Emerging history professionals are often told to join the community of historians on Twitter, #twitterstorians. I was inspired by the repeated emphasis on Twitter to interview Twitterstorians and study their use of Twitter. The #Twitterstorians interviews were conducted with nine participants to analyze how Twitter is a platform for history. The participants reflected on how they communicate on the site and the challenges they face using Twitter. The participants addressed abuse on Twitter, communicating with peers and the public, and gave advice to emerging professionals.

While Twitter offers many benefits such as networking, and publishing, it is important to be aware of the harassment usually targeted at women and people of color. The interviewees discussed how they combat the abuse and create respectful communities. Despite its challenges, Twitterstorians resoundingly support the platform and take advantage of the benefits it provides as a forum for history. They strongly encourage historians to create an account and join the community. Overall, Twitter is an effective platform for history and historians have capitalized on its benefits.