Embankment and Facilities Management Area Development Project in Livingston and Lyon Counties, Kentucky. CRA Contract Publication Series 22-229. Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc., Evansville, Indiana.

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2023 A Phase Ia Archaeological Reconnaissance for the Proposed Preventative Maintenance for Bridge 705 on Richmond Avenue Over East Fork Whitewater River, Richmond, Wayne County, Indiana (INDOT Des. No. 1902799). CRA Contract Publication Series 20-550. Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc., Evansville, Indiana.

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2023 A Phase Ia Archaeological Survey for a Proposed Entek Industrial Project in Honey Creek Township, Vigo County, Indiana. CRA Contract Publication Series 23-133. Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc., Evansville, Indiana.

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2023 A Phase Ia Archaeological Reconnaissance for a Proposed Electric Generating Facility in Sullivan County, Indiana. CRA Contract Publication Series 23-219. Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc., Evansville, Indiana.

Additional Training:

- Certificate in *Technical Writing for Cultural Resource Management* provided by the Society for American Archaeology
- Certificate in *What is Section 106* provided by the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
- Adult CPR, AED, and First Aid certified
- Eagle Scout rank from the Boy Scouts of America, 2014