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EMPLOYMENT

2014-Present Michigan State University, Assistant Professor
2012-2014 Michigan State University, Visiting Assistant Professor
2009-2011 Michigan State University, Instructor
2008-2009 Harvard University, Teaching Fellow

EDUCATION

2012 Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
PhD, History (United States), May 2012.
Dissertation: "The Conversion of the World in the Early Republic: Race, Gender, and Imperialism in the Early American Foreign Mission Movement"
Committee: Nancy F. Cott, Walter Johnson, Laurel Thatcher Ulrich, Ian Tyrrell
2006 Columbia University, New York, NY
AB, *cum laude*, May 2006. Major: History; Minor: Women's and Gender Studies

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2017-2018 HARP Development Grant, Michigan State University
2016-2017 Schlesinger Library Research Grant
2011-2012 American Fellowship, American Association of University Women
2009-2010 American Republic Dissertation Research Fellowship, Center for American Political Studies, Harvard University
2009 Merit Research Fellowship, Harvard University

PUBLICATIONS: BOOK

2015 *Christian Imperialism: Converting the World in the Early American Republic*. United States in the World Series, Cornell University Press, 2015.
Reviews have appeared in the *American Historical Review*, *Reviews in American History*, *Journal of American History*, *Diplomatic History*, *Church History*, *American Quarterly*, *New England Quarterly*, *Church and State*, *Religious Studies Review*, H-Diplo (roundtable review), H-War, the Junto blog on early American history.

PUBLICATIONS: REFEREED ARTICLES AND ESSAYS

2018 "The Forgotten Wife: Roxanna Nott and Missionary Conceptions of Marriage," *Journal of Early American Studies*, Special Issue on the Global Turn (Forthcoming January 2018)
2017 "The Hierarchy of Heathenism: Missionaries Map the World," *Diplomatic History* (Forthcoming Winter 2017)
2017 "[Foreign Missions: 1800-1860](#)," in *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Religion*, ed. John Corrigan (Oxford), Invited Essay
2014 "Engaged in the Same Glorious Cause: Anglo-American Connections in the American Missionary Entrance into India, 1790-1815." *Journal of the Early Republic*, Vol. 34, No.1 (Spring 2014).

- Selected for inclusion in Elizabeth Cobbs and Edward J. Blum, eds., *Major Problems in American History*, Vol. 1, Edition 4. Cengage, 2015
- 2014 “Dissenters from the Mainstream: the National and International Dimensions of Moral Reform,” in Andrew Shankman, ed. *World of the American Revolutionary Republic*. Routledge, 2014.

PUBLICATIONS: NON-REFEREED ARTICLES AND ESSAYS

- 2019 “Empire and the Early Republic” in *A Companion to U.S. Foreign Relations, Colonial Era to the Present*, ed. Christopher Dietrich (Forthcoming, Wiley)
- 2018 “Mapping Martin Marty’s *Righteous Empire*: Missionaries, Missions, and Where Protestant Empire Happens” (Forthcoming in “Significant Sessions,” *Religion and American Culture*)
- 2016 “Interchange: Globalization and its Limits Between the Revolution and the Civil War,” *Journal of American History*, vol. 103, no. 2 (September 2016), Invited Participant
- 2015 “[Empire and the Early Republic: State of the Field Essay](#),” H-Diplo (10 Sept. 2015), Invited Essay
- 2009 “No Acknowledged Standard: The Female Seminary Curriculum of the Early Nineteenth Century,” in *Inequity in Education: A Historical Perspective*, eds. Debra Meyers and Burke Miller. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2009.

PUBLICATIONS: EDITORIAL WORK

- 2017 Chapter Editor, “Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries, including the American Revolution,” *The SHAFR Guide: An Annotated Bibliography of US Foreign Relations* (Brill)
- 2016 Associate Editor, *America in the World, 1776 to the Present: A Supplement to the Dictionary of American History*. 2 vols. (Scribner’s, 2016).
- 2015 Chapter Editor, “Religion and Reform,” *The American Yawp* (<http://www.americanyawp.com>)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- In Progress *Foreign Missions and Foreign Relations in Nineteenth-Century America*
- In Progress Invited Essay, “Missionary Ventures and Religious Associations,” in the *Cambridge History of America and the World*, vol. 2, ed. Jay Sexton and Kristin Hoganson (Cambridge)
- In Progress “Elizabeth Pierce and Benevolent Womanhood”
- Under Review Invited Essay, “Foreign Missions and Strategy, Foreign Missions as Strategy” in *Rethinking Grand Strategy*, eds. Christopher Nichols, Andrew Preston, and Elizabeth Borgwardt (Oxford)

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2017 Christine Heyrman, *American Apostles: When Evangelicals Entered the World of Islam* (New York: Hill and Wang, 2015), *William and Mary Quarterly* (Summer)
- 2017 Sarah Crabtree, *Holy Nation: The Transatlantic Quaker Ministry in an Age of Revolution* (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2015), *Journal of the Early Republic*, (Summer)
- 2016 Jessica Parr, *Inventing George Whitefield: Race, Revivalism, and the Making of a Religious Icon* (Jackson: University Press of Mississippi, 2015), at [H-AmRel, July 2016](#)
- 2016 Jennifer Thigpen, *Island Queens and Mission Wives: How Gender and Empire Remade Hawaii’s Pacific World* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2014), at [H-Diplo, Feb. 15, 2016](#)

- 2015 Rachel Hope Cleves, *Charity and Sylvia: A Same-Sex Marriage in Early America* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2014), at [H-AmRel, August 31, 2015](#)
- 2015 Brian Connolly, *Domestic Intimacies: Incest and the Liberal Subject in Nineteenth-Century America* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2014) in *Journal of the History of Sexuality*, Vol. 24, No. 2 (September, 2015), 523-525
- 2015 Simon P. Newman and Peter Onuf, eds. *Paine and Jefferson in the Age of Revolutions*, (Charlottesville: University of Virginia Press, 2014) *Journal of Southern History*, Vol. 81, No. 4 (November, 2015)
- 2014 Joy Schulz, "Birthing Empire: Economies of Childrearing and the Formation of American Colonialism in Hawai'i, 1820-1848," *Diplomatic History* 38:5 (November 2014): 895-925, at [H-Diplo](#)
- 2013 Erskine Clarke, *By the Rivers of Water: A Nineteenth-Century Atlantic Odyssey* (New York: Basic Books, 2013), at [Religion in American History](#)
- 2013 Penelope Carson, *The East India Company and Religion, 1698-1858* (Boydell and Brewer Press, 2012) in *Journal of British Studies*, Vol. 52, No. 3 (July 2013), 754-755
- Forthcoming Ignacio Gallup-Diaz, Andrew Shankman, and David J. Silverman, eds., *Anglicizing America: Empire, Revolution, Republic* (Philadelphia: The University of Pennsylvania Press, 2015), *Early American Literature*

INVITED TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

- 2018 "Missionary Ventures and Religious Associations," Symposium for the Cambridge History of America and the World, 1812-1900, University of Missouri (May)
- 2017 "Foreign Missions and Foreign Relations in Nineteenth-Century America," American History Seminar, Institute for Historical Research, London (April)
- 2016 "Missions and Strategy, Missions as Strategy," Rethinking Grand Strategy Conference, Oregon State University (May)
- 2016 "Christian Imperialism," Barnard College, Department of Religion (April)
- 2016 Mini-Conference on the "Global Turn" at the Rocky Mountain Seminar in Early American History, Brigham Young University (January)
- 2014 "Christian Imperialism: The Vision and Realities of Global American Missions," Globalization of the United States, 1789-1861 Symposium, Indiana University (October)

SELECTED RECENT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 "Women and Foreign Missions in the ABCFM and the London Missionary Society," Religion and Politics in Early America Conference, Danforth Center, Washington University in St. Louis (March)
- 2018 "Missionaries Write the World: Reception of Foreign Missionary Texts in 19th Century America," American Society for Church History Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (January)
- 2017 "Foreign Missions and Foreign Information in the Early Republic," Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (June)
- 2017 Roundtable, "New Directions in American Religion and Internationalism," American Historical Association Annual Meeting, jointly sponsored by the American Society for Church History and Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Denver (January)
- 2016 Roundtable, "Interventions: The Global Early American Republic," Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, San Diego (June)

- 2016 Roundtable, "Imperialists, Internationalists, and Spies: New Directions for Missionary Studies," American Historical Association Annual Meeting, jointly sponsored by the American Society for Church History, Atlanta (January)
- 2015 Roundtable, "Christian Nationalism in American History," Society for U.S. Intellectual History Annual Meeting, Washington DC (October)
- 2015 Roundtable, "How does a Republic Become an Empire?" Society of Historians of the Early American Republic Annual Meeting, Raleigh (July)
- 2014 "Martin Marty's Righteous Empire Revisited: Theorizing the Study of Religion and US Empire," American Academy of Religion, San Diego (November)
- 2014 "Creating a Hierarchy of Heathenism: American Missionaries Map the World, 1790-1840," Society of Historians of the Early American Republic Annual Meeting, Philadelphia (July)
- 2014 Roundtable, "Religion and U.S. Foreign Relations: A Roundtable on the State of the Study," Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Lexington, KY (June)
- 2013 "God Cannot Be Pleased with Slavery: Sectional Politics and the Global Mission of the American Board," Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO (Nov.)
- 2013 "The 'American colony' at Singapore: Missionary Visions and Failures," Society of Historians of the Early American Republic Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO (July)
- 2013 "An Evangelical Map of the World: Foreign Missions and the Hierarchy of Heathenism, 1790-1840," Religion in American Life Conference, King's College, London (February)

CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

- 2019 Co-Convener, "Making a Republic Imperial," Co-sponsored by the McNeil Center for Early American History and the Program in Early American Economy and Society of the Library Company of Philadelphia (March 28-30)

COURSES TAUGHT

Michigan State University

- U.S. Historiography to 1865 (HST 800)
- Colonial America: 3 Worlds Meet (HST 301)
- Revolutionary America (HST 302)
- American Women's History through 1869 (HST 313)
- U.S. Foreign Relations to 1914 (HST 325)
- Historical Approaches to Contemporary Issues: Religion in US Politics and Society (HST 110)
- Historical Methods and Skills: Radicals and Reformers in American History (HST 201)
- Historical Methods and Skills: Reform and Reformers in 19th-Century America (HST 201)
- US and the World: The Formation of American National Identity (IAH 201)
- National Diversity and Change: Memory and American History (ISS 335 Honors)
- National Diversity and Change: Social Science Approaches to the American Past (ISS 335)
- National Diversity and Change: Slavery and Race in the United States (ISS 335)