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### **EDUCATION**

Princeton University, PhD - Modern World History, 2010  
Princeton University, M.A – Modern World History, 2005  
University of Nebraska at Lincoln, B.A - History, Summa Cum Laude, 2002

### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

Graduate Institute for International and Development Studies, Assistant Professor  
International History, 2016-Present  
Georgia State University, Assistant Professor of History, 2009-2015

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Books**

“Global Flesh and Spirit: Information, Violence and the Inter-war Crisis,” Manuscript,  
(In progress)

#### **Articles and Book Chapters**

“Against Scholarly Enclosures: Reconsidering the Art and Craft of Review,” in  
*Capitalism and History*, (Forthcoming, 2018)

“Decoding the Balance Sheet: Material Objects, Symbolic Capital, and the Liquidation of  
the League of Nations,” in *Capitalism and History*, (Forthcoming 2019)

“On a Certain Blindness in Economic Theory: Keynes’ Giraffes and the Ordinary  
Textuality of Economic Ideas.” In Sophus Reinert and Robert Fredona, eds. *New  
Perspectives on the History of Political Economy*, 2018.

“The League of Nations and Alternative Economic Perspectives.” In Jayati Ghosh,  
Rainer Kattel & Erik Reinert, eds. *Elgar Handbook of Alternative Theories of  
Economic Development*, (Cheltenham, U.K: *Edgar Elgar Publishing LTD*, 2016),  
270-280.

“The Meek Shall not Inherit the Earth: Nationalist Economies, Ethnic Minorities, and the  
League of Nations 1919-1939.” In Christoph Kreutzmueller, Michael Wildt and  
Moshe Zimmerman, Eds. *National Economies: Volks-Wirtschaft, Racism and  
Economy in Europe Between the Wars*, (Newcastle, U.K: Cambridge Scholars, 2015)  
2015, 138-154.

“Reversing the Curse of Babel? International Language Movements and Inter-war Chasms.” in Patrick Manning (ed.) *World History: Global and Local Interactions* (Princeton: Markus Wiener Publishers, 2005), 179–194.

“Inter-War Years” in William H. McNeill et al (ed) *Berkshire Encyclopedia of World History volume III* (Great Barrington MA: Berkshire Publishing Group, 2005), 1018-1022.

### **Articles Under Review/In Progress**

“Some Keynesian Elisions: The Metaphysics of the Micro-Macro Divide, 1933-1936.” Under Review.

“Sundry Worlds within the World: Transversal Histories and Institutional Archives,” Under Review

### **Book Reviews:**

Patricia Clavin (2013) *Securing the World Economy: The Reinvention of the League of Nations, 1920-1946*. *The Journal of Modern History* 87, no. 3 (September 2015): 716-718

Rebecca Solnit, *A Field Guide to Getting Lost* (2006) and Paul Krugman, *Development, Geography and Economic Theory*, (combined review) *Global Atlanta*, January 1, 2013

F. Ugboaja Ohaegbulam (2002) *West African Responses to European Imperialism in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries*. *Itinerario* 28: 2 (2004) pp. 174-175

### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

“Decoding the Balance Sheet: Material Objects, Symbolic Capital, and the Liquidation of the League of Nations” paper presented at the Business History Seminar, Harvard Business School, Cambridge Mass, October 30, 2017.

“The ‘Other Spaces’ of Global History,” Paper presented at “Making a Case for Internationalism.” Workshop organized by the Dahlem Humanities Center and the Department of History of the John F. Kennedy Institute for North American Studies at the Free University Berlin, June 6-7, 2017.

“Re-reading Populist Monetary Visions, 1930 -2016,“ Paper presented at “Back to the 1930s? Economic crisis, populism and world disorder.” Conference held at the Diplomatic Academy of Vienna, June 8-9, 2017.

"Henri Bergson and the unbearable weight of memory” paper presented *Penser L’Afrique Avec Bergson*, Rabat, Morocco, Ecole de gouvernance et d’économie, 18 - 19 mai 2017

“Global Flesh and Spirit,” Invited Book Talk, Presented at Princeton Humanities Center,

Princeton University, Princeton NJ, April 12, 2017.

“Micro-Megas: International Organizations as Microcosms of the Global,” Public lecture, Graduate Institute for International and Development Studies, Geneva Switzerland, March 15, 2016.

“International Organizations as Heterotopia: Global Modernities at the League of Nations Archives,” Paper to be presented at the Columbia University and NYU joint seminar on Intellectual History, November 28, 2016

“World History and Business History: a Promising Partnership.” Paper presented at Business History in Africa, Asia, and Latin America: Integrating Course Development and New Research. Harvard Business School, Cambridge MA, June 2014

Panel Chair, “Internationalization in the Late Nineteenth and Twentieth Century,” Fourth European Congress on World and Global History, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France, Sept, 2014

“The Ambiguities of “Emergence:” the Middle Class in Global Historical Perspective.” Lecture presented at Middle Class Phenomenon in Emerging Markets Conference, Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro NUPIN: Núcleo de Pesquisas em Negócios Internacionais, Rio de Janeiro, Sept, 2014.

“Speculators and Spectators: Movies, Markets, and the League of Nations.” Paper presented at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Doctoral Seminar, Department of International History and Politics, Geneva, Switzerland, March, 2014

“On a Certain Blindness in Economic Theory: The Firm, the State and the Macro-Micro Divide, 1926-1937.” Paper presented at New Perspectives on the History of Political Economy, Harvard Business School, Cambridge, November, 2013

“How Money Talks: Language and International Monetary Policy, 1919-1939.” Seminar paper, Université Paris II, France, April 2013

#### **SELECTED CONFERENCE PAPERS/PRESENTATIONS**

“Taking Queues from Cassandra: Prophecies of Western Decline and World Historians since 1918.” Paper presented at The Persona of the Historian: Repertoires and Performances, 1800-2000, Institute for History, Leiden University, the Netherlands, January 26-27, 2017

“The Short Run and La Longue Durée: Economics, History and the Politics of Time.” Paper presented at Histories of American Capitalism, Cornell University, Ithaca, November, 2014

“The Risks of Noise: ‘Talkies,’ Market Speculation, and Dangerous Animal Spirits,

1929-1935.” Paper presented at the Business History Conference Annual Meeting, Frankfurt, March 2014

“Unequal Endowments: Comparative vs. Absolute Equality at the League of Nations.” Paper presented at History, Consumption and Inequality, Center for History and Economics, Cambridge University, June 2013

“All that Was Solid: the Competing World Views of Metal and Credit Theories of Money after 1850.” Paper presented at Roundtable, Transfers of Precious Metals and Their Consequences, Casa de Velázquez, Madrid, May 2013

“Global Translation and Exchange: Links between Language and Monetary Policy at the League of Nations, 1920-1939.” Paper presented at the World History and Economics Conference, Appalachian State University, Boone, North Carolina, April 2012

“Re-Wording the World: Constrained Speech and the Global Body Politic after 1918.” Paper presented at the Graduate Institute of International Studies, Department of International History and Politics Doctoral Seminar, Geneva, Switzerland, January 2007

“Language and the World the War Made.” Paper presented at The Idea of Kosmopolis: Ethics, Politics, and Aesthetics of World Citizenship, Stockholm, Sweden, March 2006

#### **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Chang Sun Term Professorship, *Lauder Institute, University of Pennsylvania, 2018-2019.*

Distinguished Visiting Professorship, Université Paris II, France, 2015-2018

Fellow, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne Germany, 2012-2013

Research Initiation Grant, Georgia State University, 2011

Fellow, Andrew Mellon Foundation and The National History Center’s Summer Research Seminar on Decolonization, July 2008

Albert Gallatin Fellow at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva Switzerland 2006–2007

Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies,

Dissertation Research Grant, Princeton University, 2005

Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies, Language Training Fellowship, used at the Sorbonne, Paris, France, 2003

Shelby Cullum Davis Merit Prize, Princeton University, 2003

Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS), 2003–2004

Arts and Science Scholarship for Academic Excellence, University of Nebraska 1999–2002

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Phi Beta Kappa, 2002.

Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Highest Distinction, University of Nebraska, 2002

Glen Grey Award for Excellence in Historical Research, University of Nebraska, 2001

Modern Languages Department Award for Excellence in the Study of Foreign Languages, University of Nebraska, 2001–2002

**TEACHING**

- “Survey of World History Since 1500.” Lower Division Lecture
- “Twentieth Century World History.” Upper Division Lecture
- “Themes and Interpretations in World and Global History,” Graduate Seminar
- “Commodities and Material Culture in Historical Perspective.” Graduate Seminar
- “Readings in the History of Capitalism,” Graduate Seminar
- “The Historian’s Craft: The Great Works of the Discipline.” Graduate Seminar

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- Review Essay Editor, *Capitalism and History*, 2017-present
- Journal of World History, Manuscript Reviewer, 2010-2014
- German History Review, Manuscript Reviewer, 2013
- World History Bulletin, Editorial Board, 2010–2016

**FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

- English—Native
- French—Proficient Speaking, Reading, Writing
- Reading Proficiency in Spanish, German and Italian