

Humanities CV

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Education

Ph.D., Latin American History, Yale University, degree expected, December 2001.

Fields of study and advisors:

Culture and Politics in Modern Latin America. (Gilbert Joseph)

Colonial Latin America in Comparative Perspective. (Rolena Adorno)

Social History of the United States, 1780-1920. (David Montgomery)

M.Phil., Latin American History, Yale University, 1998.

M.A., Latin American Studies, University of New Mexico, 1994.

B.A., History, Eastern Michigan University, 1990.

Dissertation

State Fixations, Fugitive Landscapes and the Spatial Creation of Modern Mexico, 1850-1930.

Committee: Gilbert M. Joseph (advisor); James C. Scott; Rolena Adorno; Stuart B. Schwartz.

Awards and Fellowships

Giles Whiting Fellowship in the Humanities (Yale's highest award for dissertation writing), 1999-2000.

Social Science Research Council International Dissertation Field Research Fellowship, 98-99.

Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship, 1998-99.

American Historical Association Albert J. Beveridge Research Grant, 1998.

Gertie Emily Gorman Webb Fellowship, Yale University, 1995-98.

Yale University Program in Agrarian Studies Summer Field Research Fellowships, 96; 97.

Yale Center for International and Area Studies Henry Hart Rice Fellowship, 1996-97.

Graduate Assistantship, Latin American Institute, University of New Mexico, 1992-94.

York Scholarship, History Department, Eastern Michigan University, 1988-90.

Publications

"Cartography and Power in the Conquest and Creation of New Spain." *Latin American Research Review* 35: 1 (Spring 2000): 7-36.

(with D. Graham Burnett), "Insular Visions: Cartographic Imagery and the Spanish American War." *The Historian* 61: 1 (Fall 1998): 100-118.

"A Nationalist Metaphysics: History, Geography and National Map in Nineteenth-Century Mexico." *Hispanic American Historical Review* 82: 1 (forthcoming, February 2002).

"The Practice of Land Division in Veracruz." In Gilbert M. Joseph and Timothy Henderson, eds., *The Mexico Reader: History, Culture, Politics* (Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, forthcoming 2001).

"Discurso cartográfico en el Mexico del Porfiriato." In Héctor Mendoza Vargas, coor., *Mexico a través de los mapas* (Mexico City: Plaza y Valdés Editores y Instituto de Geografía, UNAM, 2000): 131-150.

"'Estas cuestiones no se terminan nunca': Los límites de la propiedad en la sierra de Chiconquiaco, norte de Xalapa, Veracruz, a finales del siglo XIX." *Memorial: Boletín del Archivo General del Estado de Veracruz* 3: 7/8 (January/August, 2000).

Cartografía y conflicto en la sierra veracruzana: El caso de Las Minas, 1897-1912." *Boletín del Archivo General Agrario de Mexico* 7 (July-September, 1999): 8-18.

"Re-'covering' Chinese in Mexico." *The American Philatelist* 112: 5 (May 1998): 448-455.

"Chinese Immigrants in Porfirian Mexico: A Preliminary Study of Settlement, Economic Activity and Anti-Chinese Sentiment." *The Latin American Institute Research Paper Series* (Albuquerque: The Latin American Institute and the University of New Mexico, 1996).



Book Reviews

Dennis Reinhartz and Gerald D. Saxon, eds., *The Mapping of the Entradas into the Greater Southwest*. *Hispanic American Historical Review* 80: 3 (August 2000).

Susan Kaufman Purcell and Luis Rubio, eds., *Mexico Under Zedillo*. *New Mexico Historical Review* 74: 3 (July 1999).

Victoria Chenaut, coord., *Procesos rurales e historia regional: Sierra y costa totonacas de Veracruz*. *Hispanic American Historical Review* 79: 1 (February 1999).

(with D. Graham Burnett) Barbara Mundy, *The Mapping of New Spain: Indigenous Cartography and the Maps of the Relaciones Geográficas*. *Cartographic Perspectives* 27 (Spring 1997).

Teaching Experience

Instructor, *Agrarian Social and Cultural History in Comparative Perspective: Historiography, Themes, Method*, Junior Seminar, Yale University Department of History (Spring 2001).

Visiting Instructor, *Seminario en cartografía histórico*, El Colegio de San Luís Potosí, San Luís Potosí, Mexico, September 6-9, 2000.

Visiting Instructor, *Avances y perspectivas de la cartografía en México*, Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social, Mexico City, Mexico, June-August, 1999.

Teaching Fellow, Department of History, Yale University
History of Modern Mexico (with Gilbert Joseph), Yale University, Spring 1998.
History of Colonial Mexico (with Stuart Schwartz), Yale University, Fall 1997.

Tutor, *U.S. History Since 1865*, Eastern Michigan University, 1989-90.

Selected Professional Presentations

"History, Geography and the State in Nineteenth-Century Mexico." American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Boston, January 2001.

"A Nationalist Metaphysics: History, Geography and the Carta General in Nineteenth-Century Mexico." New England Council on Latin American Studies Annual Conference, Amherst, Mass., October 2000.

"State Fixations and Fugitive Landscapes in the Sierra Veracruzana." Andrew W. Mellon Inter-University Latin American History Conference, University of Chicago, April 2000.

"'Estas cuestiones no se terminan nunca': The Limits to Land Division in the Sierra Veracruzana, 1869-1904." Latin American Studies Association Meeting, Miami, March 2000.

"Cartografía y conflicto en el campo rural mexicano al fines del siglo pasado." V Congreso Nacional de Historia Regional y Local, Universidad de Carabobo, Valencia, Venezuela, October 1998.

"State Cartography and Fugitive Landscapes in Veracruz, Mexico." Graduate Student conference on Interdisciplinary Work in Progress, Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University, April 1998.

"History and Philately: Recovering the History of the Chinese in Revolutionary Mexico." 5th Annual Conference on the Chinese American Experience, New York University, October 1997.

"Immigration, Integration and Segregation: The Chinese under the Porfirian State." Rocky Mountain Council on Latin American Studies Annual Conference, Ft. Worth, February 1994.

Commentary on Eric Worby, "Grasping an Elusive State: Practical Epistemologies of Power in Zimbabwe at a Time of Crisis." Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University, January 2001.

Commentary on Cindy Hahamovitch, "'In America Life is Given Away': Jamaican Farmworkers and the Making of Agricultural Immigration Policy." Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University, October 1999.

Commentary on Kathryn Dudley, "The Entrepreneurial Self: Morality in a Midwestern Farming Community." Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University, March 1996.



Professional Activities

Organized a program, with financial assistance from the Program in Agrarian Studies at Yale University, for the restoration and preservation of the municipal archive of Acultzingo, Veracruz. Begun in September 2000.

Co-curated and co-authored *Insular Visions 1898: The U.S. Imperial Imagination in Text and Image (Maps, Photographs, Views)*. Exhibit at Sterling Memorial Library, Yale University, March-May 1998. In conjunction with *Foreign in a Domestic Sense: Reflections on the Centenary of the United States' Acquisition of Puerto Rico*. International Conference, Yale Law School, March 1998.

Co-organized "Nothing so unnatural as the commonplace": Investigating the Boundaries of Narrative History. International Conference, Yale University, April 1996.

Refereed articles for the *Hispanic American Historical Review*, *National Identities*, and *Political Power and Social Theory*.

Languages

Spanish (fluent); Portuguese (reading knowledge); French (reading knowledge).

Professional Memberships

American Historical Association
Conference on Latin American History
Latin American Studies Association
New England Council on Latin American Studies

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