

# Taylor M. Howard

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## EDUCATION

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Ph.D., History, Purdue University	expected 2031
M.Phil., International History, Trinity College Dublin	2026
M.A., History, University of Georgia	2025
B.A., History, North Carolina State University	2019

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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German history post-1945  
Cold War intelligence and security institutions  
Political violence and clandestine militant networks  
Radical politics and state legitimacy

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## RESEARCH

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### Articles Under Review

- Howard, Taylor M. “Stabilizing, Destabilizing, and Blurring Memory: Digital Tours and Anti-Totalitarian Consensus at Gedenkstätte Hohenschönhausen.” Under review at *German Politics & Society*.
- Howard, Taylor M. “Bearer of Secrets: Colonel Harry Dahl, Détente, Law School, and the Origins of RAF-*Stasi* Collaboration 1970–1981.” Under review at *Journal of Intelligence History*.

### Conference Presentations

- Howard, Taylor M. “‘The Same or Similar Goals’: *Stasi* Surveillance of Irish and West German Militant Networks during the Troubles.” Paper accepted for presentation at Society for Intelligence History annual conference, London, 2026.
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## AWARDS AND HONORS

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The Graduate School Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, University of Georgia	2025
Encouragement to Teach Award, University of Georgia	2025
Carl Vipperman History Teaching Assistantship Award, University of Georgia	2024
Highest Achievement in History Award, North Carolina State University	2019

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## SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

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University of Georgia Foundation Scholarship	2024–2025
Department Research Travel Grant, University of Georgia	2024

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Graduate Teaching Assistant, Purdue University	2026–present
Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia	2023–2025
U.S. History since 1865 (Fall 2023, Summer 2024)	
History of the Soviet Union (Spring 2024, Spring 2025)	
The Cold War in Soviet and American Life (Fall 2024)	
Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Wake Early College of Health & Sciences	2023
Ninth Grade English (Spring 2023)	

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**PUBLIC HISTORY AND OUTREACH**

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Guest Lecturer, Oconee County Library History Lecture Series 2024  
Competition Judge, National History Day (Middle and High School Divisions) 2023–2024

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**MEDIA APPEARANCES**

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Guest Presenter, *Irish History Students' Association Podcast*. Forthcoming, expected Fall 2026.

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**LANGUAGES**

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English (native)  
German (advanced reading proficiency)  
Russian (elementary reading proficiency)

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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German Studies Association  
Society for Intelligence History  
International Intelligence History Association  
American Historical Association  
Phi Alpha Theta

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**MILITARY SERVICE**

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U.S. Marine Corps, Infantry Rifleman 2020–2023