Curriculum Vitae

John Burdick
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Academic positions:
  2006-          Professor of Anthropology, Syracuse University
  1998-2006   Associate Professor of Anthropology, Syracuse University
  1992-1998   Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Syracuse University

Education:
  Ph.D. 1990. CUNY Graduate Center (cultural anthropology)
  M.A. 1982. Yale University (social history)
  B.A. 1979. University of Michigan (history)

Single-authored books


Edited volumes


Articles and Book Chapters


**Submitted for publication**

“Beyond Neoliberalism? Patterns, Experiences and Futures in Latin America and the Caribbean”, edited volume of papers presented at April 2005 conference at Syracuse University, co-edited with Kenneth Roberts (political science, University of New Mexico) and Philip Oxhorn (political science, McGill University). Submitted to Duke University Press.

**Current writing projects**

“Rap, Gospel and Mobilization: Music and the Black Evangelical Movement in Brazil.” article to be submitted spring 2007 the *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Ethnic Studies*

“The Color of Grace”, six-chapter book project based on nine months of fieldwork in Sao Paulo

“Race and Evangelicalism in Brazil”, co-edited volume with John Collins and Vagner Goncalves
Honors, Awards and Grants

2004a. Tinker Foundation Grant to Enhance Graduate Student Education ($10,000). This award was obtained through a joint application submitted by me as the Director of the Program on Latin America and the Caribbean, and Binghamton University’s Latin American Studies Program.

2004b. Fulbright-Hayes Grant for Faculty Research in Brazil ($25,000)

2004c. National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Stipend, for research on black evangelicalism in Brazil. ($5,000)

2004d. Program on Latin America and the Caribbean, Syracuse University, for summer research ($1,750)

2004e. Cloud of Witness Award for Service through Peace, Interdenominational Protestant Campus Ministry, Syracuse University.

2003. Arts and Sciences Encounter Award, for development of SSMI. ($700)

2002. Appleby-Mosher Award, for research on the Catholic Church in Brazil ($750)

2001. Wilson Innovation Award, grant to conduct year-long community-based collaborative project on oral history. ($10,000)


2000. Yvonne Rothenberg Foundation, grant to conduct research project “Public Opinion and Nuclear Abolition”, $2,000.

1995. Rockefeller Foundation Grant for research in Brazil ($15,000)

1995. Department of Education Fulbright-Hayes Grant for research in Brazil ($58,000)

1995. Social Science Research Council Grant for research in Brazil ($15,000)


1993. National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Stipend for research in Brazil ($5,000)
1991. Doctoral dissertation nominated by the Graduate School of CUNY for the Northeastern Association of Graduate Schools’ Annual Dissertation Award.

1990-91. Postdoctoral Fellowship, Center for Historical Analysis, Rutgers University.

1987-88. Fulbright fellowship for doctoral research in Brazil ($12,000)

1987-88. National Science Foundation grant for doctoral research ($6,000)

**Book reviews**


1998b. Review of Andrew Chesnut, *Born Again in Brazil*, in *Hispanic American Historical Review*


**Reprints**


1996. “Giving Voice or Listening to Voices? The Progressive Catholic Church in Latin America.” reprinted in the *CNRS Archives des Sciences Sociales des Religions*

1995a. “Brazil’s Black Consciousness Movement” reprinted in *Brazil Today*

1995b. “Brazil’s Black Consciousness Movement” reprinted in *The Brazilian Mosaic*


1992. “Gossip and Secrecy” reprinted in *Americas*

**Service to Profession**


2006-2007, Chair, Religion Section of the Latin American Studies Association national conference

2005-2006. Chair, Religion Section Brazilian American Studies Association 2006 National Conference

2005. Chair, Committee for Brazil Section Book Prize, Latin American Studies Association

2005. Nominated to the Board of the Society for the Anthropology of Religion
2004-5. Brazilian Studies Association, National Planning Committee for New Directions

2004-5. Latin American Studies Association, Committee for Brazil Section Book Prize

2003. Fulbright, IIEE. National Committee Reviewer of Brazil applications


Lectures and conference papers since 2000


2006. “Black Evangelicalism, Ethnic Politics, and Music,” invited talk at Emory University, March


2003. “Writing on Religion in Brazil,” invited lecture at University of Rochester, April 1.


2000. “Understanding the Progressive Catholic Church from an Anthropological Perspective”, invited talk at the 10th Inter-Eclesial meeting of the Christian Base Communities, Ilheus, Brazil, July.


**Editorial boards**

*Active Voices* Three-year term

*Luso-Brazilian Review* Four-year term

*Africana Encyclopedia*. Indefinite term.

**Professional Affiliations**

American Anthropological Association

Brazilian Studies Association
Society for Latin American Anthropologists
Latin American Studies Association
Northeastern Association of Brazilianists
Centro de Estudos Afro-Asiaticos (Rio de Janeiro)
Instituto de Estudos de Religiao (Rio de Janeiro)
Instituto de Filosofia e Ciencias Sociais (Rio de Janeiro)
Nucleo da Cor, Programa de Raca e Etnicidade (Rio de Janeiro)