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<b>Experience Summary Information</b>
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Architectural Historian	Education and Engagement Manager	Education Interpreter
Cultural Resource Analysts, Inc. March 2024 - Present	Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill 2017 - 2023	Black Creek Pioneer Village 2016 - 2017

Maggie McAdams Poudel comes to CRA with over a decade of experience as a museum professional. In addition to having considerable experience in exhibition development, museum education and interpretation, she is skilled in research and writing. As an architectural historian at CRA, Maggie’s responsibilities include researching and documenting historic properties by conducting archival research and field surveys, evaluating the significance of historic properties, and preparing written reports that provide summary findings and recommendations.

Maggie Poudel holds a Master of Arts in Historical Administration from Eastern Illinois University. Her graduate work focused on the research, interpretation, and management of material culture and the built environment with specific coursework in historic preservation, history of American architecture, historical interpretation, museum education, collections care, exhibition design and development, and material culture analysis.

**Trainings:**

- Kentucky Museum and Heritage Alliance Conferences, 2018, 2022, and 2023
- Museum Education Workshop, Kentucky Museum and Heritage Alliance, 2019, Bowling Green, KY
- American Association for State and Local History Annual Meeting, 2019, Philadelphia, PA
- Focus on Visitors: Public Programming and Exhibits at History Institutions Workshop, American Association for State and Local History, 2018, Louisville, KY
- History Relevance Workshop, Kentucky Museum and Heritage Alliance, 2018, Harrodsburg, KY

**Recent Projects:**

- Pieces of Pleasant Hill: Objects and Stories.** Exhibition prepared for Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill, Harrodsburg, Kentucky, 2020.
- Reinterpreting the Kentucky Shakers.** Presentation prepared for the Ohio Valley History Conference, Frankfort, Kentucky, 2019.
- Origins of Lincoln Log Cabin State Historic Site.** Presentation prepared for the Reconstructing Lincoln Log Cabin: The Civilian Conservation Corps in Coles County Symposium, Lerna, Illinois, 2011