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EDUCATION

- 2011-2018: PhD, History, The University of Washington (UW)
Dissertation: “Cities of the Plan: Visions of the Built Environment in Northern England, 1960-1985”
Committee: Jordanna Bailkin (Chair), Raymond Jonas, Lynn Thomas
Fields of History: Modern Britain, Modern France, Modern Africa, European Intellectual History
- 2007-2009: MA, History, The City College of the City University of New York
Thesis: “Rest Cures for the German Soul: The Concept of Home in the Architectural Writings of Camillo Sitte and Hermann Muthesius”
Advisor: Andreas Killen
- 2003-2006: BA, *Magna Cum Laude*, History, Azusa Pacific University
Dean’s List, Azusa Pacific University, 2003 – 2006
Study Abroad: Oxford University, Fall 2005

PUBLICATIONS

Articles

- “Decolonizing the New Town: Roy Gazzard and the Making of Killingworth Township.” *Journal of British Studies* 57, 2 (April 2018): 333-362.

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Instructorships

- “Cities from Scratch: The Global History of New Towns,” History, Colby College, 2019.
“Modern Utopias: From the Satanic Mills to Silicon Valley,” Integrated Studies, Colby College, 2018.
“Apocalypse 1914: The Origins, Experience, and Memory of World War I in Europe,” History, UW, 2017 and 2014.
“Metropolis: The Modern European City, 1848-1970,” History, UW, 2015.
“Introduction to Modern Africa, c. 1880 – Present,” Upward Bound Program, UW, 2014.

Teaching Assistantships

- “The Late Middle Ages,” History, UW, 2018
“Race, Gender, and Class in Latin America and the Caribbean,” History, UW, 2017.

- “Reading Tolkien,” History, UW, 2015.
- “Modern Africa, c. 1880 – Present,” History, UW, 2014.
- “History of Paris,” History, UW, 2013.
- “Europe and America, 1914-1945,” History, UW, 2013 and 2012.
- “Modern Revolutions,” History, UW, 2012.
- “European History and Film after 1945,” History, UW, 2012.
- “Early Modern Europe,” History, CCNY, 2009.

Research Assistantships

- African History with Prof. Lynn Thomas, History, UW, 2013.
- Early Modern Europe with Prof. Barbara Naddeo, History, CCNY, 2009.

Presentations

- “Love in the Ruins: Modernist Estates and Their Afterlives”
North American Conference on British Studies, Providence, 2018
- “Common People Like You: Urban Renewal and the Politics of the Ordinary in 1970s Britain”
Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Santa Barbara, 2018
- “A Social Engineer in the Colonial Circuit: Roy Gazzard and the Making of Killingworth Township”
North American Conference on British Studies, Denver, 2017
- “Such Stuff as Dreams Are Made On: The Material Culture of Urban Planning in 1960s Britain”
Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Victoria, BC, 2017
- “Mixing Memory and Desire: The Making of Killingworth Township”
UW History Department Journal Submissions Workshop, Seattle, 2017
- “The Conception of the United States as a Chosen Nation in the Age of Imperialism”
The Conference on Faith and History, Oklahoma City, 2007

CONSULTING WORK

- Historical Researcher for Brad Smith, President and Chief Legal Officer at Microsoft.
June 2017- Present.

ACADEMIC HONORS

Fellowships

- Sidney Stern Memorial Grant, Spring 2017
- Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Conference Travel Grant
- Society of Scholars Graduate Fellowship, Fall 2016 and Winter 2017
- Simpson Center for the Humanities, UW
- Ebba Dahlin Fellowship in History, Winter and Spring 2016
- Dissertation Writing Fellowship, Department of History, UW

Chester Fritz Fellowship for International Research, 2014 – 15 [declined]
Dissertation Research Fellowship, Graduate School, UW
Pinkney Endowment Fellowship for Research Abroad, Winter and Spring 2015
Dissertation Research Fellowship, Department of History, UW
Costigan Fellowship in European History, Autumn 2014
Dissertation Writing Fellowship, Department of History, UW
Maclyn Burg Dissertation Research Grant, Summer 2014
Pre-Dissertation Research Fellowship, Department of History, UW
Joff Hanauer Fellowship for Excellence in Western Civilization, 2013 – 14
Simpson Center for the Humanities, UW

Awards

Thomas M. Power Prize for the outstanding graduate student paper
Department of History, University of Washington (UW), 2013
Joan Kelly Prize for best essay in an elective History course,
Department of History, The City College of New York (CCNY), 2009
Oscar Lloyd Meyerson Prize for best honors essay in History,
Department of History, CCNY, 2008

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Manuscript Reviewer, *Twentieth Century British History*
Co-Organizer, History Colloquium, UW, History, 2017 – 18
Panel member, New TA Workshop, UW, 2017.
Panel member, Summer Teaching Workshop, UW, History, 2017
Graduate Liaison Committee, Department of History, UW, 2013 – 14
Served as an official representative of the graduate students in the Department of History at UW, and maintained open communication between faculty, staff, and graduate students.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

North American Conference on British Studies, Student Member
Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies, Student Member
Conference on Faith and History
Alpha Chi Honor Society