

Gore Center Welcomes New Staff Member

James Havron Jr. joined the Albert Gore Research Center in August as archivist and coordinator. Jim works with student workers, faculty, and researchers in a variety of projects including processing of new collections, creating greater access to older ones, and digitization.

Havron earned his master's degree in history with an archival management track at MTSU. He is a member of the Academy of Certified Archivists and has been the president of the executive board of the Society of Tennessee Archivists for several years. He also serves on the steering committee of a section of the Society of American Archivists.

Before joining the Gore Center, Havron worked for the special collections division of the Nashville Public Library, where he did archival processing and preservation, worked with digital collections, directed oral history projects and the conversion of analog oral histories to digital formats, and served as StoryCorps coordinator.