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EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Ph.D., American Culture, April 2005
Graduate Certificate, Women's Studies, April 2005
M.A., American Culture, April 2001

Columbia University, New York, NY
A.B., Women's and Gender Studies, May 1997

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of Kansas, 2017-
Professor, Department of Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
Professor, by courtesy, History Department

University of Northern Colorado, 2006-2017
Associate Professor, History Department, 2012-2017
Assistant Professor, History Department, 2006-2012

Rutgers University-Newark, 2005-2006
Adjunct Lecturer, History Department

Parsons School of Design, New School, 2005
Adjunct Lecturer, Critical Studies

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

University of Kansas
Associate Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2022-
Chair, Department of Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2017-22
Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2021-22
Senior Administrative Fellow, 2019-20

University of Northern Colorado
Chair, History Department, 2016-17
Chair, Faculty Research and Publication Board, 2016-17
Director of Graduate Studies, History Department, 2010-12, 2013-16

PUBLICATIONS

MONOGRAPHS

The Trials of Madame Restell: Nineteenth-Century America's Most Infamous Female Physician and the Campaign to Make Abortion a Crime. New York: The New Press, forthcoming October 2023.

An Open Secret: The Family Story of Robert and John Gregg Allerton. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2021.

- Award of Superior Achievement, Illinois State Historical Society

American Child Bride: A History of Minors and Marriage in the United States. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2016 (paperback 2018).

The Company He Keeps: A History of White College Fraternities. Gender and American Culture Series. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2009 (paperback 2011).

EDITORIAL WORK

with Ishita Pande, coeditor, *Journal of the History of Sexuality*, 2021-present

with Jen Manion, *The Cambridge History of Sexuality in the United States*, 2 vols., under contract at Cambridge University Press.

with Amy Sueyoshi, *Queer American History: A Reader in Documents and Essays*, in progress.

with Rachel Hope Cleves and Averill Earls, "Sex Across the Ages: Restoring Intergenerational Dynamics to Queer History," *Historical Reflections/Réflexions Historiques* 46, no. 1 (Spring 2020): 1-108.

with Corinne T. Field, "AHR Roundtable: Chronological Age: A Useful Category of Historical Analysis," *American Historical Review* 125, no. 2 (2020): 370-459.

with Corinne T. Field, *Age in America: The Colonial Era to the Present.* New York: New York University Press, 2015.

ARTICLES

"Introduction" to "Sex Across the Ages: Restoring Intergenerational Dynamics to Queer History," *Historical Reflections/Réflexions Historiques* 46, no. 1 (Spring 2020): 1-12.

with Corinne T. Field, "Introduction" to "Chronological Age: A Useful Category of Historical Analysis," *American Historical Review* 125, no. 2 (2020): 370-384.

with Corinne T. Field, "Age and the Gendered and Raced Construction of Citizenship in the United States," *American Historical Review* 125, no. 2 (2020): 438-450.

“Miscegenation Law and the Politics of Mixed-Race Illegitimate Children in the Turn-of-the-Century United States,” *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* 11, no. 1 (2018): 52-57.

“Mobility, Circulation, and Correspondence: White Queer Men in the Midcentury Midwest,” *GLQ: A Journal of Lesbian and Gay Studies* 20, no. 1-2 (2014): 75-94.

“‘Lord of a Hawaiian Island’: Robert and John Gregg Allerton, Queerness, and the Erasure of Colonialism on Kaua‘i,” *Pacific Historical Review* 82, no. 3 (August 2013): 396-427.

“‘I did and I don’t regret it’: Child Marriage and the Contestation of Childhood in the United States, 1880-1925,” *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* 6, no. 2 (Spring 2013): 314-331.

• Winner of the Fass-Sandin Prize, Society for the History of Children and Youth

“Queering Couplehood: Robert and John Allerton and Historical Perspectives on Kinship,” *Genders* 55 (Spring 2012): <http://www.colorado.edu/gendersarchive1998-2013/2012/01/03/queering-couplehood-robert-john-allerton-and-historical-perspectives-kinship>

“A Busman’s Holiday in the Not-So-Lonely Crowd: Business Culture, Epistolary Networks, and Itinerant Homosexuality in Mid-Twentieth Century America,” *Journal of the History of Sexuality* 21, no. 1 (January 2012): 121-140.

• Honorable Mention, Audre Lorde Prize, Committee on LGBT History

“The Boys of Beaver Meadow: A Homosexual Community at 1920s Dartmouth College,” *American Studies* 48, no. 2 (Summer 2007): 9-18.

BOOK CHAPTERS

“The Transformation of Marriage in the Nineteenth Century,” in *The Cambridge History of Sexuality in the United States*, vol. I, ed. Jen Manion and Nicholas L. Syrett (New York: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming).

with Corinne T. Field, “Chronological Age and the Uneven Development of Modern Childhood in the United States,” in *Querying Childhood: Feminist Reframings*, ed. Mary John, Barbara Lotz, and Elisabeth Schoenbucher (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, forthcoming).

“Youth Cultures, Sexuality, and the Persistence of the Double Standard in the Twentieth-Century United States,” in *The Oxford Handbook of the History of Youth Culture*, ed. James Marten (New York: Oxford University Press, 2023): 313-332.

with David Pomfret, “Concepts of Youth,” in *A Cultural History of Youth in the Modern Age*, ed. Kristine Alexander and Simon Sleight (London: Bloomsbury, 2023): 19-40.

“Age Disparity, Marriage, and the Gendering of Heterosexuality,” in *Heterosexual Histories*, ed. Rebecca L. Davis and Michele Mitchell (New York: New York University Press, 2021): 96-119.

“Exclusivity, Segregation, and Democracy: Amherst College and its Fraternities,” in *Amherst in the World*, ed. Martha Saxton (Amherst, Mass.: Amherst College Press, 2020): 88-101.

“Age,” in *The Routledge History of American Sexuality*, ed. Kevin P. Murphy, Jason Ruiz, and David Serlin, (New York: Routledge, 2020): 21-31.

“Afterword,” in *The American Fraternity*, by Andrew Moisey (New York: Daylight Books, 2018): 187-191.

“‘We Are Not So Easily To Be Overcome’: Fraternities on the American College Campus,” in *Rethinking Campus Life: New Perspectives on the History of College Students in the United States*, ed. Christine A. Ogren and Marc VanOverbeke (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2018): 137-160.

“Statutory Marriage Ages and the Gendered Construction of Adulthood in the Nineteenth Century,” in *Age in America: The Colonial Era to the Present*, ed. Corinne T. Field and Nicholas L. Syrett (New York: New York University Press, 2015): 103-123.

with Corinne T. Field, “Introduction,” in *Age in America: The Colonial Era to the Present*, ed. Corinne T. Field and Nicholas L. Syrett (New York: New York University Press, 2015): 1-20.

“Screening the Queer Past: Teaching LGBT History with Documentary Films,” in *Understanding and Teaching U.S. Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender History*, ed. Leila J. Rupp and Susan K. Freeman (Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, 2014; 2nd ed., 2017): 331-342.

“The Contested Meanings of Child Marriage in the Turn-of-the-Century United States,” in *Children and Youth During the Gilded Age and Progressive Era*, ed. James Marten (New York: New York University Press, 2014): 145-165.

“Who Is Teaching Women’s History?: ‘Insight,’ ‘Objectivity,’ and Identity,” in *Clio in the Classroom: A Guide for Teaching U.S. Women’s History*, ed. Carol Berkin, Margaret Crocco, and Barbara Winslow (New York: Oxford University Press, 2009): 267-278.

BOOK REVIEWS

Rev. of *Men Without Maps: Some Gay Males of the Generation Before Stonewall*, by John Ibson, *American Historical Review*, forthcoming June 2023.

“Rethinking Youth and Transactional Sex,” in a roundtable on *Unspeakable: A Life Beyond Sexual Morality*, by Rachel Hope Cleves, *Journal of the Canadian Historical Society/Revue de la Société historique du Canada* 32:2 (2022): 153-158

Rev. of *Frontiers of Boyhood: Imagining America, Past and Future*, by Martin Woodside, *Western Historical Quarterly* 52:1 (Spring 2021): 107.

“Responding to Domestic Violence in the Nineteenth-Century United States,” rev. of *Intimate Partner Violence in New Orleans: Gender, Race, and Reform, 1840-1900*, by Ashley Baggett and *Marital Cruelty in Antebellum America*, by Robin C. Sager, *Journal of Women’s History* 33:1(Spring 2021): 158-162.

Rev. of *Strange Bedfellows: Marriage in the Age of Women’s Liberation*, by Alison Lefkowitz, *Journal of Social History* 53:3 (Spring 2020): 856-58.

- Rev. of *Buying a Bride: An Engaging History of Mail-Order Matches*, by Marcia Zug, *Canadian Journal of History/Annales Canadiennes d'Histoire* (Spring/Autumn 2019): 253-55.
- Rev. of *Age Norms and Intercultural Interaction in Colonial North America*, by Jason Eden and Naomi Eden, *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* 11:1 (Winter 2018): 135-37.
- Rev. of *Deregulating Desire: Flight Attendant Activism, Family Politics, and Workplace Justice*, by Ryan Patrick Murphy, *Journal of American History* 104:3 (December 2017): 819-20.
- Rev. of *The Virgin Vote: How Young Americans Made Democracy Social, Politics Personal, and Voting Popular in the Nineteenth Century*, by Jon Grinspan, *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era* 16:2 (April 2017): 229-31.
- Rev. of *Collegiate Republic: Cultivating an Ideal Society in Early America* by Margaret Sumner, *Register of the Kentucky Historical Society* 113:4 (Autumn 2015): 744-45.
- Rev. of *Domestic Intimacies: Incest and the Liberal Subject in Nineteenth-Century America* by Brian Connolly, *Journal of the Early Republic* 35:2 (Summer 2015): 324-27.
- Rev. of *Until Choice Do Us Part: Marriage Reform in the Progressive Era* by Claire Virginia Eby, *American Historical Review* 120:2 (April 2015): 638-39.
- Rev. of *Meet Joe Copper: Masculinity and Race on Montana's World War II Home Front* by Matthew L. Basso, *Pacific Historical Review* 84:1 (February 2015): 99-100.
- Rev. of *Creating the College Man: American Mass Magazines and Middle-Class Manhood, 1890-1915* by Daniel A. Clark, *Historical Studies in Education* 25:2 (Fall 2013): 140-41.
- Rev. of *New York Hustlers: Masculinity and Sex in Modern America* by Barry Reay, *Journal of the History of Sexuality* 22:3 (September 2013): 546-48.
- Rev. of *Brothers of a Vow: Secret Fraternal Orders and the Transformation of White Male Culture in Antebellum Virginia* by Ami Pflugrad-Jackisch, *American Historical Review* 116:4 (October 2011): 1127-28.
- Rev. of *The Lost Boys of Zeta Psi: A Historical Archaeology of Masculinity at a University Fraternity* by Laurie A. Wilkie, *Pacific Historical Review* 80:3 (August 2011): 500-01.
- Rev. of *Black Haze: Violence, Sacrifice, and Manhood in Black Greek-Letter Fraternities* by Ricky L. Jones, in *Men and Masculinities* 8:4 (April 2006): 538-39.

NEWSPAPER/MAGAZINE ARTICLES, OP EDS, ONLINE PIECES and PODCASTS

- “The Beaver Meadow Affair,” *Dartmouth Alumni Magazine*, January/February 2023, 21-23.
- “Female Physicians in Antebellum New York City,” *The Panorama: Expansive Views from the Journal of the Early Republic*, November 11, 2022.

with Corinne T. Field, “Everywhere and Nowhere: Chronological Age in the *American Historical Review*,” virtual issue of the *AHR*: <https://academic.oup.com/ahr/pages/chronological-age-collection>, June 1, 2020.

with Sharon Ullman, “Teaching the Reel History,” *Queer America Podcast*, Teaching Tolerance series, produced by the Southern Poverty Law Center, May 24, 2019.

with Katherine Turk, Chelsea del Rio, and Alison Lefkowitz, “A Conversation about Alison Lefkowitz’s *Strange Bedfellows: Marriage in the Age of Women’s Liberation*,” *The Docket*, August 1, 2018.

“Child Marriage is Still Legal in the United States,” *The Conversation*, December 12, 2017.
· Reprinted in Jennifer Reich, ed., *The State of Families: Law, Policy, and the Meanings of Relationships* (New York: Routledge, 2021): 18-19.

with Rachel Hope Cleves, “Roy Moore is Not a Pedophile,” *The Washington Post*, November 19, 2017.

“More Than Masturbatory: An Interview with April Haynes,” *Notches: (re)marks on the history of sexuality*, February 9, 2017

“Queer History for Troubling Times,” *AHA Today*, December 8, 2016.

“American Child Brides and the Dangers of Underage Sex,” *Notches: (re)marks on the history of sexuality*, October 25, 2016.

“Queer History at the 2016 Annual Meeting,” *AHA Today*, October 20, 2015.

“Why Racists Find a Home in Fraternities,” *The Daily Beast*, March 11, 2015.

“Why Fraternities Should Admit Women,” *CNN.com*, September 24, 2014.

“Schools Condone Fraternities’ Sexist Behavior,” *New York Times*, Room For Debate forum, May 5, 2011.

“Bros Before Hos: College Fraternities and Sexual Exploitation,” *American Sexuality*, June 1, 2009.

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

“Child Marriage,” in *Marriage and Divorce in America: Issues, Trends, and Controversies*, ed. Jaimee L. Hartenstein (London: Bloomsbury Academic, forthcoming August 2023).

“College Fraternities and Sororities,” in *The Oxford Encyclopedia of American Social History*, ed. Lynn Dumenil (New York: Oxford University Press, 2012).

“Academia” in *International Encyclopedia of Men and Masculinities*, ed. Michael Flood, Judith Kegan Gardiner, Bob Pease, and Keith Pringle (London: Routledge, 2007): 1.

“Fraternities,” in *International Encyclopedia of Men and Masculinities*, ed. Michael Flood, Judith Kegan Gardiner, Bob Pease, and Keith Pringle (London: Routledge, 2007): 214-216.

INTERVIEWS

Newspaper/magazine interviews with *UNC Mirror* (January 2009), *Inside Higher Ed* (February 13, 2009), *UNC Connection* (February 2009), *Greeley Tribune* (September 21, 2009), *The Daily Northwestern* (January 2010), *Out* (February 2, 2010), *Newsweek* (April 2, 2010), *Des Moines Register* (August 13, 2010), *Daily Iowan* (September 10, 2010), *Arizona State University State Press* (April 2011), *Inside Higher Ed* (April 29, 2011), *Times Higher Education* (UK, June 23, 2011), *Metro US* (September 6, 2011), *London Free Press* (Canada), *Psychology Today* (March 5, 2012), *Knoxville News Sentinel* (October 2, 2012), *Memorial University Muse* (February 2013), *Cornell Daily Sun* (April 14, 2013), *University of Georgia Red and Black* (September 2, 2013), *Bloomberg News* (March 26, 2014), *The Atlantic Monthly* (February 21, 2014 and March 21, 2014), *George Washington University Hatchet* (April 17, 2014), *Information* (Denmark, September 27, 2014), *Fast Company* (November 6, 2014), *Business Insider* (December 3, 2014), *Christian Science Monitor* (March 9, 2015), *Los Angeles Times* (March 9, 2015), *USA Today College* (March 15, 2015), *Pacific Standard* (March 20, 2015), *Philadelphia Inquirer* (March 22, 2015), *Baltimore Sun* (March 24, 2015), *Chronicle of Higher Education* (August 3, 2015), *Perspectives* (American Historical Association, February 1, 2016), *BBC News* (June 13, 2016), *Timeline* (November 28, 2016) *University of Minnesota Daily* (March 19, 2017), *USA Today* (July 12, 2016), *Charleston Gazette-Mail* (October 23, 2016), *Greeley Tribune* (December 5, 2016), *Vice* (December 15, 2016), *The Independent* (August 12, 2017), *Teen Vogue* (September 5, 2017), *Time* (September 7, 2017), *Frontline* (PBS, September 14, 2017), *MEL* (November 10, 2017), *Washington Post* (November 13, 2017), *Bloomington Herald-Times* (November 28, 2017), *Education Dive* (November 30, 2017), *CBC News* (Canada, December 10, 2017), *A & E* (February 17, 2018), *Kansas City Star* (March 11, 2018), [The History Channel](#) (June 6, 2018), *Deseret News* (October 15, 2018), *Education Dive* (November 13, 2018), [Columbia University Spectator](#) (November 2018), [Arab News](#) (Saudi Arabia, January 21, 2019), [AHA Foundation Blog](#) (February 28, 2019), *NEWS.com.au* (Australia, May 17, 2019), [Dallas Observer](#) (May 20, 2019), *KCUR* (June 30, 2020), [New York Times](#) (July 31, 2020), [Neue Zürcher Zeitung](#) (Switzerland, August 4, 2020), *Vox* (September 29, 2020), *Time* (December 16, 2020), [Kansas City Star](#) (February 24, 2021), *NBC News* (March 12, 2021), *Chicago Tribune* (June 18, 2021), *WTTW Chicago* (June 29, 2021), [U.S. News and World Report](#) (September 1, 2021), [Los Angeles Times](#) (November 11, 2021), *Politico* (January 9, 2022).

Radio and podcast interviews with *The State of Things* (WUNC-North Carolina, March 29, 2009), *The Current* (CBC Radio Canada, June 1, 2011), *Back Story* (NPR/Virginia Foundation for the Humanities, July 13, 2012 and January 24, 2014), *Morning Edition* (NPR, November 28, 2014), *This Week @ Inside Higher Ed* (December 5, 2014), *MPR News with Kerri Miller* (Minnesota Public Radio, March 8, 2015), *The Morning Shift* (WBEZ-Chicago, March 26, 2015), *Happenings Q&A* (WLIP-Wisconsin, April 15, 2015), *The Bowery Boys* (August 18, 2016), *Colorado Matters* (Colorado Public Radio, April 4, 2017), *Frontline* (PBS, July 6, 2017), *Frank Relationships* (July 17, 2017), *Kentucky Center for Investigative Reporting* (WFPL-Louisville, August 29, 2017), *KCBS Radio* (San Francisco, November 14, 2017), *Academic Minute* (WAMC-Northeast Public Radio, March 1, 2018), *SHCY Books* (Society for the History of Children and Youth, October 10, 2018), *AHR Interview* (American Historical Association, April 15, 2020), *Dyad Podcast* (August 11, 2020), *KCBS Radio* (San Francisco, January 16, 2022), *London Morning* (London, Ontario, May 13, 2022), *KCBS Radio* (San Francisco, June 18, 2022), *The 21st* (Illinois Public Media, June 20, 2022).

Television and film interviews/appearances with *The Stream* (Al Jazeera, June 26, 2017), *Planet America* (ABC News-Australia, April 6, 2018), *KTVU News* (San Francisco, June 18, 2019), *Speaking Frankly: Child Marriage* (CBS Originals, 2019), *Knots: A Forced Marriage Story* (dir. Kate Ryan Brewer, 2020), *Inside Edition* (CBS, September 28, 2021), *The Why* (Newsy, April 29, 2022), *Who Do You Think You Are?* (NBC, July 31, 2022).

AWARDS

- 2022 Award of Superior Achievement, Illinois State Historical Society, for *An Open Secret*
- 2014 Fass-Sandin Prize for the Best Article in English published in 2013 on the history of childhood or youth, Society for the History of Children and Youth
- 2014 Honorable Mention, Audre Lorde Prize for best article in LGBT History published in 2012-2013, Committee on LGBT History
- 2012 College Scholar Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, UNC
- 2012 First Year Scholars Outstanding Faculty Award, UNC
- 2011 Diversity in the Classroom Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, UNC
- 2011 Outstanding Supportive Faculty Member Award, GLBTA Resource Center, UNC
- 2005 Honorable Mention in University of Michigan's Distinguished Dissertations
- 1993-1997 Dean's List, Columbia University

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2020-21 American Council of Learned Societies Fellowship
- 2016 New Project Program Grant, UNC
- 2015 Faculty Research and Publications Board Grant, UNC
- 2014 Travel Grant, John Hope Franklin Center for African and African American History and Culture, Duke University
- 2014 Research, Scholarship, and Creative Works Faculty Reassignment Award, UNC
- 2012 Research, Dissemination, and Faculty Development Grant, UNC
- 2011 Research, Dissemination, and Faculty Development Grant, UNC
- 2011 Clarke Chambers Travel Fellowship, Social Welfare History Archives, University of Minnesota
- 2011 Assistant Vice President for Research, Summer Support Initiative Grant, UNC
- 2009 Provost's Fund Grant, UNC
- 2007 Faculty Research and Publications Board Grant, UNC
- Summer Research Grant, History Department, UNC
- 2004-05 Research Fellow, Historic New England
- 2004 Rackham One Term Fellowship, University of Michigan
- 2003 Institute for Research on Women and Gender, Community of Scholars Fellowship, University of Michigan
- 2001, 2003 Rackham Travel Grants, University of Michigan
- 2001 Office of Academic Multicultural Initiatives Travel Grant, University of Michigan
- 2001 Robin I. Thevenet Research Grant, Program in Women's Studies, University of Michigan
- 2000-2004 Program in American Culture Summer Funding, University of Michigan (4 summers)
- 1999-2002 Rackham Regents' Fellowship for Graduate Study, University of Michigan

INVITED TALKS

- 2023 "The Trials of Madame Restell." William Hewitt Distinguished Lecture, University of Northern Colorado, October 16.
- 2023 with Maureen Holtz, "Robert and John Gregg Allerton." Allerton House, The Farms, Monticello, IL, March 23.

- 2022 “Becoming Father and Son: Robert and John Allerton and Models for Queer Couplehood in the Early Twentieth-Century U.S.” Furman University, November 29. *Virtual*.
- 2021 Panelist, “Combating Child Marriage.” New Lines Institute for Strategy and Policy, June 29. *Virtual*.
- 2021 Roundtable Participant, “The Movement to End Child Marriage: Where Does Connecticut Stand?” Quinnipiac University School of Law and Connecticut Bar Foundation, April 23. *Virtual*.
- 2021 “Chronological Age and the Uneven Development of Modern Childhood in the United States.” Paper given at “Querying Childhood: Feminist Reframings,” the International Centre of Advanced Studies, Delhi, India, April 9-10. *Virtual*.
- 2020 “The Notorious Madame Restell: Childhood and the Criminalization of Abortion in Nineteenth-Century America.” Duke University, January 30.
- 2019 with Andrew Moisey, “Artist Talk on *The American Fraternity*.” Kenyon College, February 7.
- 2018 “I Did and I Don’t Regret It: Contests Over Child Marriage in the Early Twentieth-Century United States.” Grinnell College, March 12.
- 2017 “Becoming Father and Son: Robert and John Gregg Allerton and Historical Perspectives on Queer Kinship.” University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, November 1.
- 2017 “‘The Great Life-Long Mistake’: Age, Marriage Law, and Women’s Rights in Nineteenth-Century America.” University of Texas, Rio Grande Valley, September 15.
- 2017 “50 is the New 40: Rejuvenation and the Rise of Chronological Age in the Twentieth Century.” Forever Young: Rejuvenation in Transnational and Transcolonial Perspective, German Historical Institute, May 11-13.
- 2013 “Robbing the Cradle: Youthful Marriage and Perceptions of Child Predation in the United States, 1900-1960,” Case Western Reserve University, September 12.
- 2013 “‘Wholly Unfit for the Marriage Condition’: Sarah Hervey Parton and Writing the History of Age, Gender, and Sexuality,” Queen City Colloquium Keynote Speaker, History Department, University of Cincinnati, March 29.
- 2012 Plenary Speaker, “LGBT/Sexuality/Gender History/ies” Panel, Southern Association for Women Historians, Fort Worth Texas, June 6-9.
- 2011 “The Contested Meanings of Child Marriage in the Turn-of-the-Century United States.” Indiana University, September 29.
- 2010 “Child Brides and Boy Husbands: Children’s Sexuality and Marriage Law in the United States, 1880-1930.” University of Michigan, November 10.

- 2010 “Epistolary Queers: Business Culture and Community Formation in the Midwest, 1930s-1950s.” Invited paper presented at “Queering the Middle: Sexual Diasporas, Race, and a Queer Midwest,” University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 7-8.
- 2008 “Equal Rights for Which Women?: The E.R.A. of the 1920s and 1970s and Debates over American Women’s Roles.” University of Denver, October 1.
- 2008 “Women’s and Gender History in the United States.” Colorado Academy of History, Greeley, CO, June 20.
- 2006 “Big Men on Campus: College Fraternities and the Culture of Masculinity.” Midcoast Maine Senior College, Thomaston, Maine, July 19.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- 2024 Roundtable Participant, “Abortion in the Nineteenth Century.” Annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, New Orleans, April 11-14.
- 2023 “Female Physicians and the Reproductive Services Market in Antebellum New York.” Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Historical Association, Charlotte, NC, November 9-12.
- 2023 Chair, “From Subjects to Studies: Making the Transition from Traditional to Interdisciplinary.” Annual meeting of the National Women’s Studies Association, Baltimore, October 26-29.
- 2023 “Female Physicians, Illegitimacy, and Abortion in Antebellum New York.” Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Philadelphia, July 13-16.
- 2023 Chair, “Gender and the Cautionary Tale: Lessons Learned from History.” Nineteenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Gender, and Sexualities, Santa Clara University, June 28-July 3.
- 2022 Chair, “Comparisons and Conclusions,” Children and Crisis: Traumas, Epidemics, and Children’s Well-Being in Cross-Cultural and Historical Perspective, University of Texas at Austin, Nov. 4-5.
- 2022 Moderator, “Definitions” and “Gender,” Trajectories of Youth History workshop co-sponsored by the Society for the History of Children and Youth and the Children’s History Society, June 22-23. *Virtual.*
- 2022 Participant in Wallace K. Ferguson Roundtable on Rachel Hope Cleves’s *Unspeakable: A Life Beyond Sexual Morality*, annual meeting of the Canadian Historical Society, May 16-18. *Virtual.*
- 2021 “‘Three Diabolical Trades’: Lying-in Hospitals, Abortionists, and Baby Farms in the Late Nineteenth-Century US,” paper given at the biannual meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, virtual, June 23-26. *Virtual*

- 2021 Roundtable participant, "Teaching Global Histories of Youth." Biannual meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, virtual, June 23-26. *Virtual*.
- 2021 Chair, "Children's Agency and the History of Sexuality." Biannual meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, virtual, June 23-26. *Virtual*.
- 2021 Co-Chair, "Age and Consent." Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, January 4-8. *Virtual*.
- 2019 Facilitator, Second Book-Writers' Workshop. Annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Cambridge, Mass., July 18-21.
- 2019 Chair, "Gender and Sexuality in the Global Age of Youth." Biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, Australian Catholic University, Sydney, Australia, June 26-28.
- 2019 "Minority, Majority, and the Gendered Politics of Adulthood in the Twentieth-Century United States." Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, Australian Catholic University, Sydney, Australia, June 26-28.
- 2019 "Intimate Relations: Robert and John Gregg Allerton and Intergenerational Couplehood." Paper presented at QHC19, inaugural conference of the Committee on LGBT History, San Francisco State University, June 16-18.
- 2019 Chair and Comment, "Historical Perspectives on Queer Youth, Sexuality, and Cross-Age Relationships." Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Philadelphia, April 4-6.
- 2019 Roundtable Participant, "Honoring Jan Ellen Lewis." Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Philadelphia, April 4-6.
- 2019 Chair and Comment, "Spies, Homophiles, and Race in the Americas, 1940-1970." Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Chicago, January 6-9.
- 2018 with Corinne T. Field, Comment, "Retirement in the Young Republic: Old Age in the Early United States." Society for Historians of the Early American Republic annual meeting, Cleveland, OH, July 19-22.
- 2018 "Private Provisions: Mixed-Race Inheritance, Promissory Notes, and the Courts in Brooklyn and North Carolina." Paper presented at the eleventh meeting of the Southern Association for Women Historians, Tuscaloosa, AL, June 7-10.
- 2018 "Exclusivity, Segregation, and Democracy: Amherst College and its Fraternities." Paper presented at "Amherst and the World," Amherst College, May 22-23.
- 2018 "Kidnapping, Child Murder, and the Notorious Madame Restell." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Sacramento, CA, April 12-14.
- 2018 Chair, "Teaching LGBT History to K-12 Students: A Roundtable." Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Sacramento, CA, April 12-14.

- 2018 “Child Marriage and the Law in the United States.” Paper presented at “Understanding Harmful Cultural Practices: Origins, Drivers and Behavior Change,” University of California, Santa Barbara, March 19-20.
- 2018 Chair, “The National Park Service’s *LGBTQ America* Theme Study: A Roundtable.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, Washington, D.C., January 4-7.
- 2018 Chair, “Queer Contortions: New Directions in the History of Race, Sexuality, and the Body.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, Washington, D.C., January 4-7.
- 2017 Roundtable Participant, “Age-Based Transitions and Translations: A Roundtable on Chronological Age as a Category of Historical Analysis.” Biennial Meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, Rutgers University, Camden, June 21-23.
- 2017 “Age Disparity, Marriage, and the Gendering of Heterosexuality.” Paper presented at the Seventeenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Genders, and Sexualities, Hofstra University, June 1-4.
- 2017 Chair, “Queer Families, Intimate Labors, and Political Resistance during the Early Years of the AIDS Epidemic.” Annual Meeting of the Western Association for Women Historians, San Diego, April 27-29.
- 2017 Chair, “Gendered Bodies and the Expansion of State Power.” Annual Meeting of the Western Association for Women Historians, San Diego, April 27-29.
- 2017 “Age Gaps and the Gendered Asymmetry of Heterosexual Marriage.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, New Orleans, April 6-9.
- 2017 “Miscegenation Law and the Politics of Mixed-Race Illegitimate Children in the Turn-of-the-Century United States.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Denver, January 5-8.
- 2017 Chair, “Queer Scholars and Scholarship on the Job Market.” Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Denver, January 5-8.
- 2017 Chair, “Incorporating Queer History in the Latin American Survey.” Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Denver, January 5-8.
- 2016 Chair and Comment, “Other Domesticities: Alternative Constructions of ‘Home’ in Twentieth-Century America.” Annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Denver, November 17-20.
- 2016 Participant, “Practicing Your Pitch.” Annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Denver, November 17-20.

- 2016 “‘From the Baby-House to the Marriage Altar’: Elizabeth Oakes Smith and the Significance of Age for Women’s Emancipation.” Paper presented at “Reading, Writing and World-Making in Nineteenth-Century America,” University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, November 10-11.
- 2016 Roundtable Participant, “Blood, Belonging, Citizenship, and Legal Personhood in the Early Republic: A Roundtable.” Annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, New Haven, CT, July 21-24.
- 2016 Chair and Comment, “Embodying the Republic.” Annual meeting of the Western Association of Women Historians, Denver, May 12-14.
- 2016 Comment, “Biopower and Health.” Envisioning American Studies: An Anniversary Conference, Department of American Culture, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, March 17-18.
- 2016 Roundtable Participant. “The LGBTQ Taskforce Survey and Report: Where Do We Go From Here?” Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Atlanta, January 7-10.
- 2016 Roundtable Participant, “Before/Outside/Beyond Gay Marriage: New Directions in the History of Marriage in the United States.” Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Atlanta, January 7-10.
- 2015 “‘The Great Life-Long Mistake’: Elizabeth Oakes Smith and the Necessity of Marriage.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Toronto, October 8-11.
- 2015 “‘Baby Wives’ and ‘Girl Mothers’: Statutory Marriage Ages and the Circumscription of Girlhood in the Antebellum United States.” Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, Vancouver, B.C., June 24-26.
- 2015 Chair, “Childhood and the Legal De-Recognition of Relationships.” Biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, Vancouver, B.C., June 24-26.
- 2015 “An Old Man’s Darling: Minors, Marriage, and the Representation of the South at the Turn of the Century.” Paper presented at the triennial meeting of the Southern Association for Women Historians, Charleston, S.C., June 11-14.
- 2015 Comment, “The Novelty of ‘Tradition’: Women in the Long Shadow of Nineteenth-Century U.S. Gender Ideology.” Annual Meeting of the Western Association of Women Historians, Sacramento, California, May 14-16.
- 2015 “Social Reformers and the Racialization of American Child Marriage at the Turn of the Twentieth Century.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, St. Louis, April 16-19.
- 2015 Chair, “Narratives of Knowing: Telling Queer Lives.” Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, New York, January 2-5.

- 2014 Chair and Comment, "Children, Youth, and the Pleasures of Gender and Sexual Transgression." Annual Meeting of the American Studies Association, Los Angeles, November 6-9.
- 2014 Chair and Comment, "Parental and Children's Rights and the Consolidation of State Power." The Law and the Child in Historical Perspective Conference, University of Minnesota School of Law, Minneapolis, June 1-2.
- 2014 "Girls' Sexuality and Narratives of Exploitation in Early Twentieth-Century Teen Marriages." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Washington, D.C., January 2-5.
- 2013 Chair and Comment, "The National Investment in Childhood: Reproducing National Identity from the Civil War to the Cold War." Annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Washington, D.C., November 21-24
- 2013 "American Child Marriage, Women's Rights Activists, and the Limits of Agency." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Women's Studies Association, Cincinnati, November 7-10.
- 2013 "The Comfort and Services of His Wife": Child Marriage and Labor Conflicts in the South at the Turn of the Twentieth Century." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Historical Association, St. Louis, October 31-November 2.
- 2013 "Child Marriage and the Meanings of Age in the Twentieth-Century Rural United States." Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, University of Nottingham, UK, June 25-27.
- 2013 Chair, "Colonial Childhoods." Biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, University of Nottingham, UK, June 25-27.
- 2013 "Statutory Marriage Law and the Gendered Construction of Adulthood in the Nineteenth Century." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, San Francisco, April 11-14.
- 2012 "'Mother India's Rival': Child Marriage, 'Civilization,' and the Economic Geography of Childhood." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico, November 15-18.
- 2012 "Child Marriage and Contests over Non-Normative Sexuality in the 1920s." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Chicago, January 5-8.
- 2011 "Protecting Children, Policing Marriage: Reformers and the Law of Child Marriage in the 1920s and 30s." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society for Legal History, Atlanta, November 10-13.
- 2011 "Imagining Rural Sexuality in the Depression Era: Child Brides, Exploitation Film, and the Winstead-Johns Marriage." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Baltimore, October 20-23.

- 2011 “Contesting Childhood: Children, Sexuality, and Marriage Law in the United States, 1880-1920.” Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the History of Childhood and Youth, New York, June 23-25.
- 2011 Chair, “Queering the College Campus.” Fifteenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, June 9-12.
- 2011 “‘Marriage Reform Is Still an Unplowed Field’: Social Reformers and the Struggle to Regulate Child Marriage in the 1920s.” Paper presented at the Fifteenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, June 9-12.
- 2010 Panelist, “Analyzing Slavery and the American Revolution via Gender and Race,” at the annual meeting of the California Council for History Education, California State University, Sacramento, September 24-25.
- 2010 Roundtable Participant, “What’s New, What’s Next in Masculinity Studies in the Early Republic?” at the annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Rochester, N.Y., July 22-25.
- 2010 Panelist, “Teaching Across Yourself” at the Seventh Annual Summit on Diversity, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, April 15.
- 2010 Roundtable Participant on a panel devoted to *Clio in the Classroom: A Guide for Teaching U.S. Women’s History* at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Washington, D.C., April 7-10.
- 2010 “Father and Son? Robert and John Gregg Allerton and the Public Perceptions of an Illinois Couple, 1922-1964.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, San Diego, January 7-10.
- 2009 “Business Culture and Queer Epistolary Networks in the U.S. Midwest, 1930s-1960s.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Studies Association, Washington, D.C., November 5-8.
- 2009 “‘My Little Girl Wife’: Agency and Understandings of Childhood in Turn-of-the-Century American Child Marriages.” Paper presented at the Biennial Meeting of the Society for the History of Childhood and Youth, University of California, Berkeley, July 10-12.
- 2008 “The Double Standard, Sexual Coercion, and the Performance of Masculinity on the Twentieth-Century U.S. College Campus.” Paper presented at the Fourteenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Minnesota, June 12-15.
- 2008 “‘Service to Our Peculiar Institution’: College Fraternities, Social Class, and Manliness in the Post-Civil War South.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, New York, March 28-31.

- 2008 "Queer Connections and an Invisible Community: Gay Epistolary Networks in the U.S. Midwest, 1930-1960." Paper presented at the annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, American University, Washington, D.C., February 15-17.
- 2007 "Queer Cosmopolitans: An Asian Oasis on the Illinois Prairie." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Philadelphia, October 11-14.
- 2007 "Competition and Connections: Forging Middle-Class Manliness in the Antebellum College Fraternity." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Worcester, Mass., July 19-22.
- 2007 Roundtable Panelist, "The Bonds of Brotherhood and Sisterhood: Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality in the Collegiate Greek System, 1945 to the Present." Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Atlanta, January 4-7.
- 2006 Roundtable Panelist, "Introducing Women's Studies: A Teaching Team Reevaluates the Introduction to the Major." Annual meeting of the National Women's Studies Association, Oakland, CA, June 15-18.
- 2005 "The Boys of Beaver Meadow: A Homosexual Community at 1920s Dartmouth College." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Washington, D.C., November 3-6.
- 2005 "Camaraderie and Piety: College Fraternities, Ministerial Faculty, and Competing Rhetorics of Manliness." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Philadelphia, July 21-24.
- 2005 "Murder at Dartmouth: Regulating Masculinity and Privilege at the Post-WW II College." Paper presented at the Thirteenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Scripps College, Claremont, CA, June 2-5.
- 2004 "Gentlemen and Wolves, Nice Girls and Pick-Ups: Sexual Conquest on the Twentieth-Century College Campus." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Atlanta, November 11-14.
- 2004 "From Gentleman to Stud: The Escalation of Virile Masculinity Among Twentieth-Century College Men." Paper presented at a conference on Post-WW II Sexualities at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, April 24.
- 2004 "'The Company He Keeps': White College Fraternities and the Construction of Masculinity, 1825-1860." Paper presented in the American Culture Workshop Series, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, March 31.
- 2004 "Fraternal Masculinity and the Death of Raymond Cirrotta, ca. 1949." Paper presented at the Thinking Gender Conference at the University of California at Los Angeles, March 5.

- 2003 “Reputation and Belonging: The Spread of College Fraternities in Nineteenth-Century America.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Hartford, CT, October 16-19.
- 2001 “‘Very Fraternaly Yours’: Delta Kappa Epsilon and the Construction of a National Brotherhood in the Mid-19th Century.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Washington, D.C., November 8-11.
- 2001 “Studying Masculinities as Feminism: Toward a Revision of ‘Men’s Studies’.” Paper presented on a panel sponsored by the Society for Critical Exchange at the annual meeting of the South Central Modern Language Association, Tulsa, Oklahoma, November 1-3.
- 2001 Chair, “Out of the Past: Dandies and Sodomites.” Rhetoric of the Other IV, conference at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, April 12-14.
- 2001 “College Fraternities, Masculinity, and the Logic of Separate Spheres.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Great Lakes American Studies Association, Muncie, Indiana, March 16-18.

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Kansas

Undergraduate

Introduction to Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
 Gender, Sexuality, and the Law

Graduate

Topics in Feminist Pedagogy
 History of American Sexuality

University of Northern Colorado

Undergraduate

American History to 1877
 American History from 1877 to the Present
 American Immigration
 Family and Marriage in America
 Sex and Sexuality in America
 U.S. Women’s History to 1877
 U.S. Women’s History from 1877 to the Present
 American Queer History
 Senior Seminar: Gender, Race, and Crime
 Senior Seminar: Children and Childhood

Graduate

Gender in American History
 Slavery in America
 Writing Seminar
 Historiography

ADVISING

As Outside Member

Jamie Fogg, Ph.D., Higher Education and Student Affairs Leadership, University of Northern Colorado

University of Kansas

As Ph.D. Dissertation Committee Member.

Rebekah Aycock, American Studies
Andrew Patty, Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
Sam Kendrick, Sociology
Emily Raymond, History
Brian Trump, "Sex Crime and Criminal Sexuality: Legislating and Policing Community Boundaries in Nebraska, 1890-1980," History, 2022
Marjorie Galelli, "Two Sides of the Same COIN: A History of the United States and Counterinsurgency During Operation Iraqi Freedom," History, 2021
Hannah Bailey, "Colonized by Freedom: Making the State, Private Property, and Race in Kansas," American Studies, 2021.
Jonathan Wells, "Imperial Entrepreneur: Masculinity, Race, and the Memory of Frederick Funston," History, 2019.
Elizabeth J. Stigler, "Cooking Up Resistance: Exploring Czech Identity in Cook County Through Co-Culinary Oral Histories," Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2018.

As Ph.D. Comprehensive Exams Committee Member:

Kelsey Carls, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2023
Sam Kendrick, Sociology, 2022
Nancy Baker, English, 2021
Andrew Patty, Educational Leadership and Policy Studies, 2020.
Emily Raymond, History, 2020.
Marjorie Galelli, History, 2019.

As Undergraduate Honors Thesis Chair:

Brittney Wilson, "Assault, Robbery, Mayhem: The Consequences of Fraternal Campus Loyalty Movements at the University of Kansas After World War I," History, 2023

As Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee Member:

Emerson Karsh-Lombardo, "Kink at KU," Human Sexuality and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2021
Emily Depew, "Dole's Decisions: How Elizabeth Dole Saved over 400,000 Lives through Safety Belts, Air Bags, and Raising the Drinking Age to Twenty-One," History and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2020.
Shea O'Sullivan, "Associated Women Sycophants: Sorority Women and Changing Gender Roles at the University of Kansas," History, 2018.

University of Northern Colorado

As History M.A. Thesis/Exam Committee Chair:

Jamie Fogg, "A Virtuous Man: Masculinity and Gendering Adultery in the Antebellum Northeast," 2016.
Mark Hirsch, Comprehensive Exams, 2016
Jeb McNeil, Comprehensive Exams, 2015
Ashlea Monroe, Comprehensive Exams, 2014.
Amber Nickell, "Diaspora Evolved: The Germans from Russia, 1919-Present," 2013.

As History M.A. Thesis/Exam Committee Member

Derek LeFebre, "Pursuit of Prosperity Below the Ocate Mesa," History, 2015.

Sarah Arnusch, "The Transformation of Public Education on the Colorado Plains, 1945-1980," *History*, 2012.

Sara Valencich, *Comprehensive Exams*, 2010.

Cassandra Oringdulph, "Invoking the Favor and Guidance of Almighty God?: Church and State in the Confederate States of America," *History*, 2008.

SERVICE

TO THE PROFESSION

Outside Reader

Cornell University Press • CQ Press • National Park Service • New York University Press • Oxford University Press • Routledge • Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada • University of Georgia Press • University of North Carolina Press • University of Toronto Press • University of Virginia Press • University Press of Florida

American Studies • *Early American Studies* • *Australasian Journal of American Studies* • *Gender and History* • *History of Education Quarterly* • *Journal of African American Studies* • *Journal of American Studies* • *Journal of the Civil War Era* • *Journal of Family History* • *Journal of the Early Republic* • *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* • *Journal of the History of Sexuality* • *Journal of Social History* • *Journal of Southern History* • *Michigan Historical Review* • *Modern American History* • *Queer Pasts* • *Reproductive Health Matters* • *Violence Against Women*

2023-2025 President, Society for the History of Childhood and Youth
2023 External Reviewer, Department of Women's and Gender Studies, University of South Florida
2022- Advisory Board, Gender and American Culture book series, University of North Carolina Press
2022 Conference Co-Organizer, "Trajectories of Youth History," joint conference of the Society for the History of Children and Youth and the Children's History Society
2022 Chair, External Review Committee, Department of Gender Studies, Indiana University
2021- Co-Editor, *Journal of the History of Sexuality*
2021- Editorial Collective, *Gender and History* (UK)
2021-2023 Co-Chair, Biennial Meeting of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, University of Guelph
2021-2023 Vice President/President-Elect, Society for the History of Children and Youth
2021-2022 Conference Co-Chair, QHC 22, Committee on LGBT History
2020-2023 Nominating Committee, Organization of American Historians
 2022, Distinguished Lecturer Committee
 2023, Chair
2020- Editorial Board, Routledge Studies in the Histories of Children and Youth, Routledge
2020 National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship Review Panel
2020 Grace Abbott Book Prize Committee, Society for the History of Children and Youth
2018-2019 Conference Co-Chair, QHC 19, Committee on LGBT History
2018 Chair, External Review Committee, Department of Women's and Gender Studies, Iowa State University
2018 Fass-Sandin Article Prize Committee, Society for the History of Children and Youth
2018- Editorial Board, *History in the Headlines* book series, University of Georgia Press
2016- Editorial Board, *Quarterly Horse*, a journal of the Rocky Mountain American Studies Association

- 2016-2018 Mary Kelley Book Prize in Women's and Gender History Committee, Society for Historians of the Early American Republic
2018, Chair
- 2016 Chair, Conference Committee, "Reading, Writing, and World-Making in Nineteenth-Century America," University of Michigan, November 10-11, 2016
- 2015-2019 Book Review Editor, *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth*
- 2015-2020 List Editor, H-CHILDHOOD
- 2015-2019 Committee on the Status of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Transgender, and Queer Historians and Histories, Organization of American Historians
2017-2018, Chair
- 2015-2018 Co-Chair, Committee on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender History
- 2012-2013 Program Committee, Sixth Biennial Conference of the Society for the History of Children and Youth, University of Nottingham, UK, June 25-27, 2013
- 2009-2012 Governing Board, Committee on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender History
- 2009-2010 Allan Bérubé, Audre Lorde, and Gregory Sprague Prizes Committee, CLGBTH

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University

- 2023 Search Committee, Director of Faculty Recognition and Awards, Office of Research
- 2023 Ad Hoc Committee on Non-Resident Faculty Hiring, Office of Faculty Affairs
- 2022 Review Committee, Friends of the Hall Center Book Publication Award
- 2022 Chair, Review Committee, Scholars on Site Fellowship, Hall Center
- 2021-2022 Faculty Senate
2021-2022, Executive Committee
- 2021-2022 General Education Core Working Group
- 2021-2022 Steering Committee, MA in Leadership, Equity, and Inclusion
- 2020-2023 Executive Committee, Hall Center for the Humanities
- 2020-2022 Provost's Council on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging
- 2020 Chair, Mid-Career, Resident Faculty, and Sias Graduate Fellowship Committee, Hall Center
- 2020 COVID-19 Design Team for Learning and Teaching
- 2020 Pandemic Project Management Team
- 2019-2020 Steering Committee, MA in Leadership, Equity, and Inclusion
- 2019-2020 Faculty Facilitator, Office of Faculty Development
- 2019 External Review Committee (KU Member), History Department
- 2018 Search Committee, Director of the Hall Center for the Humanities
- 2018-2020 Committee on Evaluation of Chairs & Directors, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
- 2017-2022 Advisory Board, Emily Taylor Center for Women and Gender Equity
- 2017 Review Committee, Mid-Career Research Fellowship, Hall Center

Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Department

- 2021-2022 Department Chair
- 2021-2022 Director of Graduate Studies
- 2021-2022 Personnel Committee
- 2019-2020 Personnel Committee
- 2019 Chair, Administrative Associate Search Committee
- 2017-2020 Department Chair
- 2017-2018 Personnel Committee

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2016-2017	Research Advisory Council
2014-2017	Faculty Research and Publications Board 2016-2017, Chair 2015-2016, Vice-Chair
2016	Search Committee, Director of LGBTQ Resource Center
2016-2017	Chair, Faculty Comprehensive Review Committee, Gender Studies Program
2011-2012	Diversity Advisory Board, College of Humanities and Social Sciences
2011-2012	Men Engaged Now Advisory Board, Assault Survivors Advocacy Project
2008-2010	History and Literature Committee, Liberal Arts Council 2009-2010, Chair
2007-2008	Assistant Professor Search Committee, Women's Studies Program

History Department

2016-2017	Department Chair
2016	Chair, Department Evaluation Committee
2013-2016	Director of Graduate Studies
2012	Chair, Department Evaluation Committee
2010-2012	Director of Graduate Studies
2010-2011	Chair, Africanist Search Committee
2010	Medievalist Lecturer Search Committee
2010	Chair, Department Evaluation Committee
2009	Program Review Committee
2007-2012	Executive Committee
2007-2010	Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
2008-2009	Early Americanist Search Committee
2007-2008	Latin Americanist Search Committee

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association • Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Gender, and Sexualities
• Committee on Lesbian, Gay Bisexual, and Transgender History • National Women's Studies Association •
Organization of American Historians • Society for Historians of the Early American Republic • Society for
the History of Children and Youth • Southern Association for Women Historians