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## Curriculum Vitae

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### EDUCATION:

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- 2008      **Ph.D., History.** Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ.  
Fields of Study: Modern Africa, Modern Europe, Global/Comparative.
- 1997      **M.A., History.** Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.  
Field of Study: Britain and Empire.
- 1994      **B.S., History.** Eastern Michigan University. Ypsilanti, MI. Minor: Chemistry.

### EMPLOYMENT:

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- Since 9/2015:      Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Oregon (Eugene, OR).
- 9/2009-9/2015:      Assistant Professor, Department of History, University of Oregon (Eugene, OR).
- 8/2008-8/2009:      Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History and Thomas A. Edison Papers Project  
(shared-time), Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey (New Brunswick, NJ).
- 9/2007-6/2008:      Visiting Faculty, Department of History and Program in African and African American  
Studies, Dartmouth College (Hanover, NH).
- 9/2006-5/2007:      Faculty Fellow, Department of History, Colby College (Waterville, ME).

### PUBLICATIONS (word counts available on request):

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#### Current Projects in Press

Peer-reviewed Works in Process (formally submitted on contract and/or accepted for publication):

- Essays (2):      “Colonial and Imperial Cartography in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century” and “Map Trade in Africa.” In  
*The History of Cartography* v. 5, *The Nineteenth Century*, edited by Roger J. P. Kain,  
pages TBD. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, expected 2027. Submitted on contract,  
past editing; volume sent to Press for typesetting, July 2025.
- Entries (2):      “Jeppe, Friedrich Heinrich (Fred)” and “De Smidt, Abraham.” In *The History of*  
*Cartography* v. 5, *The Nineteenth Century*, edited by Roger J. P. Kain, pages TBD.  
Chicago: University of Chicago Press, expected 2027. See above note on HoC essays.
- Chapter:      “Mapping the Tanganyika Mandate: Pragmatism, Ambiguity, and Colonial Policy, 1919-  
1938.” In *Redrawing the World: Maps and Legacies of 1919*, edited by Peter Nekola,  
pages TBD. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, expected 2027. Submitted on contract,  
accepted; advanced to typesetting with images cleared, August 2026.

#### Published, Peer-Reviewed Works

##### Books:

- 2015      *Colonial Survey and Native Landscapes in Rural South Africa, 1850-1913: The Politics of*  
*Space in the Cape and Transvaal.* African Social Studies Series 33. Leiden: Brill, 2015 [Oct  
2014]. ISBN 978-9004272330. Open Access (2021). DOI: [10.1163/9789004282292](https://doi.org/10.1163/9789004282292)

Journal Articles:

- 2025 "Networks, Institutions and the Failure of the Survey Law of 1874 in the Transvaal," *Science, Technology & Society* 30, no. 3 (2025): 468-84. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/09717218251336318>
- 2024 "Colonisation and Smallpox Response in the Southwestern Transkei, 1878-1896," *South African Historical Journal* 76, no. 1-2 (2024): 151-79. DOI: [10.1080/02582473.2024.2414297](https://doi.org/10.1080/02582473.2024.2414297)
- 2018 "An Agent in Pretoria? Fred Jeppe, the Cartography of the Transvaal, and Imperial Knowledge before 1900." *The Cartographic Journal* 55, no. 2 (2018): 111-20. DOI: [10.1080/00087041.2018.1435441](https://doi.org/10.1080/00087041.2018.1435441)
- 2016 "Colonialism and Toponymy in the Kei Valley, South Africa, c.1850-1900." *Forum-IfL* 30 (2016): 121-32. DOI: [10.1080/00087041.2018.1435441](https://doi.org/10.1080/00087041.2018.1435441)
- 2015 "'A Bad Lot': Local Politics and the Survey of Oukraal and Kamastone, 1853-1923." *African Historical Review* 47, no. 1 (2015): 16-47. DOI: [10.1080/17532523.2015.1086178](https://doi.org/10.1080/17532523.2015.1086178)
- 2013 "The Returns of the King: The Case of Mphophu and Western Venda, 1899-1904." *Journal of Southern African Studies* 39, no. 2 (2013): 271-91. DOI: [10.1080/03057070.2013.796739](https://doi.org/10.1080/03057070.2013.796739)
- 2005 "Spatial Institutionalization and the Settler State: Survey and Mapping in the Eastern Transvaal, 1852-1905." *South African Historical Journal* 53 (2005): 146-78. DOI: [10.1080/02582470509464893](https://doi.org/10.1080/02582470509464893)
- 2003 "Suez Reconsidered: Anthony Eden's Orientalism and the Suez Crisis." *The Historian* 65, no. 3 (2003): 535-61. DOI: [10.1111/1540-6563.00030](https://doi.org/10.1111/1540-6563.00030)
- 1997 "The 1863 Roebuck Motion Reconsidered." *UCLA Historical Journal* 17 (1997): 1-19. [Open Access via California eScholarship.](#)

Peer-Reviewed Research Essays and Book Chapters (over 4000 words; counts available on request):

- 2024 "Cartography in Colonial Africa." In *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia of African History*, edited by T. Spear et al. Oxford: Oxford University Press, April 2024; updated online resource. DOI: [10.1093/acrefore/9780190277734.013.632](https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780190277734.013.632)
- 2018 "India and the African Experience in the Great War." In *India and the First World War: A Centennial Assessment*, edited by Roger D. Long and Ian Talbot, 121-33. New York: Routledge, 2018. DOI: [10.4324/9781315151373-6](https://doi.org/10.4324/9781315151373-6)
- 2012 "Missionary Cartography in Colonial Africa: Cases from South Africa." In *Studies in the History of Cartography: Proceedings of the ICA Symposium 2010*, edited by E. C. Liebenberg and Imre Josef Demhardt, 249-72. Berlin: Springer, 2012. DOI: [10.1007/978-3-642-19088-9\\_16](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-642-19088-9_16)

Shorter Entries in Peer-Reviewed Reference Works (under 4000 words; counts available on request):

- 2015 "Colonial and Imperial Cartography." In *The History of Cartography* v. 6, *The Twentieth Century*, edited by Mark Monmonier, 251-57. Chicago: Chicago University Press, 2015. [Open Access via the University of Chicago Press.](#)
- 2003 "Egypt, British Intervention in, to 1914." In *The Readers' Guide to British History* vol. 1, edited by David M. Loades, 443-444. New York: Routledge, 2003.

**Published, Editor-Reviewed Works**

- 2023 "Introduction to Maps and Plans." Essay for *Africa and the New Imperialism 1870-1914*, primary source research collection, Adam Matthew Ltd, 2023; [online resource.](#)

- 2020 “The Case for a Cover-up Regarding British Acquisition of Jeppe’s Map of the Transvaal, 1899,” *Transvaal Philatelist* 54, no. 3 (2019): 95-97. (Appeared in 2020.)
- 2018 Introductory footer (untitled). In *Jeppe’s Map of the Transvaal 1899* facsimile ed. London: Transvaal Study Circle, 2018.
- 2009 “The Colonial Archive and Maps of the Western Transkei, 1857-1898.” In *Proceedings of the Symposium on the History of Cartography in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries*, edited by Peter Collier, Imre Josef Demhardt, and E. C. Liebenberg, ch. 2. Pretoria: ICA, 2009.
- 2004 (With Roger Fisher and John Obree) “Land Policy at the Cape and the Office of Surveyor-General 1813-1913.” In *The History of Surveying and Land Tenure in South Africa* v. 2, edited by Roger Fisher, 11-38. Cape Town: Inst of Professional Land Surveyors, 2004.
- 2004 “Dividing Lands on the Cape and Transvaal Frontiers, c.1864-1900.” In *The History of Surveying and Land Tenure in South Africa* v. 2, edited by Roger Fisher, 93-126. Cape Town: Institute of Professional Land Surveyors, 2004.
- 2004 *Handlist to Pre-Trigsurvey Archivalia at the Chief Directorate: Surveys and Mapping, Mowbray*. Cape Town: In-house publication (CDSM/NGI), 2004 (with periodic revision).
- 2003 “The Arc of the Thirtieth Meridian and Geography in British Africa.” In *Proceedings of the Symposium on the History of Cartography of Africa*, edited by E. C. Liebenberg, 83-101. Pretoria: ICA, 2003.

#### Book and Media Reviews

- 2026 *Military Marxism: Africa’s Contribution to Revolutionary Theory, 1957-2023*, by Adam Mayer (Lanham, 2025) in *CHOICE: Reviews of New Books* 63, no. 8 (April 2026).
- 2025 *Historical Dictionary of Zambia* 4<sup>th</sup> edition, ed. by B. J. Phiri and Thokozile Shaba (New York, 2023) in *CHOICE: Reviews of New Books* 62, no. 10 (June 2025).
- 2020 *The Boer War* by Martin Bossenbroek (New York, 2017) in *Michigan War Studies Review* (April 2020), online academic journal: <http://www.miwsr.com/2020-036.aspx>.
- 2018 *The Gun in Central Africa* by Giacomo Macola (Athens OH, 2016) in *Michigan War Studies Review* (February 2018), online academic journal: <http://www.miwsr.com/2018-017.aspx>.
- 2017 *Cartography and the Political Imagination: Mapping Community in Colonial Kenya*, by Julie MacArthur (Athens OH, 2016) in *The Cartographic Journal* 54, no. 4 (2017): 376-77.
- 2016 *Collective Violence and the Agrarian Origins of South African Apartheid, 1900–1948* by John Higginson (Cambridge, 2014) in *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* 17, no. 4 (2016): 480-82.
- 2015 *The Founders: The Origins of the ANC and the Struggle for Democracy in South Africa* by André Odendaal (Lexington, 2013) in *Canadian Journal of African Studies* 49, no. 3 (2015): 507-9.
- 2015 *Zulu Warriors: The Battle for the South African Frontier* by John Laband (New Haven, 2014) in *Michigan War Studies Review* (February 2015), online academic journal: <http://www.miwsr.com/2015-014.aspx>.
- 2013 *Congo: The Miserable Expeditions and Dreadful Death of Lt. Emory Taunt, USN* by Andrew C. A. Jampoler (Annapolis, 2013) in *Michigan War Studies Review* (December 2013), online academic journal: <http://www.miwsr.com/2013-093.aspx>.
- 2013 *Disputed Land: The Historical Development of the South African Land Issue, 1652-2011* by Louis Changuion & Bertus Steenkamp (Pretoria, 2012) in *PositionIT* (November-December 2013): 6-7.

- 2012 *The Battle of Adwa: African Victory in the Age of Empire* by Raymond Jonas (Cambridge, 2011), in *Michigan War Studies Review* (August 2012), online academic journal: <http://www.miwsr.com/2012-047.aspx>.
- 2011 *Popular Politics in the History of South Africa, 1400-1948* by Paul Landau (Cambridge, 2010), in *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* 12, no. 3-4 (2011): 462-65.
- 2011 *Borders and Conflict in South Asia: The Radcliffe Boundary Commission and the Partition of Punjab* (Manchester, 2009), in *Imago Mundi* 63, no. 1 (2011): 118.
- 2010 *Fabrication of Empire: The British and the Uganda Kingdoms, 1890-1902*, by D. A. Low (Cambridge, 2009) in *Canadian Journal of History* 45, no. 3 (2010): 680-82.
- 2010 *The Killer Trail: A Colonial Scandal in the Heart of Africa*, by Bertrand Taithe (Oxford: 2009), in *Michigan War Studies Review* (June 2010), online academic journal: <http://www.michiganwarstudiesreview.com/2010/20100602.asp>
- 2007 *From Squaw Tit to Whorehouse Meadow: How Maps Name, Claim, and Inflamm* by Mark Monmonier (Chicago, 2006) in *Technology and Culture* 48 (2007): 418-19.
- 2004 *A Different Shade of Colonialism: Egypt, Great Britain, & the Mastery of the Sudan* by E. M. Troutt-Powell (Berkeley, 2003) in *History: Reviews of New Books* 32, no. 2 (2004): 73.
- 2001 *An Empire on Display: English, Indian, and Australian Exhibitions from the Crystal Palace to the Great War* by Peter H. Hoffenberg (Berkeley, 2001), in *History: Reviews of New Books* 30, no. 1 (2001): 17.
- 2001 *A Concise History of South Africa* by Robert Ross (Cambridge, 1999), in *Itinerario: The Journal of Overseas History* 25, no. 1 (2001): 123-24.
- 1998 Review of CD-ROM *The Rise and Fall of the British Empire* (Chicago, 1995) in *History Computer Review* 14, no. 2 (Fall 1998): 91-93.
- 1998 Review of CD-ROM *Traces of the Past: The National Trust Register of the Built Heritage of Australia* (Nedlands, 1997) in *History Computer Review* 14, no. 1 (Spring 1998): 79-80.
- 1996 *Liberty Ship: The Voyages of the John W. Brown, 1942-1946* by Sherod Cooper (Annapolis, MD, 1997), in *Maryland Historian* 27 (1996): 37.

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#### FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS (since 2000; sums available on request):

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##### External Fellowships and Grants

- 7/2025-8/2025 Hiob Ludolf Fellowship, Ernst-Abbe-Stiftung, Universität Erfurt, Germany.
- 7/2024-8/2024 Willison Foundation Charitable Trust (UK), "Map and Book Compilation and Trades in Natal, South Africa, 1850-1910" (4 weeks' support).
- 9/2020-3/2021 Senior Research Fellow, Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study, Amsterdam.
- 1/2020-12/2022 Helen and John S. Best Fellowship, American Geographical Society Library, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (3 weeks' support total, conducted remotely).
- 3/2016-6/2016 Franklin Research Grant, American Philosophical Society. "Survey, Mapping, and Colonial Encounters on the Zimbabwe Plateau, 1890-1923."
- 9/2002-9/2003 J. William Fulbright Scholarship (Dissertation), Institute of International Education. "Space and Power in the Making of Modern South Africa." Affiliate: UNISA.
- 9/2000-6/2001 Netherland-America Foundation Grant, for study at Rijksuniversiteit Leiden.
- 1/2000-6/2001 J. B. Harley Fellowship in the History of Cartography. "Imperial and National Cartographies of South Africa, 1835-1948." British Library, Royal Geographical Society, the National Archives (UK) and the National Maritime Museum (UK).

**Internal Fellowships and Grants**

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| 9/2022-6/2025   | Brush Faculty Fellowships (3x), Department of History, University of Oregon (UO).                                                                    |
| 9/2022-6/2023   | Endeavour Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, UO.                                                                                             |
| 10/2021-9/2022  | CAS International Research Travel Matching Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, UO.                                                                  |
| 9/2021-6/2022   | Brush Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, UO.                                                                                                 |
| 11/2021-12/2021 | UO Libraries Open Access Book Fund Award, UO.                                                                                                        |
| 9/2019-6/2020   | Brush Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, University of Oregon (UO).                                                                          |
| 10/2018-9/2019  | CAS International Research Travel Matching Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, UO.                                                                  |
| 9/2016-6/2017   | Brush Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, University of Oregon (UO).                                                                          |
| 3/2014-6/2014   | Faculty Fellowship (Spring Term), Oregon Humanities Center. "Imperial Geosophy: Geography, Imagination, and the African Arc of Meridian, 1879-1956." |
| 9/2012-6/2013   | Brush Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, UO.                                                                                                 |
| 9/2011-6/2012   | Endeavour Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, UO.                                                                                             |
| 7/2011-12/2012  | Junior Professorship Development Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, UO.                                                                            |
| 9/2010-6/2011   | Brush Faculty Fellowship, Department of History, UO.                                                                                                 |
| 7/2010-12/2011  | Junior Professorship Development Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, UO.                                                                            |
| 6/2010-9/2010   | New Faculty Award, College of Arts and Sciences, UO.                                                                                                 |
| 1/2006-6/2006   | Graduate Fellowship, Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis.                                                                                         |

**PRESENTATIONS (since 2000):****Invited Lectures, Papers, and Talks**

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| 2026 | "Failure of the 1874 Survey Law," Trust Seminar, Witwatersrand Institute for Social & Economic Research, University of the Witwatersrand (South Africa), 16 September 2026.                                                              |
| 2026 | "Compilation Mapmaking and Knowledge in Colonial Natal," Departmental Brown Bag (Works-in-Progress) Series, Department of History, UO, 26 February 2026.                                                                                 |
| 2026 | "The Development of Cartography and Related Settler-Borne Knowledge in South Africa from the 1850s to 1910," Forschungskolleg Transkulturelle Studien / Forschungszentrum Gotha, Universität Erfurt (Germany), 20 January 2026 (remote). |
| 2022 | "The Noting Plan," at the Little Tools of Knowledge roundtable, Department of History, University of Oregon (UO), 27 May 2022.                                                                                                           |
| 2021 | "Cartographic Authorities and Compilation Networks in 19th-Century South Africa," New York Map Society public lecture series, 12 June 2021.                                                                                              |
| 2021 | "Rethinking Colonial Cartography: Collecting and Mapping South Africa, 1850-1910," SPUI25 public lecture, Universiteit Amsterdam (The Netherlands), 15 March 2021.                                                                       |
| 2019 | "Mapping a New African Empire: Britain and Tanganyika Between the Wars," 20 <sup>th</sup> Kenneth Nebenzahl, Jr. Lectures, Newberry Library (Chicago, IL), 8 November 2019.                                                              |
| 2018 | "The Compilers: The Production and Presentation of Knowledge in African Colonial Contexts, 1830 – 1900," History Workshop Series, UO, 25 May 2018.                                                                                       |
| 2015 | "Government Land Surveyors and the Creation of a Colonial Order in the Eastern Cape," South African Geomatics Institute, Mowbray, WC, South Africa, 5 November 2015.                                                                     |
| 2015 | "19 <sup>th</sup> -Century Cadastral Mapping in South Africa: Maps for Bureaucrats," International Map Collectors' Society Symposium, Cape Town, WC, South Africa, 20 October 2015.                                                      |
| 2015 | "Geography, Imagination, and the African Arc of Meridian, 1879-1956," Osher Lifelong Learning Institute @ UO, Baker Center, 5 June 2015.                                                                                                 |
| 2013 | "Colonialism and Atomization: Individual Land Tenure in the Western Transkei, South Africa," African Studies Lecture Series, UO, 21 May 2013.                                                                                            |

- 2010 “The Fall and Rise of Mphephu: Legitimacy, Locality and Strategy in Zoutpansberg, 1895-1919,” Departmental Seminar Series, Department of History, University of Pretoria, Pretoria/Tshwane, GP, South Africa, 29 July 2010.
- 2008 “Untangling the Colonial Roots of the Land Question in South Africa,” Lecture Series on Southern Africa, Ohio University (Athens, OH), 30 May 2008.
- 2005 “‘A Portion of Our Country, Relatively Unknown’: Fred Jeppe, the Zoutpansberg, and the Cartography of the Transvaal, 1868-1899,” in the *Maps and Society* lecture series at the Warburg Institute, University of London, 25 May 2005.

### Conference Papers and Talks

- 2026 “Maps and Mapping Practices of the Berlin Africa Conference, 1884-1885” (with Thomas J. Bassett, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign), at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, 3 December 2026. (forthcoming)
- 2025 “Compilation Mapmaking and Knowledge Control in Colonial Natal, 1845-1895,” at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 22 November 2025.
- 2024 “J. J. Herfst and the ‘Official’ Cartography of the Orange Free State, South Africa, 1890-1904,” at the 30<sup>th</sup> International Conference on the History of Cartography (ICHC), Lyon, France, 1-5 July 2024.
- 2022 “Situating Surveyed Knowledge on Compiled Landscapes in British Colonial South and East Africa, c.1880-1935: the Noting Plan as a Mapped Process,” at The Surveying Turn in Cartography conference, International Cartographic Association (ICA) Commission on the History of Cartography, Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin, 25 October 2022. (Delivered remotely owing to illness.)
- 2022 “The Colonization of Smallpox Response in the Western Transkei, c.1878-1900,” at the Rocky Mountain Workshop on African History, Salt Lake City, UT, 15 October 2022.
- 2019 “Surveying & Mapping and the Limits of a New Colonial Order in East Africa, 1919-1939,” at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 19 November 2019.
- 2018 “Cultures of Colonial Compilation: C. N. Thomas and State Mapping in Cape Town, 1860-1902,” at the International Society for the History of the Map conference (ISHMap), Portland, ME, 22 June 2018.
- 2017 “An Agent in Pretoria: Fred Jeppe, the Cartography of the Transvaal, and British Imperial Knowledge before 1900,” at the Charting the Cosmos of Cartography Workshop (ICA Commission on the History of Cartography), Library of Congress (DC), 28 June 2017.
- 2015 “Fractured Landscapes and Disease in the Western Transkei (South Africa), 1898-1910,” at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, 20 November 2015.
- 2014 “Reinventing Dzanani: Cadastral Politics in Western Venda, 1902-1924,” at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, 20 November 2014.
- 2013 “Colonial Conquest and Toponym Shifts in the Kei Valley, South Africa, 1850-1900,” at the ICA Joint Commission Seminar on Historical Maps, Atlases, and Toponymy, Leibniz-Institut für Länderkunde, Leipzig, Germany, 23 August 2013.
- 2013 “‘Cut into Little Bits’: Buying and Selling Individual Tenure in Fingoland, 1864-1913,” at the Land Divided 2013 Conference, University of Cape Town, 25 March 2013.
- 2010 “Spatial Claims, Cartography, and the Realities of Colonial Power in 19<sup>th</sup>-Century Limpopo: The Case of the Venda Paramountcy” at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, 18 November 2010.

- 2010 “Missionary Cartography and Colonialism in Late 19<sup>th</sup> Century South Africa” at the ICA Symposium on the History of Cartography, Arlington, TX, 10-12 October 2010. (Paper delivered in absentia owing to illness.)
- 2009 “Surveying and Interstate Conflict in Limpopo and Mpumalanga during the 19th Century,” at the Conference on Science, Technology, and the Environment in Africa, University of Texas at Austin, 28 March 2009.
- 2008 “Early Mapping of the Western Transkei, 1858-1898,” at the ICA Symposium on the History of Cartography, Portsmouth (UK), 10 September 2008.
- 2005 “Native Space in the Cartography of the Transvaal, 1830-1910,” at the International Conference on the History of Cartography (ICHC), Budapest, 20 July 2005.
- 2005 “Rethinking the Cartography of the South African Republic, 1850-1900,” at the ICA annual meeting, A Coruña (Spain), 8-17 July 2005 (paper accepted; unable to attend).
- 2004 “Native Tenure Surveys on the Eastern Cape Frontier,” at the meeting of the Institute of Eastern Cape Land Surveyors, Port Elizabeth, South Africa, 8 June 2004.
- 2004 “Dividing Lands on the Cape and Transvaal Frontiers, c.1864-1900,” at the Symposium on the History of Surveying and Land Tenure in South Africa, Cape Town, 5 June 2004.
- 2003 “The Arc of the Thirtieth Meridian and Geography in British Africa,” at the ICA Conference on the History of Cartography, Cape Town, 5 August 2003.
- 2003 “European Geographical Science and the Surveys of Glen Grey and Fingoland, c.1894-1903,” at the South African Historical Society Meeting, Bloemfontein, 1 July 2003.
- 2001 “Official Geography Across Colonial Frontiers: The Case of British Geodesy in South, Central, and East Africa, 1882-1939,” at the Northeastern Conference on British Studies, Worcester, MA, 16 November 2001.

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**TEACHING (since 2000, as faculty of record only):**


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**Courses at the University of Oregon (Undergraduate, Graduate, and Mixed)**

- HIST 105 World History (1400-1800), large lecture/discussion survey.
- HIST 325 Precolonial Africa.
- HIST 326 Colonial & Postcolonial Africa (in-person and asynchronous online, 2020).
- HIST 410/510 Ancient Africa (taught as HIST 399 as well).
- HIST 405 Independent Reading. 5 students: FT 2014 (2), FT 2016 (1), FT 2017 (1), ST 2019 (1).
- HIST 407/507 Seminar: Environment and Colonialism.
- HIST 407/507 Seminar: The South African War (1899-1902).
- HIST 407/507 Seminar: Modern African History.
- HIST 417/517 Topics: Apartheid South Africa (in-person and asynchronous online, 2020).
- HIST 415/515 Advanced Topics in World History: The Age of Imperialism 1815-1939.
- HIST 419/519 African Regional History: Colonial South Africa.
- HIST 419/519 African Regional History: Modern South Africa (2009, later split into 419/417 parts).
- HIST 404 Internship (1 student, FT 2021).
- HIST 605 Independent Readings: The Colonial & Postcolonial in Africa (focus on Namibia), Fall term 2016.
- HIST 605 Independent Readings: Comparative Colonialisms, Spring term 2017.
- HIST 608 Colloquium: Settler Colonialism (Winter terms 2020, 2022, 2025, 2027).

**Courses at Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey (As Faculty of Record)**

- 01:508:220 Ancient Africa.
- 01:508:222 Modern Africa.

01:510:102      Development of Europe II.

### **Courses at Dartmouth College**

HIST 67            Modern South Africa.  
 HIST 69            Independent Study (1 student).  
 AAAS 7            First-Year Seminar: Pan-Africanism.  
 HIST 66            Modern African History.  
 HIST 5.1          Precolonial African History.

### **Courses at Colby College**

HI 276            Patterns & Processes in World History.  
 HI 261            African History.  
 HI 399            Independent Study (1 Student).

### **Student Thesis Advising and Committee Work**

Since 2026      (Member) Doug Park, PhD, History, UO.  
 Since 2025      (Chair) Margaret Grace, BA Thesis, History / Honors College, UO.  
 Since 2025      (Member) Ravinder Kumar, PhD, History, UO.  
 Since 2021      (Member) Ian Halter, PhD, History, UO.  
 2020-2024      (Member) Spencer Abbe, "'The Dangers which Plague this Country': Empire and Disaster in the North Pacific, 1700-1995," PhD, History, UO.  
 2020-2023      (Member) Yewulsew Endalew, "Hydropoetics: Myth, Reality, and Literature in the Eastern Nile Basin," PhD, Comparative Literature, UO.  
 2021-2022      (Member) Suzanne Basson, MA Thesis, Musicology, UO.  
 2020-2022      (Member) Cornesha Tweede, "The Significance of Black Women to Early Modern Iberian Literature." PhD, Romance Languages, UO.  
 2020            (Member) Ariana Persico, MA Thesis, History, UO.  
 2018-2019      (Member) Alice V. Harding, BA Thesis, History, UO.  
 2018            (Member) Caroline Richelsen, BA Thesis, History, UO.  
 2018            (Member) Clara Gorman, BA Thesis, Honors College and History, UO.  
 2017-2021      (Member) Marc Carpenter, "'Rake Up No Old Stories of Evil': Memory, Celebration, and Erasure of Settler Violence in the American Pacific Northwest," PhD, History, UO.  
 2017            (Member) Ian O'Flynn Anderson, BA Thesis, Honors College, UO.  
 2016-2021      (Member) Martha Ndakalako, "Borders of the Global Anglophone: Locality, Language & Feminist Futures in Namibian Literature," PhD, Comparative Literature, UO.  
 2015-2017      (Member) M. Sean Munger, "Ten Years of Winter: The Cold Decade and Environmental Consciousness in the Early 19<sup>th</sup> Century." PhD, History, UO.  
 2015            (Member) Christopher Smith, PhD, History, UO (examiner only).  
 2015            (Chair) Caellagh Morrissey, BA Thesis, History/International Studies/Honors College, UO.  
 2015            (Member) Samuel Moore, MA Thesis, Environmental Studies, UO.  
 2015            (Member) Michael Reeves, BA Thesis, Honors College, UO.  
 2012            (Member) M. Sean Munger, "1816: 'The Mighty Operations of Nature': An Environmental History of the Year Without a Summer." MA Thesis, History, UO.  
 2012            (Member) Alison Robert, MA (two-paper option), History, UO.  
 2011            (Chair/Advisor) Brian Epley, BA Thesis, History, UO.  
 2010            (Member) Nathan Jessen, PhD, History, UO (prospectus committee only).  
 2010            (Chair/Advisor) Daniel Brotman, BA Thesis, International Studies, UO.

**SERVICE (since 1995; non-confidential details available upon request):**

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**Service to Department (History)**

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| Since 2024    | Member, Undergraduate Committee, History, UO.                                                                           |
| Since 2025    | Member, Diversity Committee, History, UO.                                                                               |
| 2024-2025     | Chair, Speakers & Events Committee, History, UO.                                                                        |
| 2024-2025     | Departmental Undergraduate Advisor, History, UO.                                                                        |
| 2023 (Fall)   | Member, Continuous Review Committee (NTTF), History, UO.                                                                |
| 2023 (Spring) | Co-chair, Performance Review (NTTF) Committee, History, UO.                                                             |
| 2021-2023     | Associate Department Head and Director of Undergraduate Studies, History, UO.                                           |
| 2021-2023     | Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (in 2022 combined with advising as the Undergraduate Committee), History, UO. |
| 2021-2023     | Faculty Advisor, Alpha Delta Lambda Chapter, Phi Alpha Theta (UO).                                                      |
| 2019-2020     | Chair, Post-Tenure Review Committee (Associate Professors), History, UO.                                                |
| 2018-2019     | Member, Technology Committee, History, UO.                                                                              |
| 2018          | Member, NTTF Contract Renewal Committee, History, UO.                                                                   |
| 2017          | Panel Commentator, UO Graduate History Conference, History, UO.                                                         |
| 2017          | Member, Joint Tenure Committee, History, UO.                                                                            |
| 2016-2023     | Departmental Steward (History), United Academics (UAUO).                                                                |
| 2016-2020     | Member, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, History, UO.                                                                |
| 2015-2016     | Member, Faculty Search Committee, Environment/World, History, UO.                                                       |
| 2015          | Advisor (History), IntroDUCKtion. (Winter/Spring), UO.                                                                  |
| 2015          | Panel Commentator, UO Graduate History Conference, History, UO.                                                         |
| 2014-2015     | Member, Undergraduate Committee, History, UO.                                                                           |
| 2013-2014     | Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Curriculum & Enrollments, History, UO.                                                      |
| 2013-2014     | Alternate Advisor (History), IntroDUCKtion. (Summer), UO.                                                               |
| 2011-2015     | Member/Co-Chair, Technology & Website Committee, History, UO.                                                           |
| 2011          | Advisor (History), IntroDUCKtion. (Summer), UO.                                                                         |
| 2011          | Panel Commentator, UO Graduate History Conference, History, UO.                                                         |
| 2011-2012     | Faculty Advisor, UO History Association (undergraduate), History, UO.                                                   |
| 2010-2011     | Elected member, Advisory Committee, History, UO.                                                                        |
| 2009-2010     | Member, Travel Committee, History, UO.                                                                                  |
| 2007          | Member, Thesis Prize Committee, Dept. of History, Colby College.                                                        |
| 1999-2000     | Graduate Education Committee, Dept. of History, Rutgers University.                                                     |
| 1998-1999     | Member, Conference Committee, Warren I. Susman Graduate History Conference, Rutgers University.                         |

**Service to College and University (including prior institutions); \* denotes expected end of term.**

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| 2025-2027* | Library Committee, UO.                                                                           |
| 2025-2027* | Faculty Advisory Committee, UO.                                                                  |
| 2025       | Guest lecture, AFR 215 (Intro. to African Studies), Fall term, UO.                               |
| 2022-2023  | College of Arts and Sciences / Tykeson College and Career Advising Reorganization Committee, UO. |
| 2021-2023  | Representative, United Academics (UAUO) Representative Assembly, UO.                             |
| 2020-2023  | Remote presentation, AFR 215 (Intro. to African Studies), Spring terms, UO.                      |
| 2019       | Guest lecture, AFR 215 (Intro. to African Studies), Spring term, UO.                             |
| 2018-2019  | Member, Promotion & Tenure Committee, Clark Honors College, UO.                                  |
| 2018       | Member, Midterm Review Committee, Clark Honors College, UO.                                      |

- 2017 Guest lecture, HUM 215 (Intro. to African Studies), Spring term, UO.
- 2016-2022 African Studies Lecture Series coordinating committee, UO.
- 2016-2020 African Studies Executive Committee, UO.
- 2014-2015 Graduate Specialization Working Group, African Studies Program, UO.
- 2014-2015 Elections Committee, UAUC (AAUP/AFT).
- 2014 Panel Respondent, “Colonial Exchanges” Conference, 17 October, UO.
- 2014 Participant, Global Excellence Map Project (GSI), Office of International Affairs, UO.
- 2014 Guest lecture, ANTH 438/538 (Professor Lynn Stephen), Winter term, UO.
- Since 2014 Affiliated Faculty, Environmental Studies, UO.
- Since 2014 Affiliated Faculty, International Studies (now Global Studies), UO.
- 2013-2014 African Studies Executive Committee, UO.
- 2012-2013 Guest presentations in AFR 410 (Lenses on Africa), Summer term (2x), UO.
- 2011 Instructor of Record, OINT 488: Internship South Africa (IE3), Summer term, UO.
- 2011 Guest lecture, ANTH 410/510 (Professor Lynn Stephen), Spring term, UO.
- 2011 Organizer of Visiting Scholar and Lecture/Colloquium, Prof. James L. A. Webb, Jr. (History, Colby College), in connection with several CAS units.
- 2011 Title VI Proposal Workgroup, African Studies, UO.
- 2010-2015 Annual lecture in HUM 315 (Intro. to African Studies), Spring term, UO.
- 2010-2013 Participating Faculty, Ethnic Studies, UO. (Affiliate program ended 2013.)
- Since 2009 Affiliated Faculty, African Studies, UO.
- 2001 Project consultant and English editor, *TANAP* exchange scholars program, IGEER, Rijksuniversiteit Leiden.
- 1995-1998 Graduate Education Committee, College of Arts and Letters, Michigan State University.

#### **Service to Discipline (including outreach and media activity):**

- 2025-2026 External Reviewer (Book MS), University of Virginia Press.
- Since 2025 Advisory Board, Working Group on the History of Cartography (II), International Cartographic Association.
- Since 2025 Editorial Review Board, *History in Africa* (A journal of the African Studies Association).
- 2025 Panel discussant, Rocky Mountain Workshop on African History, Portland State University, 12-13 Sep 2025.
- 2025 Radio Interview, *Morning Wave in Busan* (Korea), Busan e-FM 90.5, 25 Aug, 8:20am. [Recording available online](#). Host: Katherine Bang.
- 2025 External Reviewer (Articles), *Przegląd Historyczny* [Historical Review – Poland].
- 2025 Consultant (quoted) for Shola Lawal, [“‘US, China, India can all fit into Africa’: On a quest to fix the world map.”](#) *Al-Jazeera English: Features | Inequality*, 28 May 2025.
- 2024-2025 External Reviewer (Book MS), University of Chicago Press.
- Since 2024 Planning Committee, Rocky Mountain Workshop on African History (through 2026).
- 2024 External Reviewer (Articles), *Proceedings of the Royal Academy for Overseas Sciences* [of Belgium]
- 2024 External Reviewer (Articles), *Journal for the Philosophy of Language, Mind and the Arts*
- Since 2023 Associate Editor, *Terrae Incognitae* (Journal of the Society for the History of Discoveries).
- Since 2023 Contributing Scholar, “Maps for development: Finnish mapping practices in the postcolonial world, c. 1970–2000 (DEVMAP),” Finnish Academy, decision 354587 (through August 2027). Principal Investigator: Dr Johanna Skurnik (Helsinki/Turku).
- 2023-2024 External Reviewer (Articles), *South African Journal of Cultural History / Suid-Afrikaanse Tydskrif vir Kultuurgeskiedenis*.
- 2023 External Reviewer (Articles), *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of African History*.

- 2022-2023 Editorial Board, *Africa and the New Imperialism: European Borders on the African Continent 1870-1914*, Adam Matthew Digital ([online resource](#)).
- 2022 Session chair and respondent/discussant (2 panels), Phi Alpha Theta Northwest Regional Conference, Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA, 22-23 April 2022.
- 2021-2022 Member, Local Arrangements Committee, for American Society for Environmental History meeting, Eugene, OR.
- 2021-2022 External Reviewer (Book proposals), Routledge UK.
- 2020-2022 External Reviewer (Articles), *Journal of African Military History*.
- 2020-2024 Academic Referee (Fellowships), Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study, Amsterdam.
- 2020-2024 External Reviewer (Articles), *Journal of World History*.
- 2020 External Evaluator (SARCHI Chair), National Research Foundation, South Africa.
- 2020 External Reviewer (Post-Tenure / Endowed Chair), University of Texas at Arlington.
- 2020 External Reviewer (Book proposals), Routledge/Taylor & Francis.
- 2019 Session respondent/discussant, African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 20 November 2019.
- 2018 External Reviewer (Promotion & Tenure), University of Louisville.
- 2018 Session chair/discussant, International Society for the History of the Map, Portland, ME.
- 2017 Consulting Expert, International Baccalaureate Program (IB), South Eugene International High School, Eugene, OR.
- 2017 Student Group Consultant (Empire in India), National History Month, Oak Hill High School, Eugene, OR.
- 2016-2022 External Evaluator (Scholar Grants), National Research Foundation, South Africa. (4x)
- 2015 External Reviewer (Articles), *Journal of Historical Geography*.
- 2015 External Reviewer (Book MS), UNISA Press.
- 2015 External Reviewer (Journal Proposal for *African Military History*), Koninklijke Brill NV.
- 2015 External Reviewer (Book MS), Oxford University Press.
- 2014 External Reviewer (Book MS), MIT Press.
- Since 2013 Advisory Board, *History of Cartography* Project (Volume Five, *The Nineteenth Century*), University of Wisconsin-Madison. Volume Editor: Roger Kain.
- 2011 External Reviewer (Articles), *South African Historical Journal*.
- 2009 External Reviewer (Book MS), Ohio University Press.
- Since 2007 Participant, Commission on the History of Cartography, International Cartographic Association.
- 2006-2010 Associate Book Review Editor, H-SAFRICA (H-Net, Humanities Online).
- 2003-2007 Participant, Working Group on the History of Colonial Cartography, International Cartographic Association (merged with the CHC in 2007, above).
- 2000-2006 Editorial Assistant (intermittently), Thomas A. Edison Papers Project, Rutgers University-New Brunswick; involved in volumes 5-7. Project supervisor: Paul Israel.
- 1999-2000 Co-Editor, *Journal of Imperial and Post-Colonial Historical Studies* (ISSN 1529-773X).
- 1998-1999 Co-organizer, Conference on Imperial & Post-Colonial Historical Studies, Michigan State University.
- 1998 Co-Chair, History Section, Michigan Academy of Science, Arts, & Letters.
- 1995-1998 Editorial Assistant, *The Historian* (Linda Cooke Johnson, editor) and MSU Press Journals Division, Michigan State University.
- 1995-1997 Vice-Chair, History Section, Michigan Academy of Science, Arts, & Letters.

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS (alphabetical):

- African Studies Association (US)

- American Historical Association
- Bibliographical Society of America
- International Map Collectors' Society
- International Society for the History of the Map
- Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor Society)
- Royal Geographical Society (UK; elected Fellow)
- Society for the History of Discoveries

**RESEARCH LANGUAGES (READING):** English (native); Dutch (advanced); Afrikaans, German (intermediate); Kiswahili, French (novice).