

“ADVICE FROM THE ARCHIVAL TRENCHES”

- Intro. to talk.
- Challenges for Beginning Archivists
 - Administrative Support
 - Financial Support: personal and organizational
 - Promotion and Outreach
 - Visibility through Publication
- Archival Education
 - FSU History Dept. – State Archives of Florida
 - Archival Fundamentals Series
 - Blogs
 - Podcasts
 - Newsletters
 - Webinars/Twitter Chats
 - Listservs (SFA, SAA, etc.)
 - Professional Publications (Archival Science, Florida Archivist, Archival Outlook, American Archivist, Journal of Archival Organization, Archivaria)
 - Professional Associations (e.g., SAA, SFA)
 - Courses (DAS, A&D certificates) – online and on-site
 - Archives Conferences
 - Archives Workshops- Archives Institutes (Georgia, NARA)
- Professional Experience
 - Volunteering
 - Internships
 - Mentoring (sharing and encouraging career development)
 - Archives Institutes (Georgia, NARA)
 - Personal hobbies (historical research, genealogy)
- Getting Recognized
 - Poster Presentations
 - Panel sessions at conferences
 - Networking
 - Publishing (through SAA, SFA, self-publishing, reviewing)
 - Joining professional associations (SAA, SFA, etc.)
 - Archival Certification (CA, DAS/A&D certificates)
 - Advocacy
 - Awards (SAA, SFA-Award of Excellence, Beale Scholarship, etc.)