



PRESIDENT WOODROW
WILSON HOUSE

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ABOUT ME

I am a current grad student in the Art and Museum Studies program at Georgetown University.

I graduated from Indiana University in 2018 with a BA in Art History.

I am originally from Indianapolis, Indiana, but currently reside in Atlanta, GA.

CURATORIAL INTEREST AND CAREER GOALS



I hope to be a curator in an art museum or art gallery.

I am interested in Black contemporary art.

I hope to blend my activism for Black Maternal health and art.

I am currently the Curator and Collections Manager for Resilient Sisterhood Project. RSP is a Boston based non-profit, that empowers Black women regarding their reproductive health.

PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON HOUSE SCHOLAR

- I chose to be a scholar because of the freedom to explore a personal project.
- I grew up going to the Benjamin Harrison Presidential Site in Indianapolis, IN.
- I believe that there is still so much to learn from history, scholars must uncover unexplored stories.



MY PROJECT

I connected my interest in Black maternal health and the progressive era.

**NEXT WEEK IS
'BABY WEEK'**

**All Kinds And Classes
Of Babies To Be
On Exhibition.**

Beginning of Research

I came into thinking that there was this very distinct inequity between white and black health outcomes and found data that confirmed my assumptions.

New found info

I learned about better baby contests, competitions held at fairs throughout the US during the early twentieth century in which babies were judged for their health.

Current Understanding

All communities were concerned with the the state of mortality and the future generations. Many communities held baby contests, but segregation kept minority communities from reaching equality in health.

MY PROJECT

Our Little Friends



6. Some of the babies who scored high in a better baby contest sponsored Settlement in New York City.

MOTHER TO ENTER TRIPLETS IN RACE

Expected to Be Interesting
Feature of the "Better
Baby" Contest.

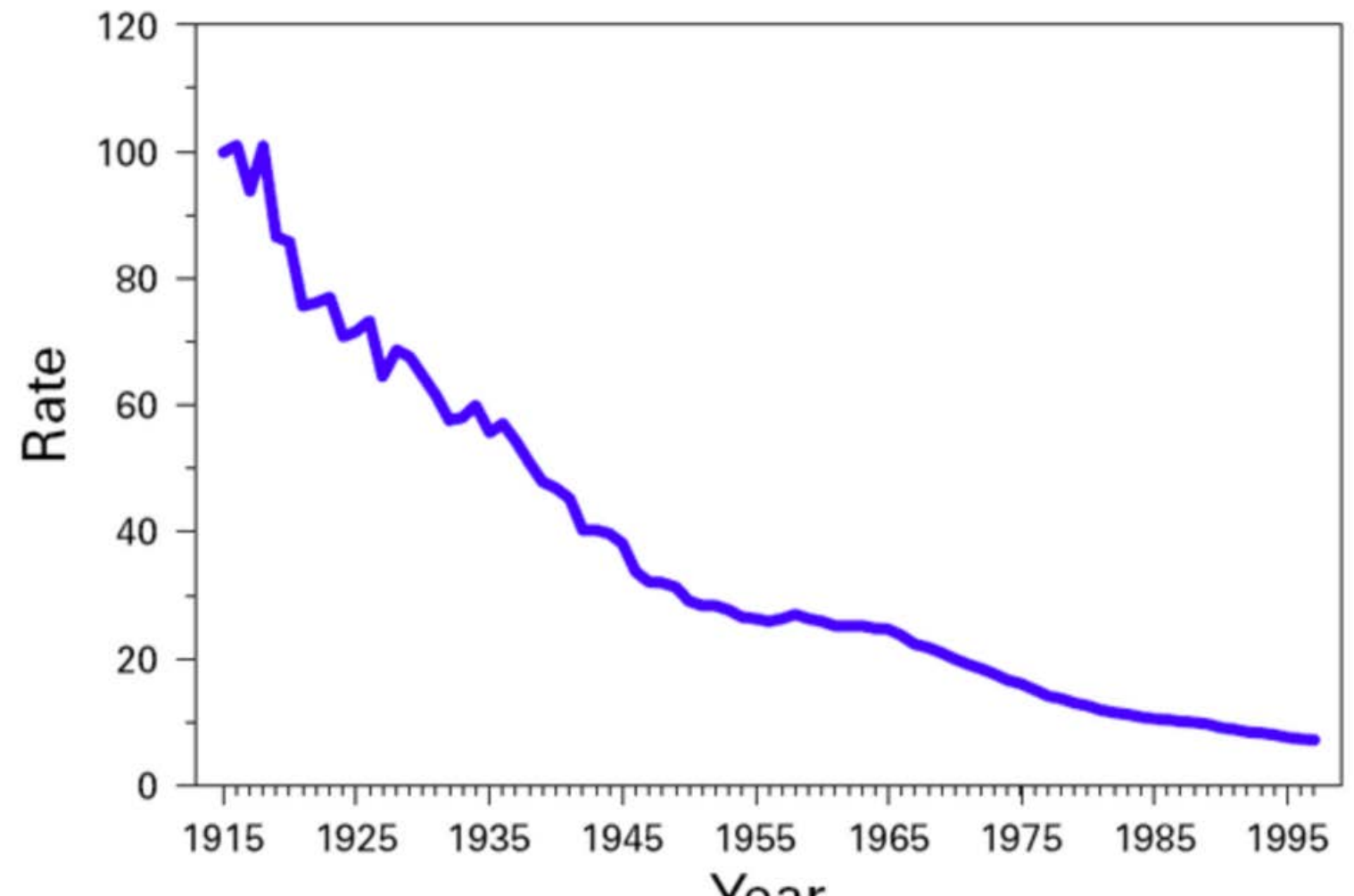
BETTER BABIES SHOW.

A **Better Babies** Health Show and Contest, under the auspices of the *Woman's Home Companion*, and managed by our **baby** specialist, Dr. A. DeG. Smith, will be held at Bethel A. M. E. Church, 60 W. 132nd street, from April 2 to April 12, daily, at 4 p. m.

The board of examiners consists of Drs. Smith, Chaney, Nurse and Proffit, assisted by Mrs. Winfield's Health Aid Nurses.

Prizes will be awarded the healthiest **babies** and motion picture...

FIGURE 1. Infant mortality rate,* by year — United States, 1915–1997





CONCLUSION

I learned so much about infant and maternal health during the Wilson Administration and what research skills I must harness to be a curator.

What has impacted me the most from this was the mentorship by Ms. Stacey Wilson-McMahon and Zach Burt.

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