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CURRENT APPOINTMENTS

- 2016- **Assistant Professor** of Early Modern & Modern Europe, History Department, Utah State University
- 2017- **Distinguished Assistant Professor of Honors Education**, Honors Program, Utah State University
- 2019- **Bennion Faculty Fellow, Mountain West Center**, Utah State University

EDUCATION

- 2015 **Ph.D., The University of Texas at Austin**, Early Modern European History
- 2011 **M.A., The University of Texas at Austin**
- 2008 **B.A., Southern Methodist University (History)**

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Book Manuscript (forthcoming with McGill-Queen's University Press)

Young Subjects: Children, State-Building, and Social Reform in the 18th-Century French World

Journal Articles

- 2019 [“Breaking a Child’s Will: Eighteenth-Century Parisian Juvenile Detention Centers.”](#) *French Historical Studies* (Vol 42, No. 2, 2019, pp. 239-59)
- William Koren, Jr. Prize 2020, Honorable Mention, Society for French Historical Studies
 - Second “Most-Read” Article of 2019 for *French Historical Studies*
- 2017 [“Tattletales: Childhood & Authority in Eighteenth-Century France,”](#) *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* (Vol. 10, No. 2, Spring 2017, pp.169-187)
- Fass-Sandin Article Prize, Society for the History of Childhood & Youth (best article published in English in the field of childhood studies)
 - [Best Article Prize in 2017 for the *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth*](#)
 - Neil Sutherland Article Prize, Honorable Mention, History of Children and Youth Group of the Canadian Historical Association
- 2011 [“The Crown’s Catholic Subjects: Lyon’s Écoles de Charité and the French State, 1660-1689,”](#) *The Journal of the Western Society for French History*, Vol. 39 (2011)

Book Chapters

- 2021 “A Fate Worse than Death: Banishment & Forced Youth Migration in Early Modern France,” in *The Routledge History of Loneliness* (Routledge). Invited author. Under contract.
- 2019 “Digitally Mapping Space and Time in the History General Education Survey: Google Maps & TimelineJS,” *Teaching with the Digital Humanities* (Indiana University Press, in contract). Invited author. In-Press.
- 2018 “Education & Work in Early Modern Europe,” *A Cultural History of Youth* (Bloomsbury, in contract). Invited author. Submitted.

Works in Progress

- 2019 “Prix de Moralité” – article in draft stage; intended to submit in *Eighteenth-Century Studies*

GRANTS, AWARDS, & HONORS

External Awards & Grants:

- 2018 Fass-Sandin Article Prize for 2017 from the Society for the History of Childhood & Youth (best article in any journal published in English on childhood studies)
- 2018 Best Article Prize for 2017 from the *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* for “Tattletales: Childhood & Authority in Eighteenth-Century France”
- 2018 Honorable Mention, Neil Sutherland Article Prize, History of Children and Youth Group of the Canadian Historical Association for “Tattletales: Childhood & Authority in Eighteenth-Century France”
- 2017 Bernadotte E Schmitt Grant for Research in European, African, or Asian History, American Historical Association (\$1500)
- 2017 Newberry Library Short-Term Research Fellowship, Chicago, Illinois (\$2500)
- 2017 American Historical Association’s Undergraduate Teaching Workshop “Assignments Charrette,” Denver, Colorado (\$200)
- 2012 Society for French Historical Studies Marjorie M. and Lancelot L. Farrar Memorial Award for the Best Dissertation in Progress at a North American University
- 2012 American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies Robert R. Palmer Research Travel Award
- 2012 The Mellon Summer Institute in French Paleography at the Newberry Library
- 2012 Presidential Graduate Scholarship, American Catholic Historical Association
- 2012 Newberry Renaissance Consortium Grant
- 2011 Newberry Library/École Nationale des Chartes Exchange Fellowship (declined)

Internal Awards & Grants – Utah State University:

- 2019 Teacher Scholar Certificate, Empowering Teaching Excellence Program
- 2019 Travel Grant, College of Humanities and Social Science (\$1000)
- 2019 Small Grant Development Award, CHaSS, (\$3000)
- 2018 Travel Grant, College of Humanities and Social Sciences (\$1250)
- 2018 Creative Activity and Research Enhancement (CARE) Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, (\$2000)
- 2018 Friend of Honors Teaching Award, Honors Program, Utah State University
- 2017-18 Open Education Resources CHaSS Grant, Western Civilization Course (\$500.00)
- 2017 Summer Undergraduate Mentorship Grant, College of Humanities and Social Sciences (\$1000 Faculty; \$2000 Student)
- 2017 Travel Grant, College of Humanities and Social Sciences (\$1350)
- 2017 Exploratory Seed Grant for DH@USU, College of Humanities and Social Sciences (\$1875 Group; \$315 Faculty Member)
- 2016-17 Honors Course Development Award, Honors Program (\$1000)
- 2016 Research Assignment Design Workshop, Merrill-Cazier Library (\$500)

Internal Awards - University of Texas at Austin (Graduate Career):

- 2014-15 Named/Endowed Fellowship, The Graduate School
- 2014 Professional Development Grant, The Graduate School (Fall)
- 2013-14 Departmental Research Fellowship, History Department
- 2013 Professional Development Grant, The Graduate School (Fall)
- 2012 Research Travel Grant, History Department (Summer)
- 2011 Travel Grant, Dorothy and John B. Pope Excellence Fund (Fall)
- 2011 Research Travel Grant, History Department (Summer)

2009-10 Departmental Recruitment Fellowship, History Department
2009-14 Recruitment Package (5 years fully funded), History Department

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY, Assistant Professor

2018 [Summer, Director & Instructor, Bennion Teachers' Workshop](#), Mountain West Center, June 4-8, 2018

2016-Present *Undergraduate*

HIST 1110: Foundations of Western Civilization, Modern (Breadth Humanities; General Education Survey)

HONS 1320: Revolution!: Reacting to Atlantic Revolutions, 1763-1815 (Honors Experiential Learning First-Year Seminar; Breadth Humanities)

HIST 4290: The French Revolution

HIST 4260: Witches, Workers, & Wives

Graduate

HIST 6130: Gender History in Early Modern & Modern European History

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, Postdoc & Lecturer

2016 Witches, Workers, and Wives (Upper Division)

2015 Global Early Modern Europe (Lower Division)

Teaching Fields: Early Modern & Modern Europe; Atlantic; Gender & Sexuality; Comparative Revolutions; Social History; Experiential Learning

FORMER ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

UTAH STATE UNIVERISTY

2018 Director, Bennion Teachers' Workshop for the Perpetuation of Democratic Ideals, Mountain West Center, Utah State University

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN

2015-16 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, The Institute for Historical Studies

2015-16 Lecturer, History Department

2014-15 Named/Endowed Fellow, The Graduate School

2013-14 Supplemental Instruction Supervisor, The Sanger Learning Center, History Department, and American Studies

2013-14 Teaching Assistant, History Department

2012 Supplemental Instructor, History Department (Spring)

2011 Supplemental Instructor, The Thomas Jefferson Center for Core Texts & Ideas (Fall)

2011-12 Graduate Mentor, Intellectual Entrepreneurship Pre-Graduate School Internship

2011 Research Assistant to Julie Hardwick (Summer & Fall)

2010-11 Teaching Assistant, History Department

SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

2009-15 Assistant Director & Program Assistant, SMU-in-Paris: History & Culture

2009 Education Abroad Intern, Southern Methodist University

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2020 "What does it mean to teach with #DigHistory?," American Historical Association's Annual Meeting, New York City, January 2020

- 2019 “Roundtable: The History of Childhood & Youth in French History,” Western Society for French History, Bozeman, MT, October 2019. Organizer & Participant
- 2019 “Teaching Western Civilization,” AHA’s Texas Conference on Introductory General Education Courses, Dallas, TX, September 2019, Participant and Leader
- 2019 “Revolutionary Inculcation: The Danou Law & Gender in France, 1795-1801,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, Las Vegas, August 2019
- 2019 “The Vampire Girls of French Louisiana,” The Omohundro Institute of Early American History & Culture Colloquia, April 2019 (Invited)
- 2018 “RPGs (Role-Playing Games) in the Classroom,” Empowering Teaching Excellence Conference, Utah State University, August 2018 (Invited)
- 2018 “Reactive Citizens: Teaching Civics through Reacting to the Past,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, Santa Clara, CA, August 2018 (panelist)
- 2018 “Jeunes de Langues: Cruxes of 18th-Century French Imperial Ambitions in the Ottoman Empire,” Renaissance Society of America, New Orleans, LA, 2018 (panelist)
- 2018 Chair and Advisor, Phi Alpha Theta Biennial National Convention, New Orleans, LA
- 2017 [“Filles du Roi: Populating New France with Children,” Beyond150CA Twitter Conference](#), August 2017
- 2017 “Gendering Childhood Definitions: Age, Gender, and Change in Early Modern France,” Society for the History of Childhood and Youth Conference, Camden, New Jersey, June 2017 (Organizer & Panelist)
- 2017 “Roundtable: Fashioning Identities in French History,” Society for French Historical Studies Conference, Washington, DC, April 2017 (Organizer & Panelist)
- 2017 “Mapping the Early Modern World,” Digital Humanities Utah II, University of Utah, February 2017 (Panelist)
- 2015 “Jeunes de Langues: French Children in the Ottoman Empire,” Western Society for French History’s 43rd Annual Conference, Chicago, IL (Organizer & Panelist)
- 2014 “Policing the Family: Childhood & Authority in Early Modern France,” Western Society for French History’s 42nd Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX
- 2013 “Correcting Children: Education and Rehabilitation in Parisian Maisons de Correction,” Western Society for French History’s 41st Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA
- 2012 “Reforming the Poor: Lyonnais Charity Schools and the Catholic Reformation,” American Catholic Historical Association Spring Meeting, New Orleans, LA (Organizer & Panelist)
- 2012 “Children, Charity, and the Consolidation of Power: Lyon’s Écoles de Charité, 1660-1750,” The Center for Renaissance Studies Multidisciplinary Graduate Student Conference, The Newberry Library, Chicago, IL
- 2011 “The Crown’s Catholic Subjects: Lyon’s Écoles de Charité and the French State, 1660-1689,” Western Society for French History 39th Annual Conference, Portland, OR (Organizer & Panelist)
- 2011 “Inculcating the Poor: Seventeenth-Century Lyonnais Charity Schools,” Sixteenth-Century Society and Conference, Fort Worth, TX (Organizer, Chair, & Panelist)
- 2011 “State, School, and Subject: Children, Charity, and the Consolidation of State and Local Power in 17th-Century Lyon,” The Lived Experience of the State Conference, Duke University
- 2011 “Children, Charity, Commerce, and the Consolidation of Power: The State and Community’s Interests in Lyon’s École Charitable de Saint Charles” 2nd Annual Texas A&M Graduate History Conference, Texas A&M University

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2020 “Review: *Mettray: A History of France’s Most Venerated Carceral Institution*,” *Journal of Social History* (forthcoming)
- 2019 “Review: *A Primer for Teaching Women, Gender, & Sexuality in World History*,” *RGWS: A Feminist Review* (forthcoming)
- 2019 “Review: *Scandal in the Paris: Priests and Parishioners Behaving Badly in Eighteenth-Century France*,” *Church History* (forthcoming)
- 2019 “Review: *The Witch: A History of Fear, from Ancient Times to the Present*,” *Mediterranean Studies*, Vol. 27, No. 1
- 2016 “Review: *The Government of Childhood: Discourse, Power, and Subjectivity*,” *Journal for the History of Childhood and Youth*, Vol. 9, No. 1 (Winter 2016)
- 2014 “Review: *Ritual and Conflict: The Social Relations of Childbirth in Early Modern England*,” *The Sixteenth Century Journal*, Vol. XLV, No. 4 (Winter 2014)

PUBLIC & DIGITAL HISTORY

Public History Articles

- 2019 “Roundtable: The History of Childhood & Youth,” *The Junto* (Roundtable Series)
- 2018 “[Part of the Long History of Child Trafficking: 18th-Century French Louisiana](#),” *The Junto*, posted June 27, 2018.
- 2018 “[Twitter Conferences: To Do or Not To Do?](#),” *The Junto*, posted May 24, 2018.
- 2018 “[Why We Doubt Capable Children: Constructing Childhood in the Revolutionary Era](#),” *The Junto*, posted April 17, 2018.
- 2018 “[Teaching the Early Modern Penis-Vagina](#),” *Notches*, posted March 2018. Peer-Reviewed.
- 2018 “[Food in the West: Using TimelineJS in the Classroom](#),” *AHA Today’s Teaching with #DigHist*, posted March 2018.
- 2018 Episode 103, “[French Child Ambassadors in the East](#),” *15 Minute History*, Feb 2018
- 2017 “[Mapping the Early Modern World: Using Google Maps in the Classroom](#),” *AHA Today’s Teaching with #DigHist*, posted October 2017.
- 2017 “[Child Gangs and Motherly Duty at the Onset of Revolution](#),” *Age of Revolutions*, posted August 2017. Peer-reviewed.
- 2017 “[Prix de Moralité: The Inculcation of Young French Citizens](#),” *Age of Revolutions*, posted June 19, 2017. Peer-reviewed.
- 2017 Episode 96, “[Louis XIV’s Absolutism and the ‘Affair of the Poisons’](#),” *15 Minute History*, September 13, 2017.
- 2014 “[Ten Things to Remember During Your Research Year](#),” *Not Even Past*, June 5, 2014.
- 2013 “[Women’s Bodies and Political Agendas: UT Gender Symposium](#),” co-authored with Shaherzad Ahmadi, *Not Even Past*, September 16, 2013.
- 2013 “Review: *State of Virginité: Gender, Religion, and Politics in an Early Modern Catholic State*,” *Not Even Past*, February 17, 2013.
- 2013 “[Les Misérables: A Historian’s Review](#),” *The Alcalde*, January 16, 2013.
- 2013 “Review: *Sarah’s Key*,” *Not Even Past*, September 7, 2011.
- 2011 “[Death and Decadence: Vatel](#),” *Not Even Past*, May 9, 2011.
- 2010 “Review: *A Tale of Two Murders: Passion and Power in Seventeenth-Century France*,” *Not Even Past*, October 2010.

Digital History Projects

- 2016 “[Spellbinding Timeline](#)” – Digital History Assignment I required as part of my Witches, Workers, and Wives course,
 2015 “[Mapping the Early Modern World](#)” – Digital History Assignment I required as part of my Global Early Modern Europe course,

MEDIA, PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT, & INVITED LECUTRES

- 2019 New Books Network Host, “[New Books in History: Politics in the Marketplace by Katie Jarvis](#),” Aired September 4, 2019
 2019 New Books Network Host, “[New Books in History: The Smugglers’ World by Jesse Cromwell](#),” Aired August 28, 2019
 2018 Radio Guest, “[Access Utah: Revisiting Witchcraft in Western Civilization](#),” Utah Public Radio, Aired October 28, 2018
 2018 Invited Speaker, “Witchy Women: The Long History of Witchcraft in Western Civilization,” USU Women & Gender Studies Brown Bag Event, Oct 2018
 2018 Invited Panelist, “Women’s Leadership,” USU Women & Gender Studies’ Women’s Leadership Institute, September 2018
 2018 Radio Guest, “[Access Utah: Bennion Teachers’ Workshop](#),” Utah Public Radio, Aired May 29, 2018
 2018 Radio Guest, “[Beyond Your Command](#),” BBC 4 Radio Show “When Greeks Flew Kites,” Aired March 2018
 2018 Invited Presenter, “Reporting & Propaganda in the American Revolution,” The 300th Military Intelligence Brigade’s 29th Annual Language Conference, Utah National Guard, March 4, 2018
 2018 Invited Lecturer, “New Methodologies: Digital History,” HIST 3000: Methods (Dr. Conte), Utah State University, February 2018
 2017 Invited Lecturer, “Experiences with French Archives,” Archives Management Class, Utah State University, September 2017
 2016 Meet the New Faculty, CHaSS Lunch Series, Utah State University, December 2016
 2016 Invited Guest and Presenter, “Tattletales: Children and Authority in 18th-Century France,” Faculty Forum, October 2016, Utah State University
 2015 Invited Panelist, “How Historians ‘Do’ Gender History,” The Department of History’s Graduate Symposium on Gender, History, and Sexuality
 2015 Invited Speaker, “Digital Workflow & Research Organization,” Presentation for the Graduate Program’s First-Year Research & Methodology Course, History Department, The University of Texas at Austin
 2015 Invited Presenter, “Colonial Children: Crux of French Imperial Strategy,” New Works in Progress Series, The Institute for Historical Studies, The University of Texas at Austin
 2015 Guest Lecturer, “Building an Empire: The French Atlantic, 1524-1763,” Dr. Neil Kamil’s course, The US in the 17th-Century Atlantic World
 2015 Invited Panelist, “Life as a Graduate Student,” Recruitment Week Presentation for incoming First-Year Graduate Students, History Department The University of Texas at Austin
 2014 Invited Host & Speaker, History Department’s Annual Visiting Committee
 2014 Guest Lecturer, “Building an Empire: The French Atlantic, 1524-1763,” Dr. Neil Kamil’s course, The US in the 17th-Century Atlantic World
 2014 Guest Lecturer, “Slave Codes: Britain and France,” Dr. Neil Kamil’s course, The US in the 17th-Century Atlantic World

- 2014 Guest Lecturer, “Children in Early Modern Europe,” Dr. Julie Hardwick’s course, Witches, Workers, and Wives
- 2013 Invited Speaker, “Correcting Children: Education and Rehabilitation in Parisian Maisons de Correction,” The Department of History’s Graduate Symposium on Gender, History, and Sexuality, The University of Texas at Austin
- 2013 Invited Speaker, “Adventures in the Archives,” History Department’s Graduate Student Skills Workshop, The University of Texas at Austin
- 2012 Invited Commentator, “Talk: New Theoretical Developments in Gender & History: A Re/examination of Joan W. Scott,” The Department of History’s Graduate Symposium on Gender, History, and Sexuality, The University of Texas at Austin
- 2012 Guest Lecturer, “The 3 Fs: Fish, Fur, and Faith,” Dr. Andrew Villalon’s course, Early Western Colonialisms

SERVICE, ADVISING, & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional Service

- 2020 Manuscript Reviewer, *Huntington Library Quarterly*
- 2020-23 General Council Member (Elected), Western Society for French History
- 2019-20 Fass-Sandin Article Prize Committee, Society for the History of Childhood & Youth
- 2020 - Program Committee, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association
- 2019 Panel Chair, AHA’s Texas Conference on General Education, Dallas, TX
- 2018 Panel Chair & Judge, Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, Utah Valley University
- 2018 Panel Chair & Faculty Mentor, Phi Alpha Theta’s National Convention, New Orleans
- 2017 Textbook Reviewer, Bloomsbury University Press, *The Early Modern World*
- 2016 Textbook Reviewer, Oxford University Press, *Europe in the Modern World*
- 2011 Program Assistant, Western Society for French History 39th Annual Conference

Departmental & University Service

- 2019-20 Co-Organizer, Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference
- 2019- Breadth Humanities and Depth Humanities Subcommittee
- 2019 VAP in European History Search Committee Member
- 2018- Undergraduate Research Advisory Board Member
- 2018 Honors Book Lab Instructor
- 2018-19 Women’s Leadership Institute Presenter & Mentor, Women & Gender Studies
- 2018 URCO Grant Reviewer, Research & Graduate Studies
- 2018 Medieval and Early Modern Studies Tanner Talk, “Global Renaissance,” Workshop Organizer
- 2018 Scholarship Reviewer, Center for Women & Gender Studies
- 2018 Director & Instructor, Bennion Teachers’ Workshop 2018, Mountain West Center
- 2018 - Honors Program Advisor, History, Classics, & Religious Studies
- 2018 - Social Media (Twitter & Facebook) for History Department
- 2018 Student Research Symposium Judge
- 2018 Connections Leader for Honors
- 2017 - Phi Alpha Theta (History Honors Program) Faculty Advisor
- 2017-18 Scholarship Committee, History Department
- 2017 URCO Grant Reviewer, Research & Graduate Studies
- 2017 - CHaSS Representative, Faculty Evaluation Committee
- 2017 Honor’s Admissions Reviewer, Honor’s Program
- 2016 - Founding Coordinator, Digital Humanities @ USU

- 2016-17 Search Committee Member, 19th-Century US World
- 2016-17 Peer Evaluation Committee, History Department
- 2016-17 Undergraduate Curriculum Development
- 2013-14 Co-Coordinator, Symposium on Gender, History, and Sexuality, UT Austin

Undergraduate Advising

Research

- 2018 Honors Contract, Frankie Urrutia-Smith
- 2018 Honors Contracts (2), Zion Steiner
- 2017 Summer Undergraduate Research Mentorship, Arie French (\$2000.00 grant)

University Teaching Fellows (Directed Teaching Supervision)

- 2019 Jace Jones, HONS 1320
- 2019 Redford Stoddard, HIST 1110
- 2018 Anastasia Davis, HIST 1110
- 2018 Lia Sorensen, HONS 1320
- 2017 Frankie Urrutia-Smith, HONS 1320; *Honors UTF of the Year Award*
- 2017 Cody Patton, HIST 1110 (Fall)
- 2016-17 Cody Patton, HIST 1110; *CHaSS UTF of the Year Award*

Graduate Advising

- 2018-20 Thesis Advisor, Arie French, MA in American Studies
- 2019 - Letter Writer, Alexander E. Taft, PhD in History, The University of Texas at Austin
- 2018-19 Thesis Committee Member for Alan Roberts, MA in History

Professional Development

- 2019 Teaching Scholar Certification, Empowering Teaching Excellence
- 2019 Empowering Teaching Excellence Conference
- 2018 Empowering Teaching Excellence Conference
- 2018 Merrill Cazier Library's Assignment Charette
- 2018 National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Regional Grant Writing Workshop, University of Nevada, Reno
- 2017- Empowering Teaching Excellent Badge Series, Utah State University
- 2016 Empowering Teaching Excellence Conference, Utah State University
- 2014 Pedagogical Methods & Supervised Teaching in History Course, History Department
- 2010-11 ASPECTS Certificate Program from the Center for Teaching & Learning

RESEARCH SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

11th-21st-century French paleography

Language Skills

- English Native fluency
- French Fluent reading, writing, and speaking
- Latin Reading and writing proficient
- Spanish Reading proficient

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Historical Association
- American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies
- Phi Alpha Theta

Society for the History of Childhood and Youth
The Society for French Historical Studies
The Western Society for French History

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