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EDUCATION

Duke University, PhD Program in History (Fall 2005-present) Expected date of completion April, 2012.
Dissertation: "Building a Better World: Youth, Radicalism, and the Politics of Space in New York City, 1945-1965."

Duke University, Master of Arts in History, Fall 2007.

Reed College, Bachelors of Arts in History, 2004.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Instructor – "United States History from 1877," William Peace University, Spring 2012.

Adjunct Instructor – "World History 1945 to the Present," William Peace University, Spring 2012.

Instructor – "Becoming US: Family and Society in the Modern United States" Duke University, Fall 2011.

Adjunct Instructor – "United States History until 1877," William Peace University, Fall 2011.

Instructor – "Introduction to Oral History." Center for Documentary Studies and History, Duke University, Spring 2010.

Grading Assistant – "The 1960s," Duke University, Fall 2008.

Grading Assistant – "Modern America," Duke University, Fall 2008.

Writing Studio Tutor – Duke University Writing Program, Duke University, Fall 2007.

Teaching Assistant – "American Business History," Duke University, Fall 2006.

Teaching Assistant – "American Dreams / American Realities," Duke University, Spring 2006.

Student Athlete Tutor – Athletic Department, Duke University, Fall 2005 - Spring 2007.

PUBLICATIONS

"Selling the Summer: The Moral Economy of Radical Interracial Summer Camping," in Michael Ezra, ed., *The Economic Civil Rights Movement*. New York: Routledge Publishing, (Forthcoming).

"Anticommunism," "Angelo Herndon," "William L. Patterson," "National Negro Congress," "Progressive Party of 1948," "Soviet Union." *Encyclopedia of African American History, 1896-2005: From the Age of Segregation to the Twenty-first Century*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2008.

"Review of Catherine Fosl's *Subversive Southerner: Anne Braden and the Struggle for Racial Justice in the Cold War South*" *Journal of the North Carolina Association of Historians*. Vol. 14 (April, 2006).

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Reference Services Internship, Rare Book, Manuscript, and Special Collections Library, Duke University, Fall 2010-Spring 2011.

Finalist, Spencer Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, 2010-2011.

Travel Grant, Center for the United States and the Cold War. New York University, Fall 2009.

Summer Research Fellowship, Duke University Graduate School, Summer 2008.

Richard Watson Fellowship, Department of History, Duke University, Spring 2008.

Summer Research Grant, Department of History, Duke University, Summer 2006.

PRESENTATIONS

"Ain't Gonna Study War No More": Children's Anti-war Visual and Material Culture During the Early Cold War." Society for the History of Childhood and Youth Annual Conference, June 25, 2011.

"Childhood Experiences of Political Repression." Lived Experience of the State, Duke University, April 25, 2011.

"Living Democracy: Youth, Race, and Radical Summer Camping in New York, 1945-1965." Center for the United States and the Cold War, Tamiment Library, New York University. March 11, 2010.

"Little Worlds Lost: Radical Summer Camps and the Politics of Space in New York City, 1945-1960." Labor and Working-Class History Association. May 29, 2009.

"Taking Custody of the Movement: Civil Rights, Anticommunism, and the Battle for the Ingram Boys," at "Civil Rights Century: The NAACP at 100," Johns Hopkins University Department of Africana Studies, February 7, 2009.

"Building a Better World: Camp Wo-Chi-Ca as Leftist Social Space, 1945-1950." Insiders and Outsiders: An Interdisciplinary Conference," Duke University, September 21-22, 2007.

SERVICE

Secretary – Burch Avenue Neighborhood Association, 2007-present.

President – Duke History Graduate Student Association. Spring 2010.

Chair and Comment – "Controlling Public, Urban Space" Taking Up Space: An Interdisciplinary Conference." Duke University, January 29, 2010.

Organizer – Triangle Labor and Civil Rights Working Group, sponsored by the Labor and Working-Class History Association (LAWCHA), May 2007-present.

Panel Chair – "New Approaches to Race and Ethnicity," Bridging Divides: A Workshop on Works-in-Progress, Duke University, March 2, 2007.

Chair and Comment – “Politics, Education, and Culture in the Cold War,” North Carolina History Undergraduate Thesis Writers Conference, Duke University, April 8, 2006.

Panel Chair – “Mapping the Transnational,” Method and Meaning: A Workshop in Historical Approach and Interpretation, Duke University, March 31, 2006.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Society for the Study of Childhood and Youth, 2011-present.

American Historical Association, 2008-present.

Labor and Working Class History Association, 2006-present.

Duke History Graduate Student Association, 2005-present.