# JILLIAN R. CAVELLIER

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# **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy, Geoscience

Expected August 2028

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

Master of Science, Geoscience

August 2024

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY Institution GPA: 4.00

**Bachelor of Science**, Geology, Minor in Mathematics

August 2020

State University of New York (SUNY) at Oswego, Oswego, NY Institution GPA: 3.56

Associates of Mathematics and Science, Science Concentration

May 2018

Jefferson Community College, Watertown, NY Institution GPA: 3.68

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*APPOINTMENTS* 

Senior Laboratory Technician – Cementitious Materials Group

July 2022, May 2024-Present

University of Kentucky's Center for Applied Energy Research Assisted with various experimental procedures

**Graduate Research Assistant** – Cementitious Materials Group *University of Kentucky's Center for Applied Energy Research* 

August 2022 – May 2024 August 2021 – May 2022

**Adjunct Professor of Mathematics** 

Jefferson Community College

Instructed a mathematics course to freshman and sophomore students

**Undergraduate Teaching Assistant** 

January 2020 – March 2020

Assisted with instruction and grading of an upper division course of geologic hazards for majors and non-majors

AWARDS, HONORS AND SERVICE

Exxon Mobil Short Course – Southeast U.S. Region – Fall 2023

Accepted to the Exxon Mobil Geoscience Recruitment Course at the University of

Georgia

ERDC Scholars Program Award – August 2022 and August 2023

United States Army Core of Engineers and University of Kentucky

Center for Applied Energy Research

President – Graduate Geology Group – April 2023 – April 2024

University of Kentucky

Recruitment Alumni Development Diversity Equity and Inclusivity (RADDEI)

Graduate Student Representative - Graduate Geology Group - August 2022-April 2023

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of

Kentucky

**Boone Fellowship – August 2022** 

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of

Kentucky

Pioneer Graduate Excellence Scholarship – August 2022

Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Kentucky

Outstanding Geology Graduate of 2020 - May 2020

Department of Atmospheric and Geologic Sciences, State University of New York at Oswego

**Gary Forstoff Field Award – May 2020** 

Department of Atmospheric and Geologic Sciences, State University of New York at Oswego

Secretary - Geology Club - August 2019 - May 2020

State University of New York at Oswego

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## Master's Research

<u>Thesis Title:</u> "Thermal Alteration of the Mineralogy of Calcium Sulfoaluminate Cements: Implications for the Performance of Rapid Repair Materials"

# **Undergraduate Research**

Analyzed fracture systems of the Black River and Trenton Groups in Jefferson County, NY

# ANALYTICAL SKILLS

- Characterization Methods:
  - o Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM)
  - o X-Ray Diffraction (XRD)
  - o TGA (Thermal Gravimetric Analysis) technologies
  - o Fourier Transform Infrared Spectroscopy (FTIR)
  - o Cilas 1090 particle size analyzer
  - Polarized light and reflected light microscopy
  - Production of petrographic thin sections

#### Software:

- Microsoft Office 365
- MATLAB and C++ programming languages
- o ArcGIS
- o Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator
- Surfer and Canvas programs
- Operation of Instron High-Capacity Universal Testing Systems for Compression
- Operation of Instron Drop Weight Impact Tester
- Construction of geologic maps and cross sections
- Writing of geological technical reports
- Website design

## FIELD SKILLS

- Electrical Resistivity Tomography (ERT)
- Electromagnetic induction (EM)
- Magnetics (Magnetometer)
- Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR)
- Spontaneous Potential (SP)

# RELATED COURSEWORK

- Graduate Stable Isotopes
- Graduate Petroleum course
- Graduate Geochronology
- Graduate Low Temperature Geochemistry
- Graduate Quantitative Methods for Environmental Science
- Graduate Environmental Chemistry
- Graduate Scientific Communications
- Graduate Tectonics
- Hydrogeology
- Structural Geology
- Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology
- Sedimentology and Stratigraphy
- Volcanology
- Exploration Geology
- Mineralogy
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Field Geology
- Historical Geology
- Physical Geology

- Calculus I
- Calculus II
- Calculus III
- Calculus Based Statistics
- Ordinary Differential Equations
- Matrix Algebra
- Engineering Mathematics
- Mathematical Modelling
- General Physics I
- Science and Engineering Physics I (Calculus Based)
- General University Physics II (Calculus Based)
- General Chemistry I and II
- Principles of Biology I and II