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HISTORY MUSEUM OF MOBILE WELCOMES NEW MUSEUM RELATIONS OFFICER

The History Museum of Mobile Board of Directors is announcing a change in its public relations personnel with the departure of Museum Relations Officer Daniela Werner and the arrival of Jacqlyn Kirkland.

Kirkland will succeed Werner in managing the museum's public relations, community outreach and advertising department.

Werner has accepted the Communications Assistant position at the United States Sports Academy in Daphne, Ala. She has served the History Museum for almost two years and in previous years gained experience as an intern at the Mobile Press-Register and as editor-in-chief of *The Vanguard*, the student newspaper at USA.

Werner holds a Bachelor of Arts in Print Journalism from the University of South Alabama.

"While we hate to see Daniela Werner leave our staff, we're very happy and excited for her regarding this new professional opportunity across the Bay with the United States Sports Academy," said History Museum Director David Alsobrook. "During her service with the History Museum, Ms. Werner has created and launched a variety of innovative promotional programs that have been invaluable to us. Because of her professionalism, creativity, and collegiality, she has been an inspiration to all of us, and we'll miss her as a colleague and as a friend."

Kirkland holds a Master of Arts in Museum Studies from Johns Hopkins University and a Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology from the University of South Alabama. She previously served as the Outreach Education Specialist at the Gulf Coast Exploreum in Mobile, Ala. She has interned at the History Museum of Mobile and the Mobile Arts Council.

"As we bid farewell to Ms. Werner, we also welcome Ms. Jacqlyn Kirkland aboard as the History Museum's new Museum Relations Officer," Alsobrook said. "Ms. Kirkland brings an impressive portfolio of strong academic credentials and a wealth of experience in the museum field to this position.

"We're very fortunate to have her join our professional team. We all look forward to seeing her implement her ideas for promoting our museum. She also will play a vital role in the museum's educational and community outreach programs," Alsobrook said.

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