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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Assistant Professor of History, August 2013-present
Visiting Assistant Professor of History, 2011-2013

EDUCATION

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ

PhD in History, May 2011
Major field: Modern Europe; Minor fields: Global and Comparative History; Women's and Gender History

University of Denver, Denver, CO

BA (magna cum laude), 2003
Majors: History (honors), English, French (honors)

L'Université de Savoie, Chambéry, France

Full immersion ISEP exchange, studying French language, literature and history, 2001-2002

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Decolonizing Christianity: Religion and the End of Empire in France and Algeria (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2016)

Refereed Journal Articles

"After the Exodus: Catholics and the Colonial Legacy in Post-Independence Algeria," *French Politics, Culture & Society* 33, 2 (Summer 2015): 97-118.

"Treason or Charity? Christian Missions on Trial and the Decolonization of Algeria," *International Journal of Middle East Studies* 44 (November 2012): 733-753.

Non-Refereed Publications

"Algérie coloniale et christianisme," interview on *Decolonizing Christianity* on the LibéAfrica4 blog, Libération.fr, published online August 7, 2016,
<http://libeafrica4.blogs.liberation.fr/2016/08/07/algerie-coloniale-et-christianisme/>

“Temporary Migrants or Permanent Immigrants: France’s Long ‘Migrant Crisis,’” article on the *Reluctant Internationalists Blog*, November 16, 2015, <http://www.bbk.ac.uk/reluctantinternationalists/blog/temporary-migrants-or-permanent-immigrants-frances-long-migrant-crisis/>

“Les institutions catholiques et protestantes et la guerre de libération algérienne” in *Les chrétiens dans la guerre, 1954-1962* (Algiers: Le Centre d’études diocésain, 2013). Conference proceedings published online February 2014: <http://glycines.hypotheses.org/191#more-191>

Textbook Contributions

Contributing author for the Computerized Test Bank, *The Making of the West: Peoples and Cultures*, ed. Lynn Hunt, et al., Fourth Edition (Bedford/St. Martins Press, 2012) (entailed writing 50 multiple choice questions, 10 short answer questions with responses, 5 long essays with responses for 15 textbook chapters)

Encyclopedia Articles

“Bertha von Suttner,” “Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women,” “Ecofeminism,” “Simone Weil,” “Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom,” in *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*, ed. by Bonnie G. Smith (New York: Oxford University Press, 2008).

Encyclopedia timeline, *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*, ed by Bonnie G. Smith (New York: Oxford University Press, 2008) (110 pages)

Book Reviews

Review of Eveline Safir Lavalette, *Juste Algérienne. Comme une tissure*, in *The Journal of North African Studies* 19, no. 5 (December 2014): 867-869.

Review of Owen White and J.P. Daughton, eds. *In God’s Empire: French Missionaries and the Modern World*, in *History: Reviews of New Books* 42, no. 1 (January 2014): 35-36.

Work in Progress

Modern France and the World (textbook under contract with Routledge, to be submitted 2017)

Solidarity of Presence: Cimade and Christian Humanitarianism in Modern France (monograph in progress)

Imagining the Postcolonial in France and Algeria After Decolonization (monograph in progress)

“The Politics of Neutrality: Cimade, Humanitarianism, and State Power in Modern France” (article under review)

“Refugees, Sovereignty, and Humanitarian Anxiety: Regroupment Camps and the Limits of Universal Rights in the Algerian War of Independence” (article under review)

“The Impact of North African Decolonization on the Church in Europe” (article to be submitted to edited volume, *Europe Seen from North Africa: Governance, Institutions and Culture*, currently under contract with Bloomsbury)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2015 USF Humanities Institute Summer Grant
- 2014-15 Creative Scholarship Grant for research in France, University of South Florida
- 2012 Short-term research grant to Algeria from the American Institute of Maghrib Studies
- 2012, July Participant in the Mellon Foundation/National History Center's International Decolonization Seminar
- 2010-2011 Bevier Dissertation Fellowship, Rutgers University (university-wide competition)
- 2009-2010 Graduate Fellow at the Institute for Research on Women, Rutgers University
- 2009 Dissertation research grant to Algeria and Tunisia from the American Institute of Maghrib Studies
- 2007-2008 Fulbright IIE – France Dissertation Research Fellowship
- 2007-2008 Bourse Chateaubriand (declined)
- 2005-2008 Rutgers University Graduate School Intensive Language Training Grants
- 2003 Phi Beta Kappa, Gamma of Colorado Student of the Year
- 2001 Gilman Scholarship (IIE/US Dept. of State)

CONFERENCE AND COLLOQUIUM PAPERS

- 2016 “France and its Empire in the World,” roundtable on “The Place of Europe in World History.” Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, St. Petersburg, FL, Nov. 2016
- “Moving Beyond the Pied-Noir: European Christians and National Identity in Post-Independence Algeria.” French Historical Studies Annual Conference, Nashville, TN, April 2016.
- 2015 “Voices from Below: The Shifting Nexus of Catholic Power and Social Thought in the Era of Decolonization.” Political Catholicism: Law and Catholic Politics in a Disenchanted World, Remarque Institute, New York University, December 2015.
- “Refugees, “regroupment camps,” and Humanitarian Anxiety in the Algerian War of Independence.” Western Society for French History Annual Conference, Chicago, November 2015.
- 2014 “The Rhetoric and Violence of Religious War Among the European Christians of Algeria, 1956-1962.” Western Society for French History Annual Conference, San Antonio, November 2014. Panel Organizer: *Conflicts in the Decolonization of French Algeria*
- “Commodities of War: Algerian “regroupments” and the Politics of Humanitarian Aid.” Middle East Studies Association, Washington D.C., November 2014.
- 2013 “Destabilizing Narrative and Memory (or what the Rashomon Effect can tell us about Christianity and decolonization in Algeria).” Other Lives, Other Voices: Bonnie Smith and the Mirror of History, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, March 2013.

- 2012 “Pieds-verts, pieds-rouges, ou chrétiens d’Algérie : La redéfinition du christianisme en Algérie indépendante.” *1962, un monde*, Oran, Algeria, October 2012.
- “Theology and Praxis of Liberation in the Algerian Revolution.” World History Association Annual Conference, Albuquerque, NM, June 2012. Panel Organizer: *A Theology Without Borders: Liberation Theology in a Global Perspective*
- 2011 “After the Exodus: Christians and the Colonial Legacy in Post-Independence Algeria.” USF History Department Faculty Forum, November 2011.
- “Cimade and the Algerian War of Independence.” French Colonial Historical Society Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada, June 2011.
- 2010 “True Witness and False Testimony: The Trials of Christian Women in the Algerian War of Independence.” Paper presented at the Rutgers Institute for Research on Women, February 2010.
- “Christian Morality and the Global Politics of Decolonization: French Christian Responses to the Algerian War.” Paper presented at the French Colonial Studies - Francophone African History Workshop, New York University, January 2010
- 2009 “The Algerian War and the ‘*Chrétiens progressistes*’.” French Colonial Historical Society Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, May 2009

INVITED TALKS

- 2016 “Refugees, Sovereignty, and Humanitarian Anxiety: Regroupment Camps and the Limits of Universal Rights in the Algerian War of Independence.” Invited talk at the University of Ottawa, Gordon F. Henderson series on the History of Refugees, November 11, 2016.
- “Refugees, Regroupment Camps, and Humanitarian Anxiety in the Algerian War of Independence.” Invited talk at the European University Institute, Florence, Italy, April 2016.
- 2013 “Les institutions catholiques et protestantes et la guerre de libération algérienne.” Invited speaker, Journée d’étude: Les chrétiens dans la guerre, Centre d’études diocésain (Les Glycines), Algiers, Algeria, May 2013.
- 2012 “Morale et politique en guerre : Le Cardinal Duval et l’Algérie (1947-1965).” Invited talk at the Centre d’Etudes Maghrébines en Algérie (CEMA)/CRASC, Oran, Algeria, December 2012.
- 2009 “L’engagement des chrétiens ‘progressistes’ et ‘libéraux’ dans la guerre d’indépendance algérienne.” Invited talk at the Centre d’Etudes Maghrébines en Algérie (CEMA), Oran, Algeria, February 2009
- 2008 “Le fait religieux aux Etats-Unis” Discussant at the Séminaire Franco-Américain, sponsored by the American Embassy in France and the Académie de Créteil, Paris, France, April 2008

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND FIELDS

University of South Florida

Undergraduate Lecture Courses

EUH 2031: Modern Europe II

EUH 3205: 19th Century Europe

EUH 3206: 20th Century Europe

HIS 3930/EUH 3451: Modern France and its Empire

HIS 3930: Modern Europe and the World on Film: Cultures of Empire

HIS 4104: Theory and Methods of History

In Development for Spring 2017: WOH 2022: Global History since 1750

Undergraduate Capstone Research Seminars

HIS 4936: 20th Century Europe in a Global Perspective

HIS 4936: Europe Since 1945

HIS 4936: European Imperialism

HIS 4936: Europe and the End of Empires

Graduate Courses

HIS 6939: 20th Century Europe in a Global Perspective

HIS 6939: European Imperialism

HIS 6939/7939: The Modern Mediterranean

HIS 6112: Analysis of Historical Knowledge

Graduate Independent Studies – Memory in Modern Germany; Decolonization; European Imperialism; Postcolonial Theory; Modernity, Liberalism, and Empire; 19th Century France; Insurgency and Counter-Insurgency in Africa; Early Modern Empires; WWI in the Middle East; Development and Neo-Colonialism

Rutgers University-Newark

Instructor of History

Western Civilization II (Spring 2010)

Colonialism and Decolonization (Summer 2009)

Rutgers University-New Brunswick

Instructor of History

20th Century Europe (Summer 2008)

Development of Europe II (Summer 2007)

Teaching Assistant

Global History after 1945 (M. Adas)

Development of Europe I (J. Jones)

Development of Europe II (P. Hanebrink)

Development of Europe I (A. Bellany)

Tutor

Writing Tutor for ESL and remedial writing students, Plangere Writing Center (2004-2007)

Teaching Fields and Interests

Early modern and modern European history; modern France and its empire; colonialism and decolonization; global and comparative history; world history; transnational women's and gender history; African history; the Maghreb; Middle Eastern history; human rights and humanitarianism; the globalization of religion; Christian/Muslim relations

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE (USF)

USF History Outreach Committee (co-chair), 2016-present
 USF History Graduate Student Organization Co-Advisor, 2016- present
 USF History Department Undergraduate Committee, 2015-16
 USF History Department Ad Hoc Tenure and Promotion Guidelines Committee, 2015
 USF History Department Graduate Committee, 2013-2015; 2016-present
 Ward Stavig Lecture Committee, 2014

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (USF)

USF Internal Research and Innovation Grant Evaluator, 2016
 Fulbright Student Application Reviewer, USF, 2013-present

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE/SERVICE

Manuscripts and proposals reviewed for Oxford University Press, Bloomsbury, *Women's History Review*, *Journal of African History*, *Middle East Journal of Culture and Communication*
 Reader/Table Leader, AP European History Exam, 2009-present
 Research Assistant (France and Algeria), Professor Sarah Stein, UCLA, 2008-2011
 Organizing Committee Co-Chair, "Intimate Matters, Public Histories: 28th Annual Warren I. Susman Graduate Conference" Rutgers University, April 2006

LANGUAGES

French – near-native fluency in reading, writing, and speaking
 Dutch – proficiency in reading, writing, and basic speaking
 Arabic (Modern Standard and North African colloquial) – basic speaking and reading competence
 German – proficiency in reading
 American Sign Language – previous work as an ASL interpreter

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association
 French Historical Studies
 French Colonial Historical Society
 American Institute for Maghrib Studies
 Middle East Studies Association
 World History Association
 Phi Beta Kappa