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EDUCATION

- PhD** **University at Albany, SUNY** | History (*in progress*) May 2018 to present
Dissertation: 'Impossible' Projects: Environment and the Construction of Empires in Africa and Asia through the Long Nineteenth Century
- Committee: Richard Fogarty (chair), Nadieszda Kizenko, Michitake Aso, David Hochfelder
- MA** **University at Albany, SUNY** | History Jan. 2020
Fields: French Colonial history, Imperial Russian history, Latin American environmental history
- BA** **Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts** | History May 2013
Graduated Magna Cum Laude
Minor in Political Science
- BS** **Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts** | Education May 2013
Secondary Licensure in Social Studies (8-12)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- University at Albany, SUNY** | Albany, NY May 2018 to present
Graduate Teaching Assistant
- Courses:
 - AHIS 100 – American Political and Social History I
 - AHIS 101 – American Political and Social History II
 - AHIS 130 – History of European Civilization I
 - AHIS 144 – Latin America Since the Aztecs
 - AHIS 300 – The History of American Indians and the United States
- Baystate Academy Charter Public School** | Springfield, MA Aug. 2016 to Aug. 2018
10th Grade Social Studies Teacher
- East Central Jr. High School** | Tulsa, OK Aug. 2013 to May 2016
8th Grade Social Studies Teacher
- Teach For America Oklahoma** | Tulsa, OK Aug. 2013 to May 2015
Corps Member

HONORS AND AWARDS

Arthur E. Ekirch Award in Non-US History University at Albany, Department of History	2020
GSA Professional Development Grant University at Albany, Graduate Student Association	2020
Shorrock Travel Award French Colonial Historical Society	2020
Barbara J. Blaszak Prize New York State Association of European Historians	2019

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Water in the Desert: *La Mer Intérieure* and the Illusions of Empire,” *Annual Meeting of the French Colonial Historical Society*, held at University at Buffalo, May 2020 (*Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak*).

“The Trans-Siberian Railway and the Physical Environment, 1891-1914,” *43rd Annual Irish Association of Russian, Central, and East European Studies (IARCEES) Conference*, held at University College Dublin, May 2020 (*Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak*).

“By Any Means Necessary: Cooperation and the Construction of the Trans-Siberian Railway, 1891-1904,” *North East Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (NESEES) Annual Conference*, held at New York University Jordan Center, April 2020 (*Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak*).

“The Environment Strikes Back: Ecological Barriers to the Trans-Saharan Railway Project, 1879-1945,” *Northeastern University Conference in World History*, held at Northeastern University, March 2020 (*Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak*).

“Hinterlands and Industry: A Geographic Analysis of Russian Economic Development, 1700-1913,” *Digital Scholarship: Challenges and Opportunities*, held at University at Albany, October 2019.

“The ‘Menace’ from the East: Russophobia, the Eastern Question, and the Great Game in the Nineteenth Century,” *Institutions and Societies Conference*, held at University at Albany, February 2019.

“Culture of Division: Language Policies of Québec and their Effects on Demographics and the Future,” *2013 Undergraduate Research Conference*, held at Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, April 2013.

“Gender Diversity in Social Entrepreneurship Curricula: Learning from the Syllabi,” *Ashoka U Exchange*, held at University of San Diego, February 2013.

“Nineteenth Century Russian Empire in Comparative Perspective,” *Council of Public Liberal Arts Colleges Undergraduate Research Conference*, held at Eastern Connecticut State University, October 2012.

UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES & COMMUNITY SERVICE

History Graduate Student Association (HGSO) 2019 to present
University at Albany, SUNY

- President, May 2020 to present
- Secretary, May 2019 – Apr. 2020
- Faculty Representative, Jan. 2019 – May 2019

Researching New York Conference, Conference Staff 2019 to present
University at Albany, SUNY

Capital Region New York State History Day, Judge April 2019
New York State Museum

LANGUAGES

French (advanced)

Russian

Spanish

COMPUTER SKILLS

Gradebook Management: PowerSchool, PowerTeacher Pro, Blackboard

Online Instruction: Google Classroom, Slack, Blackboard

Data Cleaning: OpenRefine, Microsoft Excel

Data Visualization: Tableau Public, GEPHY

Image and Video Editing: Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Lightroom, InDesign)