

# premise

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Magnus University, a prestigious research institute located in London, England, is home to some of the best academic programs in the country. It is most notable for its library sciences program due to the college's centuries-old Archive, which is maintained almost entirely by its graduate students.

The school itself is also rumored to be a focal point for all sorts of strange happenings, often left unexplained. Many of the documents in the Archives tell stories of unsolved disappearances and horrifying supernatural scenarios, but the validity of these claims are almost impossible to prove. Some students buy into the spookiness of the University more than others, but when the bizarre and sometimes dangerous events in statements begin to occur off the page, the reality of them becomes harder to ignore.

Most recently, Professor Gertrude Robinson, who ran the Archival program, was found dead. This incident has left the Archives' graduate program in disarray, with the students picking up the slack while a suitable replacement for the head of the department is found. In the interim, her TA, Jonathan Sims, has been temporarily put in charge of the program by the Dean of the University, Elias Bouchard. Professor Robinson's absence has not only scarred the students but has been followed by an increasing amount of odd paranormal circumstances.

Something is happening at Magnus University that can't be explained away by the logic some students so desperately cling to. As the Archival program tries to get to the bottom of the school's seemingly never-ending mysteries, will they be able to solve the mystery, or will they uncover something far worse than they could've imagined?



A [Magnus Archives](#) AU Roleplay. Find the Discord server [here](#).

# rules

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- Any sort of homophobia/transphobia/racism/any other harmful -isms will not be tolerated. Don't be an asshole or you will be booted without warning.
- No character/ship hate. You can have opinions, just don't be a jerk about them.
- No godmodding! If you're writing a thread with someone, let them decide what their character is doing/saying. You will receive warnings about this if you do it, but if it seems habitual, action will be taken.
- No ooc drama. That seems like a given but it really does need to be said. This is a place for everyone to have fun, let's keep it that way.
- **This server is 18+** due to the graphic nature of the subject matter and the possibility of nsfw content discussion. Please do not join if you are under 18.
- You don't have to be completely caught up with the podcast as this is an AU roleplay, but it is impossible for us to keep this server completely free of spoilers, so please only join us if you are okay with some level of spoiling (depending on how far into the podcast you are).
- For the time being, one canon character and two original characters will be allowed per person.
- Original characters are welcome! We would love to see some new faces with different allegiances popping up at the school, and all sorts of characters are welcome. Because this is an AU, characters who would not normally be considered for the roleplay are free game. Feel free to take a random character from the podcast and fit them into this world, even if you're just using their name! Creativity is encouraged!

# masterlist

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Characters have been loosely sorted into the group they would most likely be a part of (with influence taken from the first season of the podcast), but please feel free to adjust their placement if there's somewhere specific you'd prefer for them to be. Those who are avatars of entities are especially open to some wiggle room. If you are interested in a character from the podcast not listed here, let us know and we will add them for you!

A **bolded** name indicates that a character is taken. An *italicized* name indicates that a character is reserved. Reservations will last for 24 hours and can be made by contacting The Archivist in the Discord server.

## Archives Graduate Students

- **Jonathan Sims**
- **Martin Blackwood**
- **Sasha James**
- **Timothy Stoker**

## Archives Undergraduate Students

- **Gerard Keay**
- **Michael Shelley**

## Professors

- Annabelle Cane
- Jurgen Leitner
- Maxwell Rayner
- Oliver Banks
- Peter Lukas
- **Simon Fairchild**

### Other Students

- **Agnes Montague**
- Alice “Daisy” Tonner
- Basira Hussain
- Georgie Barker
- Jude Perry
- Julia Montauk
- Melanie King
- Michael Crew
- Nikola Orsinov
- Rosie

### Other University Staff

- Breekon
- **Elias Bouchard (Dean of Magnus University)**
- Diego Molina
- Hope
- **Jane Prentiss**