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**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

2023 Assistant Professor, Department of History, Syracuse University  
2021 Assistant Professor, Department of History, University of North Carolina at Greensboro  
Fall 2020 Visiting Fellow, Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame

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**EDUCATION**

2020 Ph.D., Latin American History, Indiana University Bloomington  
Dissertation: “Cartographies of Conflict: Political Culture and Urban Protest in Santiago, Chile, 1872-1994”  
Committee Members: Daniel James (Chair), Jeffrey Gould, Lessie Jo Frazier, Micol Seigel, Peter Guardino  
2014 M.A., History, Indiana University  
M.A., Latin American Studies, Center for Lat. Am. & Caribbean Studies, Indiana University  
2010 B.S., Biochemistry and Hispanic Studies, Trinity College, Hartford, CT

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**PUBLICATIONS**

**Manuscript**

*Santiago’s Urban Battleground: Space and the Production of the Working Poor in Chile, 1872-1994*, under preparation

**Articles**

Resubmitted “The Chilean Via Crucis: Mapping Human Rights Abuses and Religious Protest during Pinochet’s Dictatorship, 1973-1990,” *Journal of Latin American Studies*  
Resubmitted “The Chilean Christians for Socialism Movement: Liberationist, *Tercer mundista*, and Utopian,” *Latin American Research Review*. Previously published as a working paper, [Kellogg Institute for International Studies Working Paper Series no. 448](#) (December 2021)

**State of the Field Essay**

2022 “The Urban and Beyond in Latin America,” *Latin American Research Review* 57, no. 3 (2022): 730-740. <https://www.doi.org/10.1017/lar.2022.69>

**Book Reviews**

2023 Review of Tanya Harmer, *Beatriz Allende: A Revolutionary Life in Cold War Latin America*, in *Actuel Marx Intervenciones* (Santiago, Chile: LOM Ediciones, 2023).  
2021 Review of Ángeles Donoso Macaya, *The Insubordination of Photography: Documentary Practices under Chile’s Dictatorship*, H-LatAm, H-Net Reviews, June 2021  
2019 Review of Marian E. Schlotterbeck, *Beyond the Vanguard: Everyday Revolutionaries in Allende’s Chile*, in *The Latin Americanist* 63, no. 2 (June 2019): 261-263  
2018 Review Essay, “Culture and Politics in Allende’s Chile,” *Cultural Politics* 14, no. 3 (November 2018): 395-399, Camilo Trumper, *Ephemeral Histories: Public Art, Politics, and the Struggle for the Streets in Chile* and Patrick Barr-Melej, *Psychedelic Chile: Youth, Counterculture, and Politics on the Road to Socialism and Dictatorship*

**Other Writing & Publications**

2023 Interview with Tanya Harmer, Professor of International History, The London School of Economics, which I transcribed and translated into Spanish, *Actuel Marx Intervenciones* (Santiago, Chile: LOM Ediciones, 2023).

## AWARDS

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- 2021 Council of Graduate Schools/ProQuest Distinguished Dissertation Award in the Humanities and Fine Arts. One national prize awarded in this category
- 2021 University Distinguished Ph.D. Dissertation Award in the Humanities and Fine Arts, Indiana University Bloomington
- 2020 Richmond Brown Award for Graduate Student Scholarship, Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS) for the paper, "Containing Unrest, Charting a Geography of Violence: Modernization and Authoritarianism in Chile's Late Twentieth Century"
- 2012 Patriot Award, Bill of Rights Defense Committee (grassroots advocacy organization)
- 2010 Trinity College PRESHCO Prize in Latin American Studies
- 2010 Trinity College Samuel S. Fishzohn Award in Civil Rights and Civil Liberties
- 2010 American Institute of Chemists Award for Biochemistry

## FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

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### External

- 2021 College Educators Research Fellowship, UNC-Duke Consortium in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, UNC-Chapel Hill and Duke University
- 2019-2020 Future Faculty Teaching Fellow at Butler University, Indianapolis, IN
- 2017-2018 Doris G. Quinn Foundation Fellowship
- 2016-2017 Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship
- 2017 Latin American Studies Association Travel Grant for Annual Meeting
- 2016 American Historical Association Albert J. Beveridge Research Grant

### Internal

- 2023 International Travel Fund, International Programs Center, UNC-Greensboro
- 2022 Internal Research Award, Office of Research and Engagement, UNC-Greensboro
- 2022 Kohler Research Award, International Programs Center, UNC-Greensboro
- 2018-2019 College of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Indiana University
- 2016 Mendel Fellowship, Indiana University Department of History
- 2016 College Arts and Humanities Institute Research Award, Indiana University
- 2015 Indiana University JS Jay and Martha Glazer Fellowship, Coll. of Arts & Sciences
- 2015 College Arts and Humanities Institute Conference Travel Award, Indiana University
- 2014 Frederick W. & Mildred C. Stoler Research Fellowship, History Dept., Indiana University
- 2014 Office of the Vice President for International Affairs Pre-dissertation Travel Grant
- 2013 Tinker Foundation Research Grant, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, IU
- 2013 Indiana University OVPIA Latin American Fellowship

## PUBLISHING AND OTHER EDITORIAL WORK

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- 2015-2016 Research Assistant for Dr. Mark Roseman, Borns Jewish Studies Program, IU Bloomington
- 2013-2015 Editorial Assistant, *American Historical Review*, Bloomington, Indiana.

## INVITED TALKS

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- 2023 "Space and Revolutions," invited talk for the virtual symposium "50 años desde el golpe de estado en Chile," *A Contracorriente*, a journal of Latin American Studies, in Spanish.
- 2022 "Mapping Dissent: Popular Christian Communities during Augusto Pinochet's Dictatorship in Chile," Latin American and Latino Studies Center, Wake Forest University: Winston Salem, NC. April 1.
- 2018 "Pobladores in Dictatorship and Democracy: Spatial Manifestations of Identity Construction," Köln University History Department Conference: Cologne, Germany.

- 2015 “The Eroticized Politics of Shantytown Mobilizations in Chile’s Transition to Democracy,” Excess Art Space: Bloomington, IN.
- 2014 “Political Militants and the Archive,” Minority Languages and Cultures Program, Indiana University Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies: Bloomington, IN.

## PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCES

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### Panels Organized

- 2024 “Rethinking the Geography of the Southern Cone,” roundtable of the Chile/Rio de la Plata Section of the Conference on Latin American History: San Francisco, CA. Co-organized with Romina Green Rioja; Chair. Forthcoming.
- 2023 “New Approaches to Dictatorships and Human Rights,” roundtable of the Chile/Rio de la Plata Section of the Conference on Latin American History: Philadelphia, PA. Co-organized with Debbie Sharnak; Commentator; January 7.
- 2023 “In Search of a More Just World: Chilean Social Movements in the Twentieth Century,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies: Antigua, Guatemala. March 25.
- 2022 “Politics and the State in Twentieth Century Latin America,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies: Charlotte, NC. March 11, 2022.
- 2019 “Urban Restructuring and Spatial Regimes from Dictatorship to Democracy in Latin America,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting: Chicago, IL.
- 2019 “Mapping Latin America: Modernization Efforts and Cold War Ideologies in Rural and Urban Spaces,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies: Oaxaca, Mexico. Co-organized with Sarah Foss.
- 2018 “A Radical Change? Neoliberalism in the Wake of Chile’s Transition to Democracy.” Latin American Studies Association Congress: Barcelona, Spain. Co-organized with Alyssa Bowen
- 2017 “Movimientos sociales y represión estatal en la transición al neoliberalismo,” Latin American Studies Association Congress: Lima, Peru. Panel Chair.

### Papers Presented

- 2023 “‘Dignified Homes for Dignified Men’: Socialist Housing and Urban Poverty in Allende’s Chile, 1970-1973,” Urban History Association Conference: Pittsburgh, October 27.
- 2023 “‘Ahora vamos p’arriba’: Socialist Housing and Urban Poverty in Allende’s Chile,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies: Antigua, Guatemala, March 25.
- 2023 “‘Good-for-Nothing Sons of the Left’: The Lautaro Youth Movement in Chile’s Transition to Democracy,” NC/CLAS conference: Duke University, February 17.
- 2023 “Urban Space and the Making of the Working Poor in Santiago, Chile during the Twentieth Century,” American Historical Association: Philadelphia, January 6.
- 2022 “Urban Segregation and Precarity from Dictatorship to Democracy in Chile, 1973-1994,” Rocky Mountain Council for Latin American Studies: Hybrid.
- 2022 “The Armed Left and the Reconfiguration of the Chilean State from Dictatorship to Democracy,” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies: Charlotte, NC.
- 2021 “Becoming ‘*pobladores*’: Identity and Place Making in Santiago, Chile, 1872-1950,” Labor and Working-Class History Association Annual Meeting: Virtual.
- 2020 “The Via Crucis: Cartographies of Religious Protest and Political Dissent during Chile’s Dictatorship, 1973-1990,” Kellogg Institute for International Studies Works in Progress Seminar: University of Notre Dame, IN.
- 2020 “The ‘Populacho’ Rises: Elite Visions of Urban Space and the Working Poor in Santiago, Chile,” Latin American History Working Group: University of Notre Dame, IN.
- 2019 “The Space of Utopia: Convergence between Christianity and Marxism in Allende’s Chile,” Latin American Studies Association Congress: Boston, MA.
- 2019 “Containing Unrest, Charting a Geography of Violence: Modernization and Authoritarianism in Chile’s Late Twentieth Century,” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies: Oaxaca, Mexico.

- 2019 “‘The Apartheid of the Poor:’ The Politics of Space on the Chilean Road to Neoliberalism,”  
Critical Ethnic Studies Symposium: Indiana University, Bloomington.
- 2019 “Remaking Urban Space, Refashioning Social Subjects: Neoliberal Urban Policies from  
Dictatorship to Democracy in Chile,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting:  
Chicago, IL.
- 2018 “Poor (dis)Placement: Abjection and Urban Segregation in Democratic Chile”  
Latin American Studies Association Congress: Barcelona, Spain.
- 2017 “Christians for Socialism and the Church of the Poor in Allende’s Chile” Pre-circulated  
paper. History Workshop II: Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile: Santiago, Chile.
- 2017 “Subversion, Crime, and (In)Security in Chile from Neoliberal Dictatorship to Neoliberal  
Democracy,” Latin American Studies Association Congress: Lima, Peru.
- 2016 “The Making of Chilean Shantytown Political Culture and the Remaking of Urban Space”  
Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies: Cartagena, Colombia.
- 2015 Panel Commentator and Theory Discussant, Tepoztlán Institute for the Transnational  
History of the Americas: Morelos, Mexico.
- 2015 “Social Abjection and Political Subjectivity in Santiago’s Urban ‘Belts of Misery,’” Latin  
American Studies Association Congress: San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2015 “Shantytown Youth and the Politics of Sexuality in Chile’s Transition to Democracy,”  
Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CLACS) Graduate Student Conference,  
Indiana University: Bloomington, IN.
- 2014 “Shantytown Subculture in 1980s Santiago, Chile,” CLACS Graduate Student Conference,  
Indiana University: Bloomington, IN.

## **TEACHING**

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### **Syracuse University**

HST 300: The Cold War in Latin America  
HST 322: Colonial Latin America  
HST 323: Modern Latin America  
HST 803: Theories and Philosophies of History

### **The University of North Carolina at Greensboro**

HIS 239: The First America: Latin America since 1492-1830  
HIS 240: Latin America since 1810  
HIS 308: Navigating World History [for social studies licensure majors]  
HIS 391: Historical Skills and Methods  
HIS 408/508: Riots, Rebellions, Revolutions [combined undergrad and MA students]  
HIS 408/508: Latin American Cities from Colony to the Present [combined undergrad and MA students]  
HIS 716: Graduate Colloquium in World History

### **Butler University:** Future Faculty Teaching Fellow, Department of History and Anthropology

TI239: Exploring Latin America: Colonial Latin America  
GHS 204: Frontiers in Latin America [taught during Fall 2019 and Spring 2020]  
HST 305: History Topics: Twentieth Century Latin American Revolutions

### **Indiana University Bloomington**

#### Instructor of Record

Spring 2019 Between Two Giants: Latin America during the Cold War, Lifelong Learning Institute  
Summer 2016 The World in the Twentieth Century II: The World Since 1945, Department of History

## **WORKSHOPS**

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- 2022-2023 Weatherspoon Art Museum's Humanities and Arts Working Group, UNC-Greensboro. Designed classroom instructional materials using prints from the *Taller de Gráfica Popular* (the People's Print Workshop), an art collective based in Mexico City.
- 2021 "Chile: The Coup D'état of 1973" workshop with K-12 teachers, "Preludes to Change: Conflict and Transformation in Latin America" webinar series focusing on NC Latin American Studies and NC World History high school standards. Consortium in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, UNC-Duke. Virtual, September 22.
- 2021 Taller de discusión y lectura: Teorías críticas y pensamiento crítico (Critical Theory and Critical Thinking Workshops), Co-Organized with Roberto Merino and Juan Pablo Gutiérrez, Núcleo de Sociología del Cuerpo y las Emociones, University of Chile. A series of eight virtual workshops on critical theory with invited guests and participants from North and South America, from May to August 2021.

## **PEDAGOGY & FACULTY TRAINING**

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- 2023 **National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity**, 12-week Faculty Success Program, May 14- August 5, 2023.
- 2019 **Faculty Academy on Excellence in Teaching (FACET)** Annual Retreat, Angola, IN. May 15-17 on "Role Reversal: Driving Engagement While Avoiding Chaos"
- 2019 **Associate and Practitioner-Level Certificates**, Graduate Teaching Apprenticeship Program, Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning, Indiana University (IU)
- 2018 **Course Development Institute**, Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning, IU Completed 15-hours of pedagogical training and development of the original course, "The Latin American City"

## **THESIS AND DISSERTATIONS**

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### **Committee Member**

#### MA Students:

Colton Cheviron (Urban and Cultural History)  
 Monika Krasowski (Cold War and Human Rights)  
 Morgan Smyth (Urban History)

#### PhD Students

Ashley Low

## **SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

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### **Service to the Profession**

- 2023-24 Chair, Chile/Rio de la Plata Studies Section, Conference on Latin American History
- 2022-23 Secretary, Chile/Rio de la Plata Studies Section, Conference on Latin American History (Elected position)
- 2022-23 Manuscript reviewer, *Journal of Global South Studies*; *Latin American Research Review*

### **University of North Carolina at Greensboro**

- 2022-2023 Chair, Programs and Outreach Committee, Department of History
- 2022-2023 Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of History
- 2022 Evaluator of Spanish Language Proficiency Exams, Department of History
- 2021-2022 Mentor, Graduate Student Instructors, Department of History
- 2021-2023 Member of Steering Committee, Human Rights Research Network Film Series

### **Indiana University**

- 2014-19 Coordinator, Latin American History Graduate Student Workshop
- 2018-19 Pedagogy Workshop Coordinator, History Graduate Student Association
- 2018-19 Graduate Student Mentor, History Graduate Student Association
- 2016 Co-organizer of university-wide public forum, “Islamophobia: Roots and Repercussions,  
Indiana University School of Global and International Studies
- 2016 Member of Examining Committee for Albanian Language Proficiency
- 2015 Search Committee for Professor of History and Editor of the *American Historical Review*
- 2014-15 Graduate Student Mentor, History Graduate Student Association
- 2013-14 Social Coordinator, History Graduate Student Association
- 2012-13 Outreach Volunteer, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies

**COMMUNITY SERVICE AND OTHER PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS**

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- 2017-20 Resettlement Coordinator, Bloomington Refugee Support Network 501(c)(3)
- 2017 Invited Guest on Radio Villa Francia, community radio of Shantytown Villa Francia, Chile
- 2016 Co-Founder, Bloomington Against Islamophobia
- 2016 Invited participant on the panel, “Tactics of Community Change,” Indiana University School of Social Work
- 2016 Invited panelist on “Q & A Session on Immigration and Refugees,” United Methodist Women, Bloomington, IN
- 2015-16 Volunteer English Tutor for Adults, Centro Comunal Latino, Bloomington, IN

**LANGUAGES**

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- Spanish           Fluent
- Portuguese       Intermediate Competency in Reading; Beginner Competency in Speaking & Writing
- English           Fluent
- Albanian          Native Speaker

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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- American Historical Association
- Conference on Latin American History
- Labor and Working Class History Association
- Núcleo de Sociología del Cuerpo y las Emociones, FACSO, Universidad de Chile, Santiago, Chile
- Rocky Mountain Council for Latin American Studies
- Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies
- Urban History Association