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Education

University of Washington
Doctoral Candidate in History
Degree Expected in 2022

Doctoral Committee: Chair: Joshua Reid, Stephanie Smallwood, Adam Warren, and María Elena García

Fields: American Indian History, Race, Slavery, and US Empire, Comparative Indigeneity in Latin America, and Posthuman Studies

Degrees and Certificates

University of Washington
Doctoral Candidacy, Winter 2019

University of Washington
Master of Arts in History, 2017

University of Washington
Bachelor of Arts in History and Comparative History of Ideas
Magna Cum Laude, 2016

Research Interests

American Indian and Indigenous History, Race, Slavery, and Empire, Settler Colonialism, Latin America, Posthuman and Animal Studies, Pacific Northwest History.

Conference Presentations

Jennifer Smith, "Companions to Commodities: Horses as tools of Survival and Resistance on the Colville Indian Reservation, 1872-1925" Oral Presentation at the Pacific Northwest Historians Guild, Seattle, WA, January 25, 2018.

Jennifer Smith, "All of this Belongs to Us: Land, horses, and Indigenous Resistance on the Yakama Indian Reservation, 1900-1950." Oral Presentation at the University of Washington Undergraduate Research Symposium, Seattle, WA, May 20, 2016.

Jennifer Smith, “Where the Wild Horses Roam: The Cross-Cultural Debate over the Fate of Wild Horses on Yakama Tribal Lands.” Oral Presentation at the National Conference for Undergraduate Research, Cheney, WA, April 15-18, 2015.

Publications

Jennifer Smith, “Community Colleges in the Climate of Scarcity,” *Walter Chapin Simpson Center for the Humanities*, University of Washington, May 21, 2019, <https://simpsoncenter.org/news/2019/05/community-colleges-climate-scarcity>

Jennifer Smith, “What Community Colleges Can Teach Universities About Inclusivity,” *Walter Chapin Simpson Center for the Humanities*, University of Washington, December 17, 2018, <https://simpsoncenter.org/news/2018/12/what-community-colleges-can-teach-universities-about-inclusivity>

Jennifer Smith, “All of this Belong to Us: Land, horses, and Indigenous Resistance on the Yakama Indian Reservation, 1900-1950.” *Ezra’s Archives: Spring 2016*, Cornell Historical Society, Ithaca, NY.

Awards, Honors, and Recognition

2018-2019: John and Mary Ann Mangels Endowed Fellowship in Public History

2018-2019: Simpson Center for the Humanities *Reimagining the PhD* Mellon Fellowship

2018: UW Department of History Burke Prize

2017: Diversity of Views and Experiences (DOVE) Fellowship at the University of Minnesota (Declined)

2017: International Center for Global Change Fellowship at the University of Minnesota (Declined)

2016-2017: J.C. Smith Memorial Fellowship

2016: UW Deans Medalist in the Humanities

2016: UW Department of History Thomas Powers Paper Prize

2015-2016: Early Identification Program (EIP) Presidential Scholar

2015-2016: Ronald E. McNair Scholar

2015: Faye A. Wilson Endowed Fellowship

2015: Mary Gates Research Scholar

2014: Fellow, UW Summer Institute in the Arts and Humanities (SIAH)

Other Professional Experience

2019: Staff Assistant, UW Department of History

2019-Present: Editorial Intern, *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*

2017-2018: Research Assistant for forthcoming book on the Environmental history of the Duwamish River, authored by B.J. Cummings

September 2017-March 2018: Tutor for UW Student Athletic Academic Services (SAAS)

2015-2016: Peer Advisor in UW Undergraduate Academic Advising

Summer 2013-Winter 2014: Anthropology Tutor at Green River Community College

1992-2010: Assistant Racehorse Trainer, Owner, and Groom in Washington and Oregon

Teaching Experience

Fall 2019: HIST&136: US History I, From Revolution to Reconstruction (Instructor)

Spring 2019: HSTAA 432 History of Washington and the Pacific Northwest (Reader/Grader)

Winter 2018: HSTEU 234: Nazi Germany and the Holocaust (TA)

Winter 2018: HIST&214: Pacific Northwest History, Seattle Central College (Instructor)

Autumn 2018: HSTAA 337 The Holocaust and American Life (TA)

Spring 2018: HSTAA 212 Military History of the United States (TA)

Spring 2018: HSTAA 432 History of Washington and the Pacific Northwest (Reader/Grader)

Winter 2018: HSTAA 105 Peoples of the United States (TA)

Autumn 2017: HSTAA 221 The Environmental History of the United States (TA)

Service and Volunteer Work

2018-2020: Co-President of the History Graduate Liaison Committee (GLC)

April 2018-Present: Undergraduate Network and Mentor Advisory Committee

2014-2016: UW Undergraduate Research Leader

2010-2016: Classroom Volunteer K-12 in the Auburn, Kent, and Seattle School Districts

2011-2012: Wildlife Care and Rehabilitation, Sawyer Lake Veterinary Hospital

Languages

Spanish: Intermediate speaking, writing, and reading proficiency

University/ Professional Memberships and Services

Equine History Collective

Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA)

Phi Beta Kappa

Phi Alpha Theta

Western Historical Association (WHA)

References

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