# **Jason Sellers**

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## **Biography**

Jason R. Sellers holds graduate degrees from the University of California, Irvine, and an undergraduate degree from the University of California, Berkeley. He is a cultural and environmental historian of 17th-and 18th-century North America interested in landscapes and bodies, and is currently working on a project that explores the interactions of Munsee Indians and European colonists in the 17th-century Hudson Valley. He offers courses on colonial North America, Native American history, and environmental history.

### Areas of Expertise

Environmental History, Native American History, Colonial North America

#### **Affiliations**

New Netherland Institute, American Society for Environmental History, Native American and Indigenous Studies Association, American Society for Ethnohistory, American Historical Association, McNeil Center for Early American Studies, Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture, Organization of American Historians

## **Event Appearances**

Energy and the ecological self in the 17 th -century Hudson Valley American Society for Environmental History annual meeting

Colonization and the disruption of the Hudson Valley?s Native landscape New Netherland Institute 41 st Annual Conference

The 17th-century Hudson Valley as a Native Place International Association for the Study of Environment, Space, and Place Annual Meeting

Human Bodies and the Natural World in the Hudson Valley?s Colonized Landscapes American Society for Ethnohistory Annual Meeting

### **Education**

University of California, Irvine Ph.D. History

**University of California, Irvine** M.A. History

University of California, Berkeley B.A. History and English

## Accomplishments

**2018 Volunteer of the Year** Friends of the Rappahannock

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