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2024 DONOR IMPACT SUMMARY

\$6,000 3 grants awarded

THE SCHOLARS

Lauren Cook: Johns Hopkins University Louis Mainwaring-Foster: University of Colorado, Boulder Lonnie Reid- Emory University





LAUREN COOK

Johns Hopkins University Excavation site: Alalakh, Türkiye



Lauren Cook is a current PhD candidate at Johns Hopkins University focusing on History of Art.



"There was also something magical about the process of building as working with the mud would often transport us back to the Middle Bronze Age where we could see in real time the problems that ancient builders would have encountered, and following in their footsteps often used stones, ceramic fragments, water, mud, and straw as solutions"



LOUIS MAINWARING-FOSTER

University of Colorado, Boulder Excavation site: Brač Island, Croatia



Louis is a Master's student in the Classical Art and Archaeology track of the Classics department at the University of Colorado Boulder.

"In my experience, these sorts of finds are the best since the information and building techniques that we learn about in class come to life in the field. A variety of interesting finds, learning new excavation methodology and enjoying the Mediterranean sun are some of the reasons I love to excavate."





LONNIE REID

Emory University Excavation site: Qach Rresh, Iraq





Lonnie is a recent graduate from Emory University with a Bachelor's degree in Art History and Mathematics.

"After hearing about the goals of this project, I was intrigued as it gives me a chance to work in a region that I am not familiar with in an art historical context and get to use magnetometry again, as it was one of the highlights of my first archaeological dig."



Thank you for your continued support of archaeological research and new discoveries!

