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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2011–present Associate Professor of American Studies, University of New Mexico.

2005–2011 Assistant Professor of American Studies, University of New Mexico.

EDUCATION

2005 Ph.D., American Studies Program, New York University, New York, NY.

2001 MA, American Studies Program, New York University, New York, NY.

1990 BFA, The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art, New York, NY.

BOOKS

Poverty in Common: The Politics of Community Action during the American Century (Duke University Press, forthcoming March 2012)

Editor, *Formations of U.S. Colonialism* (book manuscript in progress)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

“Where the Nation Takes Place: Proprietary Regimes, Antistatism, and U.S. Settler Colonialism” *South Atlantic Quarterly* 107:4 (Fall 2008)

Co-editor (with Alex Lubin), “Settler Colonialism” special issue of *South Atlantic Quarterly* 107:4 (Fall 2008)

“On the Internal Border: Colonial Difference, the Cold War, and the Locations of ‘Underdevelopment,’” *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 50:1 (January 2008)

“The Attributes of Sovereignty: The Cold War, Colonialism, and Community Education in Puerto Rico,” in *Imagining Our Americas: Toward a Transnational Frame*, eds. Sandhya Shukla and Heidi Tinsman (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2007)

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of David Brody, *Visualizing American Empire: Orientalism and Imperialism in the Philippines*, *Journal of American History* (December 2011)

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“Unsettling Jurisdictions: Indigenous Peoples and the Conventions of International Law,” *Law’s Imperial Fields* workshop, International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, Spain, June 2010.

“Suspect Government: Democracy, Colonialism, and the Properties of Anti-Tribalism,” Department of Geography Colloquium, University of California, Berkeley, March 2010.

“Remarks on ‘Common Sense’ and Disobedience,” *What is Ideology?* Forum, Program in Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, University of New Mexico, NM, October 2009.

“Boundaries for Belonging: Liberal Pluralism, Communities of Interest, and the War on Poverty,” Transnational Americas Lecture Series, University of New Mexico, NM, May 2009.

“Culture, Politics, and Social Movements,” *What is Culture?* Forum, Program in Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, University of New Mexico, NM, February 2006.

“Involuntary Citizenship and Colonial Difference,” *At Home in Academia?* Symposium, Hebrew Union College, Los Angeles, CA, January 2006.

“Showcasing a ‘Middle Road to Freedom’: The Cold War, Poverty, and Puerto Rico’s Division of Community Education,” International Center for Advanced Study, New York University, New York, NY, December 2002.

“Dependencies of Liberal Empire,” Metropolitan Studies Program, New York University, New York, NY, April 2002.

“Research Methods, Archives, and the Nation-State,” Fulbright American Studies Institute, The Transregional Center for Democratic Studies, New School University, New York, NY, June 2001.

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Colonial Genealogies of Racial Difference and the Claims Resettlement Act of 2010,” Fifth Annual Critical Race Studies Symposium: *Race and Sovereignty*, UCLA School of Law, Los Angeles, CA, March-April 2011.

“Eminent Domains, Sovereign Immunity, and Colonial Dispensation,” *Critical Ethnic Studies and the Future of Genocide*, University of California, Riverside, March 2011.

“The Force of Disavowal: U.S. Political Prisoners and the Uses of Clemency,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, November 2010.

“Sovereign Depositions: Indigenous Internationalism, Human Rights, and the Specificity of the Political,” Native American and Indigenous Studies Association Annual Meeting, Tucson, AZ, May 2010.

“Puerto Rico and the Ends of Decolonization,” Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, April 2010.

“Anticolonial Affinities and the Conventions of Sovereign Power,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, November 2009.

“The Troubled Properties of U.S. Colonialism,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, NM, October 2008.

“The Moral Sentiments of Devolution: Neoliberalism, Social Order, and Deinstitutionalization in the 1970s,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, January 2008.

“Colonial Disciplinarity and the U.S. Security State,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, October 2007.

“When Was Decolonization?: Settler Colonialism, the United States, and the Colonial Present,” Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, March 2007.

“Neoliberal Unreason: Coercive States and Affective Communities,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA, October 2006.

“Neoliberalism, Community Development, and the Valorization of Urban Informality,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, January 2006.

“The Locations of ‘Underdevelopment’: The National Congress of American Indians, Puerto Rico, and the Economy of Place during the 1950s,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, November 2005.

“Community/Control: Poverty, Policing and Liberal Strategies of Containment,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, November 2004.

“Revolutions Within: U.S. Colonialism, Puerto Rico, and the Cold War Politics of Community ‘Self-Help,’ 1952-1966,” Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, March 2004.

“The Global Civics of Poverty: Participation, Community, and Neoliberal Governance,” International Studies Association Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, March 2004.

“Local Communities and Internal Colonies in the Making of U.S. Globalism,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Hartford, CT, October 2003.

“Fixing the Local: Community Development and the Puerto Rican Social Laboratory,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Houston, TX, November 2002.

“‘Imponderable Resources’ and the Productivity of Culture in Cold War Inter-America,” Harvard Graduate Conference on International History, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, April 2002.

“Workfare Civics: Poverty, Labor, and Urban Crisis after the Great Society,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, November 2001.

“Visual Economies of Inter-America: Labor, Design, and American Globalism,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, October 1999.

PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

2010 Faculty Conference Travel Grant, Latin American and Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico.

Faculty Research Grant, Institute for American Indian Research, University of New Mexico

- 2009 Nominated for Outstanding Teacher of the Year Award, 2008-2009, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2007 Dean's Summer Research Award, College of Arts and Science, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2006 2005-2006 Dean's Outstanding Dissertation Award, Graduate School of Arts and Science, New York University, New York, NY.
- 2005 The Ralph Henry Gabriel Dissertation Prize, American Studies Association.
- 2004 Dean's Dissertation Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts and Science, New York University, New York, NY.
- 2004 Horace Samuel and Marion Galbraith Merrill Travel Grant in 20th-Century American Political History, Organization of American Historians.
- 2003 Moody Grant, Lyndon Baines Johnson Foundation, Austin, TX.
- 2002 Dissertation Fellow, International Center for Advanced Studies, New York University, New York, NY.

UNIVERSITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Department of American Studies, UNM:

- Director of Graduate Studies (2010–2011)
- Curriculum committee (2010–present)
- Director of Undergraduate Studies (2009-2010)
- Executive Advisory Committee to the Department Chair (2008–present)
- Co-organizer, American Studies Lecture Series (2005–present)
- UNM committee to the Newberry Consortium in American Indian Studies, D'Arcy McNickle Center for American Indian History at the Newberry Library.

Professional Service:

- Reviewer, *American Indian Culture and Research Journal* (2011)
- Evaluator, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (2010)
- Reviewer, *e-cadernos ces*, The Center for Social Studies, University of Coimbra, Portugal (2010)
- Reviewer, *Political Power and Social Theory* (2009)
- Organizing Committee, Rocky Mountain American Studies Association Annual Meeting, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, March 2006
- Lecture Series Organizing Committee, *In the Outside: Lectures on City Space, Design and Desire*, Metropolitan Studies Program, New York University, Spring 2001
- Conference Organizing Committee, *Cultural Capital/Cultural Labor: A Conference on Labor Conditions in the Arts and Culture Sphere*, New York University, December 2000.