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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2016 Ph.D., History, Temple University, Philadelphia PA
“Global Game of Chance: The U.S. Diversity Visa Lottery, Transnational Migration, and Cultural Diplomacy in Africa, 1990-2016”
- 2004 B.A., History, Columbia University, New York, NY

ACADEMIC & PUBLIC HISTORY APPOINTMENTS

- 2019- Visiting Assistant Professor of Modern American History
La Salle University, Philadelphia, PA
- 2019- Co-editor, [Made By History](#) at the *Washington Post*
- 2016- Mellon/American Council of Learned Societies Public Fellowship
- 2018 Communications Analyst, American Friends Service Committee

PUBLICATIONS

Articles & chapters

- Forthcoming*: “The Diversity Visa Lottery: Expanding Legal Immigration in an era of restriction,” in edited volume, *Immigration policy since the 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act* (Editors: María Cristina García, Maddalena Marinari, University of Illinois Press).
- Forthcoming*: “Unmaking the Nation of Immigrants: How John Tanton Transformed U.S. Policy and Politics” in edited volume, *Nativism, White Power, and Anti-Immigrant Violence in the U.S.* (Editors: Kathleen Belew, Ramón Gutiérrez, University of California Press).
- “Selling Ghana greener pastures: Green card entrepreneurs, visa lottery, and mobility,” in special issue “Social Histories of Neoliberalism,” *Journal of Social History*, Fall 2019.
<https://academic.oup.com/jsh/article-abstract/53/1/27/5555330>
- “Between Foreign Policy, Politics, and the Law: U.S. Refugee Crises of 1980,” *Shifting Paradigms: Humanity in Action Senior Fellows on Policy and Pluralism Across Borders* (2016).

Public Scholarship

- 2020 “President Trump’s immigration suspension has nothing to do with coronavirus,” *Washington Post*, April 22, 2020. [\[Link\]](#)
- 2019 “Want democratic accountability? Look to Ricky Martin, not Robert Mueller,” *Washington Post*, July 29, 2019, with Dan Berger. [\[Link\]](#)
- “John Tanton has died. How he made America less open to immigrants — and more open to Trump,” *Washington Post*, July 18, 2019. [\[Link\]](#)
- “How advocates can defeat Trump’s latest assault on asylum seekers,” *Washington Post*, July 18, 2019, with S. Deborah Kang and Yael Schacher. [\[Link\]](#)
- 2018 “The shadowy network shaping Trump’s anti-immigration policies,” *Washington Post*, September 27, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Like Donald Trump, Ronald Reagan tried to keep out asylum seekers. Activists thwarted him,” *Washington Post*, July 2, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Angry that ICE is ripping families apart? Don’t just blame Trump. Blame Clinton, Bush and Obama, too,” *Washington Post*, June 11, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Why Donald Trump could win the immigration fight, and how immigration activists can turn the tide,” with Dr. Marisa Gerstein Pineau, *Washington Post*, February 16, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Trump doesn't recognize foreign-born black and brown people as American,” *The Hill*, January 31, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- 2017 “For 50 years, keeping families together has been central to U.S. immigration policy. Now Trump wants to tear them apart,” *Washington Post*, December 17, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Diversity visa lottery doesn’t make us less safe, but ending it might,” with Dr. Charles Piot, *The Hill*, November 29, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)
- “This program has saved thousands of lives. Now Trump is threatening to end it,” *Washington Post*, November 6, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)
- “The visa lottery wins America goodwill. Ending it is a mistake,” *Washington Post*, November 2, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)
- “Commercialization brought the Internet to the masses. It also gave us spam,” *Washington Post*, August 4, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)
- “In the 1980s, diversity meant more white immigrants,” *Washington Post*, July 11, 2017. [\[Link\]](#)

- 2014 “A National Treasure at the Brink: Survey Highlights Historians’ Love of, and Frustration with, the National Archives,” with Richard Immerman and Kenneth Osgood, *Perspectives on History*, American Historical Association, April 2014.

Book review

The Hungry World: America’s Cold War Battle Against Poverty in Asia by Nick Cullather, in *European Journal of American Culture*, Volume 32, No. 1 (2013), pp. 97-99.

COURSES TAUGHT

Modern African History (Fall 2020) (forthcoming)
 American Studies Capstone: the 1990s (Fall 2020) (forthcoming)
 United States since 1877 (Spring 2020)
 Themes in American History – A biographical approach (Spring 2020, Fall 2020)
 Global History since 1500 (Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, online)
 The American Immigrant (Fall 2019)
 Immigration and the American Dream (online, Summer 2016)
 Global Crisis: Power, Politics and the Making of Our Times (online, Summer 2015)
 History of the United States, 1877-Present (Teaching Assistant, Fall 2012)

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS & HONORS

National

- 2019 Bordin-Gillette Fellowship, Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan
- 2018 Honorable Mention, Oxford University Press USA Dissertation Prize in International History
- 2016 – 2018 Mellon/ACLS Public Fellowship
- 2015 – 2016 Marilyn Blatt Young Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (SHAFR)
- 2015 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship, Humanity in Action
 Dissertation Research Grant, The History Project of the Harvard Center for History and Economics/ Institute for New Economic Thinking
- 2014 Samuel Flagg Bemis Dissertation Research Grant, SHAFR
 Richard A. Baker Grant, Association of Centers for the Study of Congress
 Research Travel Grant, American Heritage Center, University of Wyoming,
 Research Travel Grant, John Joseph Moakley Archive and Institute
 Robert A. and Barbara Divine Graduate Student Travel Grant
- 2013, 2014 Graduate Student Travel Grant, American Society for Legal History Annual Conference

Internal

- 2015 Graduate Student Research Grant, Temple University Global Studies
Cook Award, Temple University Department of History
Best paper in international and transnational history, Graduate History Conference
- 2014 John Votaw Endowed Research Fellowship, Center for the Study of Force and
Diplomacy (CENFAD), Temple University
Global U.S. Studies Initiative Travel Grant to Japan, Temple University
2nd place paper in world history, Graduate History Conference
- 2014 – 2015 Graduate Associate Fellowship, Center for the Humanities at Temple (CHAT)
- 2013 – 2014 Fellowship in Diplomacy and Foreign Relations, CENFAD
- 2013 Marvin Wachman Fellowship in Force and Diplomacy, CENFAD
- 2012 Dr. Fred Zimring Prize, Temple University Department of History
2nd place paper in world history, Graduate History Conference
- 2010 – 2014 Temple University Presidential Fellowship

INVITED TALKS

- 2020 “Unmaking the nation of immigrants,” Election 2020 Series, Fordham University,
September 2020. *Forthcoming*.
- Op-Ed workshop at National Fellowship Program Reunion at the Jefferson Scholars
Foundation, University of Virginia, October 2020. *Canceled due to covid-19*.
- Plenary panel, “Scholarship, Activism, and Jewish Studies in Tense Times,” 2020
Biennial Scholars Conference on American Jewish History, Center for Jewish History,
New York, June 2020. *Canceled due to covid-19*.
- “Refugees,” Governing America in a Global Era Conference on Illiberalism, University
of Virginia, May 2020. *Canceled due to covid-19*.
- “The Diversity Visa Lottery,” at Whose America? U.S. Immigration Policy since 1986
symposium, Cornell University, May 2020. *Postponed due to covid-19*.
- “Book talk: All-American Nativism, by Daniel Denvir,” *Wooden Shoe Bookshop*,
Philadelphia, PA, February 24, 2020.
- “Immigration policy shifts in the 1990s,” Immigration Theory Workshop at the

University of Houston Law Center, February 21, 2020.

“Why we write op-eds,” San Diego Scholars Strategy Network Op-Ed Workshop, January 17, 2020

- 2019 “How John Tanton shaped immigration policy since 1980,” at conference on “Nativism, White Power, and Anti-Immigrant Violence in the United States,” University of Chicago, April 2019.
- 2018 Guest speaker at “The Citizen” film screening, Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies, New York University, New York, NY, October 2018.
- 2017 “Framing our work for different publics,” SHAER-Miller Center Workshop on Public Engagement, University of Virginia, June 2017.

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 “The “Other” Illegals: Unauthorized European Immigration to the United States in the 20th Century,” OAH Annual Meeting, Washington DC, April 2020. *Canceled due to covid-19.*
- “Green nativism,” on panel “Immigration Control and Environmental Regulation: Toward Justice?” Association of American Law Schools Annual Meeting, Washington DC, January 2020.
- 2019 “Building a countervailing force: The history of FAIR in immigration policymaking,” U.S. Intellectual History Conference, New York, NY, November 2019.
- “Official English, “Anchor Babies” and “Chain Migration”: Framing Anti-Immigration in the 1980s and 1990s,” SHAER Conference, Washington DC, June 2019.
- 2018 “Legislating Sanctuary: Immigrants, activists and the making of Temporary Protected Status, 1980-1990,” SHAER Conference, Philadelphia, PA, June 2018.
- 2017 “Selling the American dream: African visa entrepreneurs and the U.S. diversity visa lottery,” Early Career Researcher workshop, University of Exeter, June 2017.
- 2016 “Spreading the American Dream in Ghana” Ghana Studies Association, Cape Coast, Ghana, July 2016.
- “Bushfalling, not *aller au front*: Cameroon Emigration and U.S.-Cameroon Relations,” SHAER Conference, San Diego, CA, June 2016.
- “The American Visa Lottery in Bilingual Cameroon,” 10th Annual Greater New York Area African History Workshop, Philadelphia, PA, April 2016.
- 2015 “Immobility, Lottery, and Luck: Ghanaian Migration through the U.S. Green Card

- Lottery, 1994-2015,” African Studies Association, San Diego, CA, November 2015.
- “Global Game of Chance: The U.S. Diversity Visa Lottery, Transnational Migration, and Cultural Diplomacy in Africa, 1990-2015,” Immigrant America Conference, Minneapolis, MN, October 2015.
- “Legalize the Irish!” The Irish Immigration Reform Movement and the Legislation of Immigrant Diversity, 1987-1990,” SHAER Conference, Washington DC, June 2015.
- “Congressional Collections Research: Rep. Bruce Morrison, Rep. Joe Moakley, and Senator Alan Simpson,” 2015 Association of Centers for the Study of Congress Annual Meeting, Washington DC, May 2015.
- “Diversity Visa Lottery Entrepreneurs, Selling the American Dream in Africa after the Cold War,” Organization of American Historians (OAH) Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, April 2015.
- “Falling Bush to the *pays de l’Oncle Sam*,” Temple History Graduate Conference, Philadelphia, PA, March 2015. Winner, First place prize, International & Transnational History.
- 2014 “‘Green Card Lawyers Spamming the Globe’: Attorney Advertising and the U.S. Diversity Visa Lottery, 1994-1997,” American Society for Legal History, Denver, CO, November 2014.
- “The World’s Most Popular Game of Chance,” Doshisha International Graduate Student Seminar, Kyoto, Japan, July 2014.
- “Immigration and perceptions of U.S. power in Sub-Saharan Africa, 1990-present,” SHAER Conference, Lexington, KY, June 2014.
- “‘The dream of the youth is to leave the country’: American visa lottery in Ghana,” Greater New York Area Africa Historians Workshop, Princeton, NJ, March 2014.
- “Luck of the Irish and West Africans: Implementing the U.S. Diversity Visa Lottery,” American Historical Association Conference, Washington, DC, January 2014.
- 2013 “The U.S. Diversity Visa lottery in global perspective,” American Society for Legal History Conference, Miami, FL, November 2013.
- “The U.S. Green Card Lottery: A Boon to Ghana’s Entrepreneurs in the 1990s and 2000s,” History Project Conference on Commerce, Corporations, and the Law, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, September 2013.
- “Green Cards, Greener Pastures, and Ghana: Ideas of Citizenship in Recent History,” Ghana Studies Association Conference, KNUST, Kumasi, Ghana, May 2013.

- 2012 “Playing the Citizenship Lotto: The U.S. Diversity Visa Lottery in Ghana,” *African Studies Association Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, PA, December 2012.
- 2011 “Seeking Asylum, Finding Chaos: The Refugee Act and the Crisis of 1980,” *Penn Program on Democracy, Citizenship, and Constitutionalism Graduate Workshop*, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, October 2011.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT & MEDIA

- 2020 #COVIDcalls Call on immigration, April 29, 2020. Via videoconference.
- 2019 Participant, *Historians & Journalists Pilot Initiative*, hosted by the Lepage Center for History in the Public Interest at Villanova University, Philadelphia *Inquirer*, Lenfest Institute for Journalism, and the Lenfest Center for Cultural Partnerships at Drexel University, June 2019.
- Panelist, *SHAFR-Georgetown University Institute for the Study of Diplomacy Public Engagement Workshop*, June 2019.
- 2018 Panelist, “Coordinating with non-governmental organizations on issue analysis and communications,” *Society for Applied Anthropology*, Philadelphia, PA, April 2018.
- Speaker, “Professional Development Workshop: Humanities beyond the Academy,” Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies, New York University, New York, NY, October 2018.
- Radio interview, “Reagan stopping asylum seekers in the 80s,” *Letters and Politics*, 94.1 KPFA/Pacifica radio, July 12, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- Panelist, “Race and immigration,” *New York Times* Facebook Live Discussion, June 21, 2018. [\[Link\]](#)
- Chair/Moderator, “Immigration Law & Immigration History,” *Immigration Law Scholars and Teachers Workshop*, Philadelphia, PA, May 2018.
- Panelist, “Historians engaging the public on current events,” *SHAFR Conference*, Philadelphia, PA, June 2018.
- 2017 Panelist, “Narrative Change for Peacebuilders,” *Alliance for Peacebuilding*, Washington DC, October 2017.
- Quoted in *Newsweek*, *Vox*, *The Nation*, *Nouvel Obs*, *USA Today*, *Washington Times*, *Washington Post*, *Quartz*, *mic*, *PRI*, *French Morning*, *France 24*, *Truthout*
- Panelist, “Careers Beyond the Academy,” *College of Liberal Arts*, Temple University,

March 2017.

2015 Organizer, “The Scholar as Activist, the Activist as Scholar,” Center for the Humanities at Temple Fellows Conference, March 2015.

2013 – 2014 Coordinator, Speakers Colloquium Series, CENFAD, Temple University.

2012 Research assistant, for Craig LaBan, *Philadelphia Inquirer*.

2012 Research assistant, Dr. Seth Bruggeman, U.S.S. Olympia Preservation Summit

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

2019 – Co-editor, [Made By History](#) at the *Washington Post*

2019 – SHAFR task force on the jobs crisis in academia

2016 – 2020 Immigration and Ethnic History Society Digital Communications Officer
Editor, IEHS Blog [\[Link\]](#)

2010 – 2015 Editorial staff, *Strategic Visions: Newsletter for the Center of the Study of Force and Diplomacy*, Temple University

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2020 – Faculty Advisor to The Histories undergraduate club

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2016 – 2018 Editor and writer, Media Uncovered blog, American Friends Service Committee [\[Link\]](#)

2006 – 2010 Campaign Coordinator, *Elect to End Torture '08, Close Guantanamo*
Also: Operations Manager; Executive Assistant to the Executive Director
Human Rights First, New York, NY

2005 – 2006 Legal Assistant, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, LLP, New York, NY

2004 – 2005 Legal Secretary, Williams & Connolly, LLP, Washington, DC

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations

Immigration and Ethnic History Society

American Historical Association

Organization of American Historians

American Society of Legal History
Ghana Studies Association
African Studies Association