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**EDUCATION**

Princeton University, Ph.D. in History, 1990, M.A. in History, 1983

New York University, Institute of French Studies, M.A. in French Studies, 1984

École des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (Paris), Diplôme d’Études Approfondies in History, 1981

Bryn Mawr College, A.B. *magna cum laude* in History and French Studies, 1979

**EXPERIENCE**

Professor of History, Ohio State University, 2013-, Associate Professor of History, 2004-2013

Professeur invité, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris, May 2000

Associate Professor of History, University of Rochester, 1998-2004, Assistant Professor of History, University of Rochester, 1991-1998

Lecturer, Princeton University, 1989-1990

**HONORS and AWARDS**

OSU College of Arts and Sciences, Distinguished Professor of History, 2019

OSU College of Arts and Sciences, Diversity Enhancement Faculty Award, 2019

OSU Distinguished Scholar Award, 2016

Featured Review, *American Historical Review,* February 2015

David H. Pinkney Prize, Society for French Historical Studies, 2014

Senior Book Prize, Ohio Academy of History, 2014

Featured Review, H-France Forum, Summer 2014

German Marshall Fund Fellowship, 2002-2003

John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Fellowship, 2000-2001

French Fulbright Senior Fellowship, 2000-2001

Koren Prize, Society for French Historical Studies, 1999

Karp Prize for Excellence in Teaching, University of Rochester, 1998

Berkshire Book Prize, Berkshire Conference of Women Historians, 1998

H.W. Dodds Honorific Fellowship, Princeton, 1985-1986

Bourse Chateaubriand, 1984-1985

Princeton University Fellowship, 1981-1984

Bourse du Gouvernement Français, 1980-1981

NYU Graduate Fellowship, 1979-1980

Senior History Prize, Bryn Mawr College, 1979

**PUBLICATIONS**

Books (sole author):

*Exposer l’humanité: race, ethnologie et empire en France (1850-1950)* [French edition of *In the Museum of Man*](Paris: Éditions scientifiques du MNHN, 2015)

*In the Museum of Man: Anthropology, Race, and Empire in France, 1850-1950* (Ithaca, NY and London: Cornell University Press, 2013; Russian translation forthcoming in 2027) (honors: Society for French Historical Studies David H. Pinkney Prize, 2014; Ohio Academy of History Prize, 2014), PBS podcast interview <http://wknofm.org/term/counterpoint>

*A Mission to Civilize: The Republican Idea of Empire in France and West Africa, 1895-1930*, (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 1997) (honors: Berkshire Prize, 1998)

Books (co-authored):

*France and Its Empire since 1870,* with Sarah Fishman and Robert Zaretsky, 2nd ed. (Oxford and London: Oxford University Press, 2014 [2010])

*European Imperialism, 1830-1930: Climax and Contradictions*, with Ian C. Fletcher, Problems in European Civilization Series (Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1998)

Manuscripts in Progress:

Sole author: *Race Borrowings: Anti-racism at UNESCO in Postwar Paris 1948-1965*

Co-editor with Owen White: *Cambridge Companion to the French Empire* (under contract with Cambridge University Press, 2026)

Journal Special Issue

“Writing Colonial Histories,” *French Historical Studies* 27: 3 (Summer 2004), 497-722, edited with Julia Clancy-Smith and co-author of introduction

Peer-Reviewed Publications:

“The First Universal Races Conference in 1911 London and the Global Problem of Race Relations**,**” in Sarah C. Dunstan and Ian B. Stewart, ed., *Race: How an Idea Shaped the Western World”* (forthcoming, Cambridge University Press)

“’Mission civilisatrice’: une rhétorique mobilisatrice” in Pierre Singaravélou ed., *Colonisations. Notre Histoire* (Paris: Le Seuil, 2023) 394-397

“‘Nothing is Less Universal than the Idea of Race’: Alfred Métraux, American Social Science, and UNESCO’s Antiracist Campaign in 1950s Paris,” *Durkheimian Studies/Études Durkheimiennes* 27:1 (2021), 107-132

“De la sociologie objective à l’action: Charles Le Coeur et l’utopisme colonial,” in Christine Laurière et André Mary, ed., *Ethnologues en situations coloniales* (Les Carnets de Bérose n° 11, Paris, Bérose - Encyclopédie internationale des histoires de l’anthropologie) (2019) 45-79 <https://www.berose.fr/article1709.html?lang=fr>

“Marcel Mauss et la notion de « race » face à la montée des fascismes,” *Archives Juives* 50:2 (2017), 34-54

“1878 à 1945. Le paradoxe colonial du Musée de l’Homme,” in Claude Blanckaert, ed., *Histoire du Musée de l’Homme* (Paris, 2015), 3-24

“Emprunts transnationaux et constitution du Musée de l’Homme,” numéro special “Histoire transnationale des musées,” *Revue germanique internationale* 21 (2015), 169-185

“The Making of a Colonial Science : *Ethnologie* and Empire in Interwar France,” *Ab Imperio* 3 (2009) [translated into Russian], 19-64

“Histories of Colonialism: Recent Studies of the Modern French Empire,” *French Historical Studies* 30: 2 (2007), 305–332

“Skulls on Display: Scientific Racism in Paris’ Museum of Man, 1920-1950,” in Daniel J. Sherman, ed., *Museums and Difference* (Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press, 2007), 250-288

“Who Speaks for Africa? The René Maran-Blaise Diagne Trial in 1920’s Paris,” in Sue Peabody and Tyler Stovall, ed., *The Color of Liberty: Histories of Race in France* (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2003), 302-337

“The New ‘Ethnology’ and ‘la situation coloniale,’” *French Politics, Culture, and Society* 20: 2 (Summer 2002), 29-46

“Civil Society, Science, and Empire in Late Republican France: The Foundation of Paris’ Museum of Man,” *Osiris* 17 (July 2002), 255-290

“Faire naître vs. Faire du noir: Race Regeneration in France and French West Africa, 1895-1940,” in Tony Chafer and Amanda Sackur, ed. *Promoting the Colonial Idea: Propaganda and Visions of Empire in France* (London: Macmillan, 2001), 143-156

“Colonialism and Human Rights, A Contradiction in Terms? The Case of French West Africa, 1895-1914,” *American Historical Review* 103: 2 (April 1998), 419-442 (honors: Koren Prize)

“On a semé la haine: Maurice Delafosse et l'administration coloniale en AOF,” in Jean-Loup Amselle et Emmanuelle Sibeud, ed. *Maurice Delafosse : Entre orientalisme et ethnographie. L’itinéraire d’un africaniste* (Paris : Editions Maisonneuve et Larose, 1998), 65-77

“Redefining Frenchness: Citizenship, Imperial Motherhood, and Race Regeneration in French West Africa, 1890-1940,” in Julia Clancy-Smith and Frances Gouda, ed., *Domesticating the Empire: Languages of Gender, Race, and Family Life in French and Dutch Colonialism* (Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1998), 65-83

“’Democracy Rediscovered’: The Advent of Association in French West Africa, 1914-1930,” *Cahiers d'études africaines* XXXVI: 1 (1997), 59-84

“A Force for Civilization: Republican Discourse and French Administration in West Africa, 1895-1930,” in Charles Becker, Saliou Mbaye, and Ibrahima Thioub, ed., *AOF: Réalités et héritages. Sociétés ouest-africaines et ordre colonial, 1895-1960* (Dakar : Direction des Archives du Sénégal, 1997), vol. 1, 283-302

Editor-reviewed Publications:

“Mentoring au *sens large*: A Tribute to Herrick Chapman,” in Special Issue of *French Politics, Culture and Society,* (forthcoming 2024)

“Resistance in Postwar France: Five New and Noteworthy Histories,” *Contemporary European History* 32:1 (2023), 146-56 <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0960777322000273>

“Le Musée de l’Homme et la question de la race à la fin des années 1930,” *Hommes et Migrations* 1334 (July-September 2021), 62-67

“Phrenology as Global Science, as Race Science,” *Global Intellectual History* 6: 2 (2021), 105-114,

Special issue on James Poskett, *Materials of the Mind: Phrenology, Race, and The Global History of Science, 1815-1920* (Cambridge : Cambridge University Press, 2020) <https://doi.org/10.1080/23801883.2021.1892909>

“Learning the Scholar’s Craft: Reflections of Historians and International Relations Scholars,” (22 January, 2021) H-Diplo: [https://hdiplo.org/to/E304](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/hdiplo.org/to/E304__;!!KGKeukY!lmul1DFw60687mdOjIYbmGzH6afqx7_nwnM8fR6Lyng2cf-6gmeY8ZK80pqkj9M8EQ$)

AHR Conversation: “Museums, History, and the Public in a Global Age,” *American Historical Review* 124:5 (December 2019), 1591–1629

“Peau Neuve pour le Musée de l’Homme,” *L’Histoire* 416 (October 2015), 20-21

“The Civilizing Mission,” in Vincent Duclert, Christophe Prochasson, and Edward Berenson, ed., *The Third Republic : History, Values, Debates* (Ithaca : Cornell University Press, 2011), 173-181

“*Mission civilisatrice*” and “*La plus grande France*” entries in Sophie Dulucq, Jean-François Klein and Benjamin Stora, ed., *Les mots de la colonisation* (Paris : Presses Universitaires du Mirail, 2008), 74-75 and 91-92

“L’ethnologie combattante de l’entre-deux-guerres,” in Tzvetan Todorov, ed., *Le siècle de Germaine Tillion* (Paris : Seuil, 2007), 39-60

“The Ties that Bind? European Working Women and the Shifting Boundaries of Sex, Race and State,” *Gender and History* 17: 1 (April 2005), 93-98

“Boundaries Unbound: Teaching French History as Colonial History, and Colonial History as French History,” Forum, *French Historical Studies* 23: 2 (Spring 2000), 215-238

“Le colonialisme : un dérapage de l’idéal éducatif en France ?” *Communications* 72 (2002), 159-172

“From World-Systems to Post-Coloniality: Teaching the History of European Imperial Encounters in the Modern Age,” *Radical History Review* 71 (Winter 1998), 150-163

Reviews (journals):

Stovall, Tyler, *White Freedom: The Racial History of an Idea* (Princeton, Princeton University Press, 2021) *Journal of Modern History* 95:4(December 2023), 935-937

Brenna Moore, *Kindred Spirits: Friendship and Resistance at the Edges of Modern Catholicism* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2021) H- Diplo (5 May 2022) <https://issforum.org/essays/PDF/E435.pdf>

Emile Chabal, *France* (Cambridge, UK: Polity Press, 2020) H-France Review 21:138 (Aug. 2021) <https://h-france.net/vol21reviews/vol21no138conklin.pdf>

Paul-André Rosental, *A Human Garden: French Policy and the Transatlantic Legacies of Eugenic Experimentation* (New York/Oxford: Berghahn Books, 2019), *Isis* 112 :1 (2021), 206-207

Elizabeth A. Foster, *African Catholic : Decolonization and the Transformation of the African Church* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2018), Introduction to Round-table, H-Diplo (22 June 2020)[https://hdiplo.org/to/RT21-47](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/hdiplo.org/to/RT21-47__;!!KGKeukY!g2A1U2KG1W8sNbt45VA8ijThJ6ZlGuvTlmB6YrOzrsgJem9bKYjaBzXt2tc24XB28CE$)

Robert Gildea, *Empires of the Mind : The Colonial Past and the Politics of the Present* (Cambridge, Eng : Cambridge University Press, 2019, H-France Review 19 : 214 (Dec. 2019) <https://h-france.net/vol19reviews/vol19no214conklin.pdf>

Herrick Chapman, *France's Long Reconstruction: In Search of the Modern Republic* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2018), *Journal of Canadian History* 54: 3 (2019), 410–412

Edmund Burke III, *The Ethnographic State : France and the Invention of Moroccan Islam* (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2014), *Journal of Modern History* 90:1 (March 2018): 205-208

Martin Thomas and Richard Toye. *Arguing about Empire: Imperial Rhetoric in Britain and France, 1882-1956* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017), *Journal of British Studies* 57:3 (July 2018): 668-670

Rebecca Rogers, *A French Woman’s Imperial Story, Madame Luce in Nineteenth-Century Algeria* (Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press, 2013), *Revue CLIO* 46 [Online] (2017) <http://journals.openedition.org/clio/13853>

Vincent Debaene, *Far Afield : French Anthropology between Science & Literature.* Trans. Justin Izzo (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2014) H-France Review 15: 9 (Jan. 2015) <http://www.h-france.net/vol15reviews/vol15no9conklin.pdf>

“Response to H-France Forum on *In the Museum of Man: Race, Anthropology and Empire in France, 1850-1950,”* H-France Forum 9: 2 (Spring 2014) <http://www.h-france.net/forum/forumvol9/Conklin4.pdf>

Sara Byala, *A Place that Matters Yet : John Gubbins’s MuseumAfrica in the Postcolonial World* (Chicago : University of Chicago Press, 2013) *Journal of African History* 55 : 2 (July 2014): 288-290

Helen Tilley, *Africa as Living laboratory. Empire, Development and the Problem of Scientific Knowledge*, 1870-1950 (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2011) and Pierre Singaravélou, *Professer l'empire. Les "sciences coloniales" sous la IIIe République,* (Paris: Publications de la Sorbonne, 2011), *La vie des idées,* Jan. 31, 2013 <http://www.laviedesidees.fr/_Conklin-Alice_.html>

“Coup de Torchon,” Bernard Tavernier director. “Film and Fiction for French Historians,” H-France 2: 5 (April 2012) <http://h-france.net/fffh/classics/coup-de-torchon/>

Li-Chuan Tai, *L’anthropologie française entres sciences coloniales et décolonisation (1880-1960)* (Paris : Publications de la Société française d’histoire d’outre-mer, 2010) *Modern and Contemporary France* 19: 4 **(**2011**)**,530-531.

Edward Berenson, *Heroes of Empire. Five Charismatic Men and the Conquest of Africa* (Berkeley, CA : University of California Press, 2011) H-France Forum, 6: 3 (Sept. 2011) <http://www.h-france.net/forum/h-franceforumvol6.html>

Pascale Barthélémy, *Africaines et diplômées à l’époque coloniale (1918-1957)* (Rennes: Presses Universitaires de Rennes, 2010) *Clio, Histoire, Femmes et Société* 33-Colonisations (2011), 301-303

Emmanuelle Saada, *Les enfants de la colonie. Les métis de l’Empire français entre sujétion et citoyenneté* (Paris : La Découverte, 2007), *French Politics, Culture and Society* 28: 2 (summer, 2010), 134-137

Henrika Kuklick, ed., *A New History of Anthropology* (London : Blackwell, 2008), *Annales. Histoire, Sciences Sociales* 64: 1 (janv-fev. 2009), 285-288

Eric Jennings, *Curing the Colonizers. Hydrotherapy, Climatology and French Colonial Spas* (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2006), *Journal of Modern History* 80: 3 (2008), 273-275

Véronique Dimier, *Le gouvernement des colonies. Regards croisés franco-britanniques* (Bruxelles: Éditions de l’Université de Bruxelles, 2004), *Annales. Histoire, Sciences Sociales* 63 : 3 (mai-juin 2008), 695-697

Benoît de l’Estoile, *Le goût des autres. De l’exposition coloniale aux Arts premiers* (Paris : Flammarion, 2007), *Revue d’histoire des sciences humaines* 18 :1 (2008), 233-238

Frederick Cooper, *Colonialism in Question: Theory, Knowledge, History* (Berkeley: California University Press, 2005) H-France, 6:70 (June 2006) <http://www.h-france.net/vol6reviews/Vol6no70conklin.pdf>

Jacques Dozon, *Frères et sujets. La France et l’Afrique en perspective* (Paris : Gallimard, 2004) *Politique africaine* 98 (June 2005), 181-186

Karen Adler, *Jews and Gender in Liberation France* (Cambridge, Eng: Cambridge University Press, 2003) *The International History Review* (March 2005), 434-436

Emmanuelle Sibeud, *Une science impériale pour l’Afrique ? La construction des savoirs africanistes en France, 1878-1930* (Paris: Éditions de l’ÉHÉSS, 2002), H-France, 3: 31 (April 2003) <http://www.h-france.net/vol3reviews/vol3no31conklin.pdf>

François Pouillon et Daniel Rivet, ed., *La sociologie musulmane de Robert Montagne* (Paris : Editions Maisonneuve et Larose, 2000) *Cahiers d’études africaines* XLII : 2 (2002), 189-191

Claude Blanckaert, ed., *Les politiques d’anthropologie : Discours et pratiques (1860-1940)* (Paris : L’Harmattan, 2001), *Revue d’histoire des sciences humaines* 6 (April, 2002), 201-207

Owen White, *Children of the French Empire: Miscegenation and Colonial Society in French West Africa, 1895-1960* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1999), *Journal of Modern History* 74: 3 (Sept. 2002), 658-660

Elizabeth Ezra, *The Colonial Unconscious: Race and Culture in Interwar France* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2000) *American Historical Review* 106: 4 (Oct. 2001), 1473-1474

Tony Chafer and Amanda Sackur, ed. *French Colonial Empire and the Popular Front, Hope and Disillusion* (London: McMillan Press, 1999), *Journal of African History* 42: 1 (2001), 146-147

Alec Hargreaves and Mark McKinney, *Post-Colonial Cultures in France* (London: Routledge, 1997) and J.-L. Amselle, *Vers un multiculturalisme français, L’empire de la coutume* (Paris: Aubier, 1996), *French Politics, Culture, and Society* 18: 3 (Fall 2000), 143-151

Martin Klein, *Slavery and Colonial Rule in French West Africa* (Cambridge, Eng.: Cambridge University Press, 1998), *Journal of Modern History* 72: 4 (Dec. 2000), 1037-1040

Mireille Rosello, *Declining the Stereotype: Ethnicity and Representation in French Cultures* (Hanover and London: University Press of New England, 1998), *Journal of Modern History,* 72: 2 (June, 2000), 543-545

Bennetta Jules-Rosette, *Black Paris: The African Writers' Landscape* (Champaign-Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1998) and Tyler Stovall, *Paris Noir: African Americans in the City of Light* (Boston and New York: Houghton Mifflin, 1996), *American Ethnologist* 26: 3 (1999), 764-765

Anne Piriou and Emmanuelle Sibeud, *L'Africanisme en questions* (Paris: CEA, EHESS, 1997), *International Journal of African Historical Studies* 31: 3 (1998), 677-680

Sue Peabody, *There are No Slaves in France: The Political Culture of Race and Slavery in the Ancien Régime in France* (New York: Oxford University Press, 1996), *Social History* 23: 2 (1998), 220-223

Conversations with authors (webinar format) :

Aro Velmet, *Pasteur’s Empire: Bacteriology and Politics in France, Its Colonies, and the World* (Oxford : Oxford University Press, 2020) *SFHS French Presse Series,* Feb. 27, 2022 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2B7j33QGBNs>

Tyler Stovall, *White Freedom: The Racial History of an Idea* (Princeton University Press, 2021) *Washington History Seminar* (National History Center and Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars), Feb. 8, 2021 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IAMMbvw1UcY>

**PRESENTATIONS**

Invited Lectures:

OSU, Mershon Center for Strategic Studies, Sept. 7, 2023, “The First Universal Races Conference in 1911 London and the Global Problem of Race Relations,” Seminar in International History

Musée national de l’histoire de l’immigration Paris, Feb. 15, 2023, “Le Palais en 1931,” Professional Seminar “Des Colonies à la Porte Dorée : la fabrique d’un moment historique” (Zoom lecture)

Le Musée de l’Homme, Paris, Nov. 20, 2022, “Du Premier Congrès Universel des Races au Deuxième Congrès des Races ‘Fantôme’: L’anthropologie antiraciste à la veille de la Grande Guerre,” Retirement Conference for Claude Blanckaert, “De quoi l’anthropologie est-elle le nom?”

Annual Malcolm Lester Lecture, Davidson S.C., Oct. 18, 2022, “No Person Shall be Held in Slavery: A UNESCO Human Rights Exhibit in 1949 Paris,” History Department, Davidson College

Queen Mary College, London, June 9, 2022, “France and the First Universal Races Congress,” Race in Modern Intellectual History: Historicising an Idea in Time and Space Workshop

Princeton University, History Department, May 13-14, 2022, “Fort heureusement, le racisme n'a pas de place dans un pays comme la France…,” Retirement Conference for Philip Nord

Keynote Address, Musée du Quai Branly, Paris, April 20, 2022, “Atlantic Crossings: Échanges Muséographiques entre la France et les États-Unis, 1920-1950,” Raconter et exposer les minorités : médiations muséales en France et en Amérique du Nord Conference

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, Oct. 25, 2021, “Conversation with Authors: the Universal Museum” (Zoom lecture)

Le Musée national de l’histoire de l’immigration et la Plateforme internationale sur le Racisme et l’Antisémitisme, Paris, May 6-7, 2021, “L’anthropologie et la question du racisme : le cas du musée de l’Homme,” Exposer le racisme et l’antisémitisme Colloquium (Zoom lecture),

University of Toronto, Oct. 23, 2020, Discussion of Alice L. Conklin*, In the Museum of Man: Race, Anthropology and Empire in France 1850-1950,* Graduate Seminar in Modern European History (Zoom)

Wellesley College, Sep. 24, 2020, “Race Talk: Antiracism at UNESCO in Postwar Paris 1948–1965,”Addressing Racism and Anti-Blackness in French and Francophone Studies Lecture Series (Zoom lecture)

Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Nov. 6-7, 2019, “’Scientific Babel’ at UNESCO?,” The Emergence of a ‘Science of the International’ in Interwar Europe: Its Origin, Development and Legacy for Contemporary Social Science Conference

Denison University, Feb. 13, 2019 “’Scientific Babel’ in Paris: UNESCO’s Campaign against Racism, 1944-1962”

Leiden University, Leiden, Nov. 29, 2018, “UNESCO’s Campaign against Racism, 1950-1962,” From Brussels to Bandung? Transnationalism, reform movements, and decolonization in Asia, Africa and the Caribbean Conference

Keynote Address, Australian National University, Canberra, July 5, 2018, “Rien n’est moins universel que l’idée de race’: UNESCO’s Global Antiracist Campaign, 1950-1965,” George Rudé Seminar in French History and Culture

University of Pennsylvania, Oct. 30, 2017, “’Nothing is Less Universal than the Idea of Race’: Anti-racism and Social Science at UNESCO, 1950-1962,” History and Sociology of Science Department Collquium

URMIS, Université Paris Diderot, April 24, 2017, “Entre ‘race’ et ‘culture’: du Musée de l’Homme à l’UNESCO, 1930 à 1950,” Séminaire du laboratoire sur le racisme

Université Libre de Bruxelles, March 1, 2017 “Entre ‘race’ et ‘culture’: Du Musée de l’Homme à l’UNESCO 1930-1955,” Centre de Recherches Mondes Modernes Contemporains

EHESS and Princeton University, Paris, Nov. 3, 2016, “Sommes nous si différents? L’historiographie française et américaine des empires et de la race,” Journée d’études Les échanges historiographiques franco-américains

CERA-Paris VIII, Paris, June 14, 2016, “Race, ethnologie et muséographie en France (1850-1950),” Pour une approche pluridisciplinaire du racisme et de l’antisémitisme Séminaire de recherche

Keynote Address, University of Hong Kong, May 28, 2016, “Connected Histories, Un-connected Historiographies? The Modern French and British Empires in Comparative Perspective,” Connected Histories, Mirrored Empires: British and French Imperialism from the 17th to the 20th Centuries Conference

Yale University, April 29-30, 2016, “From Objective Sociology to Action: Charles Le Coeur’s Utopian Colonialism in the protectorate of Morocco (1928-1944),” Imperial Encounters: National, Ethnic, and Religious Conflict and Cooperation in Colonial and Post-Colonial States Workshop

University of Michigan, March 30, 2016, “Sociology and Empire: Charles Le Coeur between Objectivity and Action,” Social Theory Workshop

Keynote Address, Society for French Historical Studies, Nashville, KY, March 4, 2016, “France in the World”

University of Cincinnati, February 26, 2016, “When Knowledge Meets Power: French Anthropologists in the Age of Total War,” Von Rosenstiel Speaker Series

Musée de l’Homme, Paris, Dec. 12, 2015, “Le Musée de l’Homme,”  
Journée d’études autour de Alice L. Conklin, *Exposer l’humanité: race, ethnologie et empire en France (1850-1950)* et Claude Blanckaert, ed. *Histoire du Musée de l’Homme*

Musée du Quai Branly, Paris, Dec. 10, 2015, Présentation du livre d’Alice L. Conklin, *Exposer l’humanité: race, ethnologie et empire en France (1850-1950)*

EHESS, Paris, May 26-27, 2015, “Germaine Tillion dans le sillon de Marcel Mauss, 1934-1940,” Colloque L’Algérie de Germaine Tillion: entre ethnologie et politique

Keynote Address, St. Andrews University, Scotland, June 28-30, 2015, “A Crooked Path: Ethnologists between *la Résistance* and *la guerre d’Algérie,”* Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of French History

Keynote Address, Rutgers University, April 24, 2015 “In the Light of Science and the Modern Conscience: Contested Anthropology at the 1911 First Universal Races Congress,” Symposium: The First Universal Races Congress, 1911, Utopian Internationalism at the Dawn of a Bloody Century

Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, Nov. 17, 2014, “Mauss le Maître et la génération perdue: terrain, colonialisme et la recomposition de l'anthropologie française”

EHESS, Paris, May 15, 2014, “Mauss le Maître et la génération perdue: terrain, colonialisme et la recomposition de l'anthropologie française,” Séminaire Les ethnologues et le fait colonial (1920-1960)

Centre Koyré, Paris, Oct. 16, 2014, “Les conceptions anthropologiques de la race au Musée de l’Homme de l’Affaire Dreyfus à la fin de la Seconde Guerre mondiale,” Séminaire Muséum: Objet d’histoire

EHESS, Paris, May 23, 2014, Table-ronde autour de Alice L. Conklin, *In the Museum of Man: Race, Anthropology, and Empire, 1850-1950*

Ohio State University, March 2, 2014, “Down from the Ivory Tower: Anthropology and Anti-racism at UNESCO, 1945-1955,” Inaugural Lecture

University of Akron, Feb. 26, 2014 “French Colonial Racism and The Display of ‘Primitive’ Artifacts in Interwar Paris,” Sally A. Miller Humanities Lecture

Columbia University, La Maison Française, Feb. 13, 2014, “French Antiracism and Anthropology in Global Perspective, 1945-1955: The Case of UNESCO,” Roundtable on *In the Museum of Man*

Harvard University, “Racism without Race,” Aug. 28, 2013, French Colonial History Workshop

Université Paris VIII, Paris, Dec. 13, 2012, “Conceptions anthropologiques de la race, de l’Affaire Dreyfus à la montée des fascismes,” Séminaire Les populations noires en France: Nouvelles dimensions historiques et historiographiques

H-France Webinar, “Writing the History of Empires: Past Approaches, New Perspectives,” 18 April, 2013. *H-France Salon,* Volume 5, Issue 8

Keynote Address, Third Flying University of Transnatio​nal Humanities (FUTH), Seoul, July 17, 2012, “Between Race and Culture: The Science of Humanity in France”

Centre Alexandre Koyré, Paris, May 14, 2012, “Les sciences de l'homme dans l'entre-deux-guerres: des sciences impériales?,” Histoire des Sciences et des Techniques

Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, Nov. 7, 2011, “Les sciences de l'homme dans l'entre-deux-guerres: des sciences impériales?,” SéminaireEmpire. Histoires des colonisations

Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Seville, March 27, 2012, “Race as Social Myth: The Emergence of International Scientific Anti-Racism in post-Vichy France”

NYU-Paris,  Jan. 16, 2012, “Race as Social Myth: The Emergence of International Scientific Anti-Racism in post-Vichy France,” Séminaire Histoire transnationale des pensées raciales XVIII-XXe siècles

EHESS, Paris, Dec. 6, 2011 “Les ethnologues face au colonialisme: l’Institut d’Ethnologie et le MET/MH, 1925-1940,” Séminaire Les ethnologues et le fait colonial (1920-1960)

University of Leiden, June 25, 2011, “Ethnology and Empire,” History Department Lecture

University of Virginia, April 12, 2011, “Ethnography for the Masses: the Musée de l’Homme and the ‘Modern Museum’ in Interwar Europe,” French and History Department Lecture

UCLA, May 6, 2010, “Ethnography for the Masses: the Musée de l’Homme and the ‘Modern Museum’ in Interwar Europe,” Modern Museums Lecture Series

NYU, Nov. 16, 2010, “Writing National Narratives in a Postcolonial Age,” Institute of French Studies

University of Miami, Miami FL, March 24, 2010, “The Musée de l’Homme, Ethnology, and Race Science,” History Department Lecture

Université Paris IV-Sorbonne, Paris, Oct. 23, 2009 “La circulation impériale des saviors,” Cultures d’empires:  Circulations, échanges et affrontements culturels en situations coloniales et imperials Conference

Université Paris VIII, Paris, Oct. 21, 2009, “Post-colonial legacies of the Race Concept,” Conference Des savoirs coloniaux aux sciences postcoloniales: une décolonisation invisible?

University of Pennsylvania, May 22-23, 2009, “Traveling Out: Fieldwork, Race Science, and the Recasting of Interwar French Anthropology,” History of Anthropology Conference

University of North Carolina, April 14, 2008, “When Ethnologists Chose to Resist: France 1940-1945,” History Department Lecture

National Humanities Center, Research Triangle Park North Carolina, April 13, 2008, “What is Colonial Science? Interwar *Ethnologie* in France”

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Feb. 24, 2008, “What is Ethnology?,” Wisconsin French History Group

Sciences Po-CNRS, Paris, Dec. 14, 2006, “New Debates in French Colonial History” and “L’Ethnologie Combattante,” Centre d’Etudes et de Recherches Internationales

Johns Hopkins University, Nov. 27, 2006, “Science, Race, and Empire in France, 1920-1950,” History Department Seminar

OSU, Mershon Center for Stategic Studies, Oct. 13, 2006, “The UNESCO Race Statement, 1950,” 1956 Race, Neutrality, and National Liberation Conference

Oberlin College, Nov. 18-19, 2005, “Ethnographies of Empire,” Teaching the French Empire Conference

Princeton University, Sept. 16, 2005, “New Directions in the History of Anthropology: the Case of Interwar France,” Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies Empire and its Discontents Conference

University of Delaware, March 22, 2005, “Anti-racism avant la lettre? Cultural and Physical Anthropology in Interwar France,” History Department Seminar

University of Houston, Oct. 14, 2004, “Anti-racism avant la lettre? Cultural and Physical Anthropology in Interwar France,” History Department Seminar

French Colonial History Society, Washington D.C., May 5-8 2004, “French Colonial History: Recent Trends, New Directions,” Round-table

Keynote Address, London, Nov. 26, 2004, “Colonial Mésententes: Liberal Empire in Greater France and Britain,” Society for Francophone Postcolonial Studies, Republic and Empire Conference

University of California-Davis, April 27, 2004, “Skulls on Display: Scientific Racism in Paris’ Musée de l’Homme, 1937-1945,” Tensions of Empire Lecture Series

University of Maryland, Feb. 9, 2004, “Skulls on Display: Scientific Racism in Paris’ Musée de l’Homme, 1937-1945,” Center for Historical Studies Empire Seminar

Center for 21rst Century Studies and the Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, Nov. 15, 2003, “Race, Science and Empire: Scientific Racism in Paris’ Musée de l’Homme, 1937-1945,” Museums and Difference Conference

Université Paris VIII, April 30, 2003, “Réseaux de savoirs en situation coloniale : figures, institutions, pratiques et politiques,” Journée d’études

Stanford University, Feb. 6, 2003, “Civil Society, Science and Empire in Late Republican France: The Foundation of Paris’s Museum of Man,” French Culture Workshop

EHESS, Paris, Jan. 8, 2003, “Comment faire de l’histoire coloniale ? Réflexions sur quelques nouvelles approches,” Séminaire Sources, approches et historiographies

University of Toronto, French History and Social Sciences Seminar, March 1, 2002, **“**The Science of Empire and the Empire of Science: French Ethnology at Paris’ Museum of Man”

EHESS-Centre de recherches historiques and Institut d’Histoire du Temps Présent-CNRS, Paris, June 8, 2001, “État colonial et idéologie républicaine. Savoirs historiens anciens et modernes,” Journée d’études L’État et les pratiques administratives en régime colonial

University of Amsterdam, May 23, 2001, “(Post)Colonial Knowledge, Gender, and Racial Difference in Metropolitan France: An Overview,” Belle van Zuylen Institut

NYU-Institute of French Studies, April 28, 2001, “The Musée de l’Homme and ‘la situation coloniale,’” 1951-2001: Transatlantic Perspectives on *The Colonial Situation*” Conference

University of Wisconsin-Madison, April 15, 2000, “Others on Display: A Democratic Science in the New Museum of Man?,” History of Science Workshop Science and Civil Society: Historical Perspectives

Yale University, Cornell University, and SUNY Binghamton, fall 1999: “Africanism on Trial: The Competing Anti-Colonialisms of Blaise Diagne and Réné Maran in 1920s Paris”

Western Society for French History, Asilomar, CA, Oct. 31, 1999, “Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the History of Imperialism and Decolonization in French History Courses,” Roundtable Discussion on Pedagogy

Harvard University, Feb. 7, 1999: “In the Museum of Man: Ethnographic Liberalism in Interwar France,” Center for European Studies,

NYU-Institute for French Studies, Feb. 3, 1998: “The *mission civilisatrice* in France and West Africa,” Luncheon Seminar

EHESS, Paris, Nov. 7, 1996 : “On a semé la haine : Maurice Delafosse et l'administration coloniale en AOF,” Orientalisme et ethnographie chez Maurice Delafosse Conference

New York Area French History Seminar, New York, Sept. 9, 1996, “Redefining ‘Frenchness’: Citizenship, Race Regeneration, and Imperial Motherhood in France and West Africa, 1914-1940”

Commémoration du Centenaire de l'AOF, Dakar, June 16-22, 1995: “A Force for Civilization: Republican Discourse and French Administration in West Africa, 1895-1930” and “Democracy Rediscovered: The Advent of Association, 1914-1930”

University of Chicago, May 11, 1995, “Redefining ‘Frenchness’: Citizenship, Race Regeneration, and Imperial Motherhood in France and West Africa, 1914-1940,” 19th and 20th Century European History Workshop

University of California, Irvine, February 12, 1994, “Republican Discourse and French Colonial Expansion, 1870-1914,” Violence and the Democratic Tradition in France, 1789-1914 Conference

University of Chicago, Oct. 9, 1993, “Gender Issues in the Creation of the ‘Public’: The Colonial Pattern,” Creating a Public Working Conference

Princeton University, Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, March 8, 1991: “Of Titians and Camels: The Origins of the *mission civilisatrice* in France”

Conference Papers:

Society for French Historical Studies, Charlotte NC, March 24-26, 2022, Performing Disciplines Panel: “Race in the Red City: A UNESCO Debate in 1951 Limoges”

American Historical Association, New York, NY, January 3-6, 2020 Roundtable “Museums, History, and the Public in a Global Age”

Society for French Historical Studies, Indianapolis, IN, April 18-21, 2019, Roundtable “L’Histoire mondiale de la France as Historical Experiment and Literary Phenomenon”

American Historical Association, New York, NY, Jan. 2-5, 2015 “Putting the ‘Human’ back into the Human Sciences: Reflections on the History of Anthropology in the West”

Western Society for French History, Atlanta, GA, Oct. 24-27, 2013, “Race as Myth: Ethnology, Racial Science, and Cultural Pluralism in France, 1930-1945”

Society for French Historical Studies, Charleston, SC, Feb. 12-14, 2011, “A Modern Museum for the Masses: American and Soviet Influences on the New Musée de l’Homme in 1930s Paris”

American Historical Association, Boston MA, January 6-9, 2011, “Race as Myth: Scientific Racism and Primitivism in Interwar France”

Mershon Center for Strategic Studies, OSU, May 1-2, 2009, “The Race in Culture: 20th Ethnology and Empire in Comparative Perspective”

Society for French Historical Studies, St. Louis, MO, March 26-28, 2009, “New Ways of Seeing? Documenting Colonial Encounters in the Interwar Years”

Society for French Historical Studies, New Brunswick, NJ, April 3-5, 2008, “Are We So Different? UNESCO’s 1950 Declaration on Race”

French Colonial Historical Society, Dakar, Senegal, May 18-22, 2006, “Displaying Colonial Knowledge: French Museums and Africa, 1900-2000”

Society for French Historical Studies, Stanford, CA, March 17-19, 2005, “What is Colonial Science? Anthropology at the Margins in Interwar France”

Council for European Studies, Chicago, March 14-16, 2002, “European Anthropological Discourse and Imperial Forms of Rule”

Society for French Historical Studies, Toronto, April 11-13, 2002, “French Anthropology’s Colonial Connections, 1920-1940”

Society for French Historical Studies, Scottsdale and Tempe, March 31-April 1, 2000, “Identity, Race, and Ethnography in France and Africa, 1920-1960”

African Studies Association, Philadelphia, Nov. 11-14, 1999, “After the Great War: Global and Local Identities in Colonial Senegal (French West Africa)”

Society for French Historical Studies, Ottawa, March 26-28, 1998, “Reflections on *Domesticating the Empire*: France and West Africa, 1914-1940”

American Historical Association, Seattle WA, Jan. 8-11, 1998, “Black and White in Interwar Paris”

“Propaganda and Empire: French Popular Imperialism” Conference, University of Portsmouth and Institut Français, London, September 19-20, 1997: “’Faire Naître’ vs. ‘Faire du noir’: Race Regeneration in France and West Africa, 1914-1945”

The French Colonial Historical Society, Poitiers, France, June 4-6, 1996 : “Images de la femme au temps des colonies”

Society for French Historical Studies, Wilmington, March 25, 1994: “Human *mise en valeur* and Maternalist Policies in France and French West Africa, 1890-1940”

American Historical Association, San Francisco, January 7, 1994: “French History as Colonial History: Metropolitan-Colonial Perspectives on Modernity, 1870-1930”

American Historical Association, Chicago, December 28, 1991: “Colonialism and the Culture of Social Engineering: The Case of French West Africa”

Comments/Chair:

Association of International Education Administrators, Washington D.C., Feb. 20-24, 2023, “Between Local and Global: Connecting Partners for Inclusive Internationalization,” Chair

Oberlin College, March 19, 2022, “Workshop on The French Empire from the Ancien Régime to the Present,” Comment

American Historical Association, Feb. 21, 2022 [on-line], “Religion, Collaboration, and Resistance during the Second World War”, Chair

Society for French Historical Studies, Indianapolis, IN, April 18-21, 2019, “Recasting Race after World War II: Transnational Perspectives,” Chair

Society for French Historical Studies, Nashville, KY, March 3-6, 2016, “Archaeology, Science, and Empire, 1860-1930,” Comment

University of California, Berkeley, March 20-21, 2014, “Blacks of France/Noirs de France:  New Directions in the History and Historiography of an African Diaspora Conference,” Comment

Society for French Historical Studies, Boston, MA, April 4-6, 2013 “A Roundtable On The Centenary Of Albert Camus’s Birth,” Chair

Society for French Historical Studies, New Brunswick, NY, April 3-5, 2008, “Nation and Culture in French Colonial Education,” Comment

French Colonial Historical Society, Dakar, Senegal, May 18-22, 2006, “Interwar Colonialism from West Africa to Paris,” Comment

Society for French Historical Studies, Champaign-Urbana, IL, April 20-23, 2006, “French Colonial Tourism and Leisure,” Comment

American Historical Association, Philadelphia, PA, Jan. 5-8, 2006, “Science, Society, and Civilization: The Production of Knowledge in the Middle East,” Comment

Society for French Historical Studies, Paris, June 17-20, 2004, “Writing French Colonial Histories,” Comment

Berkshire Conference of Women Historians, Storrs, CT, June 6-9, 2002, “Forced Out/Kept Out: Women, Migration and Forms of Imperial Control, c. 1830-1940,” Comment”

American Historical Association, San Francisco, Jan. 3-6, 2002, “Boundaries of Empire: Gender, Race, Sexuality and Science in Colonial France,” Comment

Graduate Student Workshop, “Europe and Empire: Encounters, Transformations, Legacies,” Council for European Studies, Harvard University, Oct. 16-18, 1998, Faculty Commentator

Western New York Society for European History meeting, Geneseo, NY, Oct. 4-5, 1998, “Africa and Europe, Cultures in Collision,” Comment

Social Science and History Association, Chicago, IL, Nov. 18-22, 1998, “Looking Outward, Looking Inward: Readings and Realities of Race during France's Expansionist Empire,” Comment

Society for French Historical Studies, Lexington, KY, March 19-23, 1997, “Between Metropole and Colony: Writing the Empire Back into French History,” Comment

Western Society for French Historical Studies, Charlotte, Oct. 30, 1996, “Subjects and Citizens: The French Empire 1919-1960,” Comment

Society for French Historical Studies, Boston, March 18-22, 1996, “The French Encounter with Africans, 1700-1940,” Comment

American Historical Association, Atlanta, January 7, 1996, “Citizenship, Culture, and the Public Sphere in Britain and France, 1900-1965,” Comment

**RADIO INTERVIEWS**

*Counterpoint*, Radio Interview with Jonathan Judaken on *In the Museum of Man,* June-July 2014, <http://wknofm.org/term/counterpoint>

“Post-colonial 5/5 : l'imaginaire colonial,” *Tout Arrive,* Radio France-Culture, Paris, 18 Nov. 2005

“Regards américains sur la France,” *La Fabrique de l’Histoire*, Radio France-Culture, Paris, 21 June, 2004

“Round-Table on Colonial History,”*La Fabrique de l’Histoire*, Radio France-Culture, Paris, 24 June, 2003

**CONFERENCES AND PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES ORGANIZED**

Department of History and Department of French and Italian, OSU, Nov. 29, 2022 co-organized with Bruno Cabanes “Fiction and Non-Fiction in a Time of Catastrophe: Intellectuals Fleeing Europe Under Nazi Occupation” featuring writer Adrien Bosc and historian Eric Jennings

Western Society for French History, “Global France” Workshop, Oct. 28, 2021

An on-line workshop for junior scholars given the cancellation of the Society’s Annual Fall conference two years running due to COVID. Co-organizer Ian Coller (UC Irvine)

Department of History, OSU, Feb. 22, 2021, Modern History Seminar, invited speaker Elizabeth Perego (Appalachian State University)

Department of History, OSU, French History Workshop, Spring 2019

Departments of History, OSU and the University of Sheffield, Jan. 8-9 and March 15-17, 2018 Graduate Student Workshop, “New Approaches to Transnational History in the Global Twentieth Century.” Co-organizers Katherine Marino (OSU), Daniel Lee and Sarah Miller-Davenport (University of Sheffield)

Mershon Center for Strategic Studies, OSU, May 1-2, 2009, “The Race in Culture: 20th Ethnology and Empire in Comparative Perspective.” An international conference convening twelve invited scholars to consider the persistence of the terms “race” and “culture” in three post-imperial states: France, the US, and China. Co-organizer Dorothy Noyes, Center for Folklore Studies, OSU

Université Paris-IV Sorbonne, Paris, Cultures d’empires:  Circulations, échanges et affrontements culturels en situations coloniales et imperials Conference, Oct. 22-24, 2009. Member of Scientific Committee

Mershon Center for Strategic Studies and History Department, OSU, 2006-2014, “Modern European Empires and their Legacies” Series

**Speakers:**

Mary Louise Roberts, University of Wisconsin, April 1, 2014, “Rape Hysteria and the Sexual Economy of Race: French Accusations of Rape against African-American G.I.s, 1944-1946”

Eric Jennings, University of Toronto, Feb. 24, 2014, “Free French Africa in World War II”

Mark Bradley, University of Chicago, Feb. 24, 2010, “The United States and the Global Human Rights Imagination”

Caroline Ford, UCLA, May 7, 2009, “France's New Museums in a Postcolonial Age”

Francine Hirsch, University of Wisconsin, April 13, 2009, “The Soviets at Nuremberg: International Law, Propaganda, and the Making of the USSR

John Bowen, Washington University, Feb. 6, 2009, “Islam and Muslims in France”

Caroline Elkins, Harvard University, Nov. 21, 2008, “British Colonial Violence and the End of Empire”

Maud Mandel, Brown University, May 9, 2008, “Each Algerian Must Feel Palestinian': 1967, 1968, and Muslim/Jewish Relations in France”

Isabel Hull, Cornell University, May 10, 2007, “Imperial German Warfare: European or Colonial?”

Fred Cooper and Jane Burbank, NYU, Oct. 7, 2006, “Empire and Citizenship, 212-1946”

**TEACHING**

Undergraduate: Between France and Morocco: Diversity and Inclusion in the Francophone World (Study Abroad); Colonial Encounters (research seminar); The West and the World (seminar); Introduction to Historical Methods; World War II (research seminar); Revolutionary and Napoleonic France, 1750-1870; Modern France, 1870-present; The City in History: Paris (seminar); Women in Modern Europe, 1750-1950; History of Europe II (as a large lecture course, as an Honors course, and on-line); Imperialism and the Novel (seminar)

Graduate: Research Seminar in Modern History; The History of the Idea of Race in Europe; Writing the History of Empires; Colonial Encounters; Comparative Colonialism; Topics in Modern France; Topics in Modern Europe; Modern European Colloquium Problems in Historical Analysis; The West and the World; The Making of the European Nation-State; The Comparative History of Women; The Philosophy of History; Prospectus-Writing

Undergraduate History Honors Theses Supervised, Ohio State University

Aidan Morris, 2021-2022, “Disease in the British Army in India: Colonial Investigations and Interventions (1864-1890)”

Jordan Henry, 2016-2017, “’We Europeans’: *Signal* Magazine and Political Collaboration in German-occupied Europe, 1940-1945”

Kelsey Mullen, Summer-Fall 2014, “American Intelligence and the Question of Hitler’s Death”

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committees, Ohio State University

Jessica Lahote, Spring 2017, major in French and Psychology

Conrad Allen, Spring 2016, major in History

Charlotte Hines, Spring 2015, major in French

Linnea Overman, Spring 2009, major in Comparative Studies and German

Adrian Young, Fall 2008, double major in History and International Studies

Keith Rathbone, Fall 2007, double major in French and History

**GRADUATE STUDENT SUPERVISION AND COMMITTEES**

OSU, Department of History: Current Doctoral Students

Andrea Mazda, 2021-

Emily Hardick (co-advising with Sarah Van Beurden) 2018-

Dissertation: “Choreographing Collaboration: Congolese Performance and the Kinopolitics of Cultural Exchange”

Kiki Mackaman-Lofland, 2017-

Dissertation: “Algeria’s French University: Colonial Higher Education and North African Studies at the Faculté des lettres d’Alger, 1930-1965”

Daniela Edmeier, 2017-

Dissertation: “The Spanish Question: Migration, Ethnopolitics, and Euro-Algerian Society, 1870-1945”

OSU, Department of History: Completed PhD Theses Supervised

Darcy Benson, (Trinity School, New York, NY 2021-)

Dissertation: “Fighting in the Shadows: Communist Immigrant Communities and Resistance in France, 1930-1944” (Ohio State University 2021)

Lauren Henry (VAP Davidson College, 2021-2023)

Dissertation: “Squaring the Hexagon: Algeria, Alsace, and Conflicts in French National Identity, 1830-1962” (Ohio State University 2021)

Julie Powell (Postdoctoral Fellow, UCD – Dublin 2020-2022)

Dissertation: “The Labor Army of Tomorrow: Masculinity and the Internationalization of Rehabilitation, 1914-1924” (co-advisor with Bruno Cabanes) (Ohio State University, 2020)

John Henry Perry (Senior Consultant Historian, Williams Sales Partnership, 2022-)

Dissertation: “From Sea to Lake: French Algeria, Steamships, and the Mediterranean, 1830-1930” (Ohio State University, 2019)

Daniel J. Watkins (Associate Professor, Baylor University**)**

Dissertation: “Enlightenment, Catholicism, Conservatism: The Isaac-Joseph Berruyer Affair and the Culture of Orthodoxy in France, ca.1700-1830” (Ohio State University, 2014) (co-advisor with Dale Van Kley)

Mircea Platon (Journalist and Editor in Bucharest, Romania)

Dissertation: “’Touchstones of Truth’: The Enlightenment of J.-B.-L. Gresset, F.-L.M. Deschamps, and S.-N.-H. Linguet” (Ohio State University, 2012) (co-advisor with Dale Van Kley) (Ohio State University, 2012)

University of Rochester, Department of History: Completed PhD Theses Supervised

Kristin Sheradin (History Teacher, The Harley School, Rochester NY)

Dissertation: “Reforming the Republic: Solidarism and the Making of the French Welfare State, 1871–1914” (University of Rochester, 2000)

Jeffrey Jackson (Professor, Rhodes College)

Dissertation“Making Jazz French: Music and Cosmopolitanism in Interwar Paris” (University of Rochester, 1999)

Leeja Suh (Associate Professor, Yonsei University)

Dissertation: “A Study of the Parti Ouvrier, 1879-1890: The Political Engagement of the Working-class Movement in France”(University of Rochester, 1998)

Other Universities, Department of History, Completed PhD Theses Co-supervised

Annelieke Dirks (Teacher, Leiden)

Dissertation: “For the Youth: Juvenile Delinquency, the Colonial State, and the Development of a ‘Colonial Civil Society’ in the Netherlands Indies, 1890-1945” (University of Leiden, 2011) (co-advisor with Wim van Den Doel)

Jenna Nigro, (Lecturer, Utah Valley University)

Dissertation:“Colonial Logics: Agricultural, Commercial, & Moral Experiments in the Making of French Senegal, 1763-1870,” (University of Illinois, Chicago, 2014) (co-advisor with James F. Searing)

Other Universities, External Examiner on PhD Defenses in History

2023 EHESS, Paris, Allison Sanders, “Situations of the French Study of Africa from 1945 to 1980: Spaces, Institutions, and Figures” (Zoom)

2022 Université Paris I, Panthéon-Sorbonne, Anne Loyau, “Ethnologie, muséographie et modernité. Une histoire muséographique de l’ethnologie du second Musée d’ethnographie au premier Musée de l’Homme, 1919-1949” (Zoom)

2019 University of Toronto, William Fysh, “Light in the Shadow of Empire: Visual Witnessing in France and the French Colonies, 1944-1962”

2019Institut des Sciences Politiques, Paris, Géraud Letang “Mirages d'une rébellion : être Français libre au Tchad (1940‑1943)”

2018 Princeton University, Emily Kern, “Out of Asia: A Global History of the Scientific Search for the Origins of Humankind, 1800-1965”

2005 University of Toronto, Deborah Neill, “Transnationalism in the Colonies: Cooperation, Rivalry and Race in German and French Tropical Medicine, 1880-1930”

OSU Doctoral Students (Dissertation Committee Member)

2017 Andrew Skabelund, “The Grain of Sand that Moved the Sea: the Habitants, France, and the Formation of Franco-Habitant Identity in the Senegambia, 1763-1779”

2016 Mark Sokolsky, “Taming Tiger Country: Colonization and Environment in the Russian Far East, 1860-1940”

2011 Kristin Collins-Breyfogle, “Negotiating Imperial Spaces: Gender, Sexuality, and Violence in the Nineteenth-century Caucasus”

2011 Mark Soderstrom, “Enlightening the Land of Midnight: Peter Slovtsov, Ivan Kalashnikov, and the Saga of Russian Siberia”

2009 Matthew Zarzeczny, “Meteors that Enlighten the Earth: Napoleon and the Cult of Great Men”

2007 Karen Huber, “Sex and its Consequences : Abortion, Infanticide, and Women's Reproductive Decision-making in France, 1901-1940”

OSU Doctoral Students (Candidacy Examination Committee Member)

2024 Chris Leger

2022 Katherine Weiss, Joshua Kramer (German)

2021 Katherine Mooney, Robert Matina

2020 James Esposito, Neil Humphrey, Omar Dieng (AAAS)

2019 William O’Brien

2018 James Farwig

2017 Devon Medina, Fred Shan

2016 Katie Lang

2015 Sara Halpern, Jonathan Dreeze

2014 Andrew Skabelund, James Harris

2011 Kristin Collins-Breyfogle, William Waddell, Mark Sokolsky, Patrick Scharfe

2010 Ian Lanzillotti

2009 Laura Herron, William Lywood

2008 Patricia Sealey, Mark Soderstrom, Stephen Shapiro

2007 Mircea Platon, Angela Ryan

2006 Matthew Zarzeczny

2005 Kristin Collins, Ursula Gurney

OSU Masters Students (Examination Committee Member)

2021 Emily Hardick

2021 Katherine Mooney

2020 Daniela Edmeier (advisee)

2019 Kiki Mackaman-Lofland (advisee)

2015 Katie Lang, Nicole Freeman

2013 Lauren Henry (advisee)

2012 John Perry (advisee)

2009 William Lywood

2006 Angela Ryan

OSU Terminal Masters Students (Thesis Supervisor or co-Supervisor)

2015 Elizabeth Newton, “Remembering Power, Remembering Self: Trauma, Memory, and Agency in Surviving “Hidden Children” of France”

2009 Dierdre McMurtry, “Discerning Dreams in New France: Jesuit Responses to Native

American Dreams in the Early Seventeenth Century”

2007 Calvert Tooley, “Cosmopolitanism and Patriotism in the British Enlightenment: The African Association and the Exploration of West Africa, 1788-1811”

**OUTREACH**

Regional, National and International

Panelist, Paris and New York, July 8-13, 2021, Columbia Alliance Summer Forum, “The Transatlantic World History Project to Combat Racism and Antisemitism in France and United States.” Scholars and high school world history teachers from France and the United States convened over four days to discuss and compare different national approaches to the teaching of racism, colonialism and the slave trade; antisemitism and the Holocaust; and memory and the impact of visiting sites of memory on students.

Invited Lecture, March 2, 2020, History Club of Columbus, “Ohio on the Seine?”

Association des Historiens Contemporéanistes, Paris, Nov. 7, 2014, “Le système d’évaluation universitaire aux Etats-Unis,” <http://ahcesr.hypotheses.org/382>

OSU:

Arts and Humanities Faculty Research and Creative Inquiry Showcase, Dec. 8, 2022, Lightening talk “No Person Shall be Held in Slavery: A UNESCO Human Rights Exhibit in 1949 Paris.”

Invited Remarks, Faculty Club, Dec. 6, 2021, 100th anniversary of History Club of Columbus

Panelist, Oct. 2021, Nicholas Breyfogle, “Ideas of Race and Racism in History,” *Origins: Current Events in Historical Perspective* <https://origins.osu.edu/listen/history-talk/ideas-race-and-racism-history> (webinar)

Guest Lecture, July 19, 2021 “Ideas of Race and Racism in American and World History,” The Harvey Goldberg Center for Excellence in Teaching, A Goldberg Center Workshop, <https://u.osu.edu/raceandracismworkshop/>

Guest Lecture, February 28, 2019: “Scientific Racism or Racial Science at the Musée de l’Homme,” Biology 4798 – Biological Roots in England/Scientific Roots in Europe

Guest Lecture, February 20, 2018: “Scientific Racism: Science’s Egregious Mistake and the French as Leaders of Racial Science in the 19th Century,” Biology 4798 – Biological Roots in England/Scientific Roots in Europe

Panel Discussion, March 29, 2018, “Beyond the Classroom,” Morrill Scholarship Program Academic Advancement Cohort

“Socialism takes over France, Again?,” *Origins. Current Events in Historical Perspective* 6:1 (Oct., 2012);<http://origins.osu.edu/article/socialism-takes-over-france-again>

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

National Associations:

Member, Conseil scientifique du Réseau national des Maisons des Sciences de l’Homme, Paris, (2021-)

Western Society for French History, Governing Council (2018-2021)

Society for French Historical Studies, Executive Committee (2005-2008)

Nominating Committee, American Historical Association (2001-2004, Chair 2003-2004)

Western Society for French History, Program Committee (1997)

Editorial:

Conseil scientifique international, *Marronnages*  (2021-)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Modern History* (2015-2018)

Comité scientifique, Bérose - Encyclopédie en ligne sur l'histoire de l'anthropologie et des savoirs ethnographiques (2016-)

Editorial Board, *French Historical Studies* (2000-2003)

International Correspondent : *Revue d’Histoire des Sciences Humaines* (2000-)

Manuscript Reviewer for: University of Chicago Press, Harvard University Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, Cambridge University Press, Princeton University Press, Cornell University Press, Stanford University Press, Palgrave/Macmillan, Oxford University Press, University of California Press, University of Nebraska Press, KITLV Press

Article Reviewer for *L’Homme; Gradhiva; English Historical Review; Modern Intellectual History*; *Science in Context; History of Science; Journal of British Studies; Comparative Studies in Society and History; British Journal for the History of Science; Gender and History; French Politics, Culture and Society;* *American Historical Review; Fascism; French Historical Studies; Journal of Modern History; Journal of African History; International Journal of Middle Eastern Studies; Revue de l’histoire des sciences humaines; Cahiers d’Etudes Africaines; Journal des Africanistes; Monde(s): Histoire, Espaces, Relations; Slavic Review*

Assessment:

Jury Member, Serge Reubi, defense for the *Habilitation de recherche en histoire,* Institut des Sciences Politiques, Paris (Dec. 19 2023) (Zoom)

Eugen Weber Biannual Book Prize Committee, UCLA (2022-2024)

Evaluator, Musée du Quai Branly, Paris, “Raconter et exposer les minorités : médiations muséales en France et en Amérique du Nord” Conference, April 20, 2022 (Member of scientific committee)

Evaluator, Post-doctoral candidate, LabEx HASTEC (Histoire et anthropologie des savoirs, des techniques et des croyances), Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes, Paris (2019)

External Assessor, History Department, Georgetown University (2016)

Evaluator Université Paris VIII St. Denis, “Quels citoyens pour l’empire? La citoyenneté française à l’épreuve de la colonisation dans la première moitié du XXe siècle”  Conference, Dec. 8-10, 2016 (Member of scientific committee)

Higby Prize Committee, *Journal of Modern History* (2014-2015)

Jury Member, Paris, Isabelle Surun defense for the *Habilitation de recherche en histoire,* Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris (Dec. 12, 2014)

Heggoy and Boucher Prize Committee, Society for French Colonial History (2012-2014)

Jury Member, Emmanuelle Sibeud defense for the *Habilitation de recherche en histoire,* Institut des Sciences Politiques, Paris (Dec.15, 2012)

External Assessor, History Department, University of Delaware (2010)

Evaluator, European Research Council, Brussels (2010)

Evaluator, Stanford Humanities Center (2009, 2010)

Evaluator, Bourse Chateaubriand, Paris (2009)

Evaluator, Franco-American Fulbright Commission, Paris, France (2000, 2002, 2003, 2009, 2010)

Evaluator, Florence Gould pre-dissertation Fellowship Committee (2002)

Koren Prize Committee (1999-2000)

Berkshire Prize Committee, (1998-1999)

**SERVICE**

OSU:

**Vice-Chair**, History Dept., (2022-)

Promotion and Tenure Committee, History Dept. (2021-2022)

**Assessor**, CAS Study Abroad Funding for students with financial need (2021)

**Chair**, Promotion and Tenure Committee, History Dept. (2018-2019, 2020-2021)

Race Task Force Member, OSU History Dept. (summer 2020)

OSU Distinguished Scholar Award Committee (2017-2019)

**Assessor**, CAS Study Abroad Funding for students with financial need (2019)

Advisory Committee, History Dept. (2018-2019)

**Chair**, Ad Hoc Committee on Graduate Program in History (2016-2017)

Spousal Hire Committee, History Dept. (2014-2015)

Promotion and Tenure Committee, History Dept. (2013-2015, 2016-2018)

REN Constellation, Co-Coordinator, History Dept. (2013-14)

Presidential Fellowship Review Committee, Graduate School (2013-2014)

Graduate Studies Committee, History Dept. (2012-2013)

Advisory Committee, History Dept. (2010-2011)

Graduate Studies Committee, History Dept. (2009-2010)

Awards and Prizes Committee, History Dept. (2008-2009)

**Chair**, Diversity Committee, History Dept. (2006-2007)

Advisory Committee, History Dept. (2006-2007)

Modern European History Speakers Series, Coordinator, History Dept. (2006-2010)

Diversity Committee, History Dept. (2005- 2006)

Modern British Search Committee, History Dept. (2005-2006)

Graduate Studies Committee, History Dept. (2004-2005)

**Chair,** Spousal Hire Committee, History Dept. (2005)

Middle Childhood Education Committee, (2005-2009)

University of Rochester:

Curriculum Committee, Frederick Douglass Institute (2003-2004)

Invited speaker, 2002 Susan B. Anthony Legacy Dinner (Feb. 7, 2002)

Curriculum Committee, Susan B. Anthony Institute for Gender and Women’s Studies (2001-2002)

Grants Committee, Susan B. Anthony Institute for Gender and Women’s Studies (2001-2002)

Director of Graduate Studies (July 1997- July 2000)

Take-Five Committee (1998-1999)

Governance Committee, Susan B. Anthony Institute for Gender and Women's Studies (1998-2000)

Speakers Committee, Susan B. Anthony Institute for Gender and Women's Studies (1997-1998)

Steering Committee, Faculty Council (1996-1997)

Faculty Council, University of Rochester (1995-1997)

Summer Orientation, Program Reviewer (1992, 1994, 1997, 1998, 1999)

Committee on Study Abroad (1991-1994)