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### Academic Appointments and Affiliations

- Assistant Professor, Modern Latin American History, Department of History, the Pennsylvania State University, August 2016 to present
- Affiliated Researcher, LAGLOBAL History and Anthropology Working Group, December 2016 to present
- Barra Postdoctoral Fellow, the McNeil Center for Early American Studies, University of Pennsylvania, 2016-2018
- Lecturer, Department of History, University of Pennsylvania, 2016-2018
- Assistant Instructor, Department of History, University of Texas at Austin, Fall 2015

### Education

- **University of Texas at Austin**, History, Ph.D., May 2016; Ph.D. Teaching Portfolio, Native American and Indigenous Studies  
Dissertation Title: “The Pre-Columbian Exchange: The Circulation and Study of the Ancient Peruvian Dead in the Atlantic World and Americas”
  - Winner, 2017 Maureen Ahern Doctoral Dissertation Award in Colonial Latin American Studies, Latin American Studies Association
  - Winner, 2017 Barnes F. Lathrop Prize for Best Dissertation, University of Texas at Austin History Department; also nominated by department for University of Texas at Austin 2017 Outstanding Dissertation Award
  - First Runner-up, Richmond F. Brown Dissertation Prize, 2017-2018, Latin American Section (LACS) of the Southern Historical Association
- **Yale University**, Latin American Studies, B.A., May 2003
  - Winner of the Latin American Studies Prize for Best Senior Essay, “Hiram Bingham and the ‘Lost Treasures’ of Machu Picchu: Popular Archaeology, Imagined Imperialism, and National Press in the Yale Peruvian Expeditions”

### Publications

#### Books

*Las Tumbas de Machu Picchu: La historia de Hiram Bingham y la Búsqueda de las últimas ciudades de los Incas* (Lima: Fondo Editorial de la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, 2012).

- Revision and translation of *Cradle of Gold*, below.

*Cradle of Gold: The Story of Hiram Bingham, a Real-Life Indiana Jones, and the Search for Machu Picchu*

(New York and London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010).

- 2011 paperback edition with new afterword to reflect the fall 2010 return of Machu Picchu's artifacts from Yale to Peru, whose legal foundation *Cradle of Gold* (published in April 2010) documented and promoted.

### **Books in preparation**

*Empires of the Dead: Inca Mummies, Peruvian Science, and the Embodiment of American History.*

*Grave Openings: Mortuary Encounter and Imperialism in the Early Americas.*

### **Articles, Published and Forthcoming**

"A Central Coast Mortuary Assemblage from the Logan Museum of Anthropology" (co-authored with Kylie E. Quave), *Andean Past* 13 (Accepted, forthcoming).

"How to Make an Inca Mummy: Andean Embalming, Peruvian Science, and the Collection of Empire," *Isis: A Journal of the History of Science Society*, vol. 109, no. 1 (March, 2018), pp. 1-27.

"Fair Necropolis: the Peruvian Dead, the first American Ph.D. in Anthropology, and the World's Columbian Exposition of Chicago, 1893," *History of Anthropology Newsletter* 41 (2017). <http://histanthro.org/notes/fair-necropolis/>

"A Peru of Their Own: English Grave-Opening and Indian Sovereignty in Early America," *William and Mary Quarterly*, 3<sup>rd</sup> ser., vol. 73, no. 4 (October, 2016), pp. 609-646.

### **Chapters in Edited Volumes**

"Seeing Like an Inca: Julio C. Tello, Indigenous Archaeology, and Pre-Columbian Trepanation in Peru," in Ned Blackhawk and Isaiah Wilner, eds., *Indigenous Visions: Rediscovering the World of Franz Boas* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2018), pp. 344-377.

"Marrying Utopia: Richard Eden, Mary and Philip, Richard Eden, and the English Alchemy of Spanish Peru," in Jorge Cañizares Esguerra, ed., *Entangled Empires: The Anglo-Iberian Atlantic, 1500-1830* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2018), pp. 85-104.

### **Articles in process of peer review and revision**

"Mismeasuring Incas: Samuel George Morton and a Peruvian Origin for American Skull Collecting," currently under revision for resubmission after two stages of editorial and peer review by the *American Historical Review*.

### **Articles in Preparation**

"Pocahontas II; Or, a Peruvian Mummy, an English Widow, and a Liberation Ontology of Decay."

### **Encyclopedia Entries**

"Conquests of Peru," *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Latin American History* (September, 2016).

### Book Reviews

- Miruna Achim, *From Idols to Antiquity: Forging the National Museum of Mexico* (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2017) in *Collections: A Journal for Museum & Archives Professionals* (solicited, underway).
- Nicholas A. Robins, *Santa Bárbara's Legacy: An Environmental History of Huancavelica, Peru* (Leiden: Brill, 2017) in *Hispanic American Historical Review* (solicited, underway).
- Gary Urton, *Inka History in Knots: Reading Khipu as Primary Sources* (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2017) in *Journal of Latin American Studies* (submitted, forthcoming).
- Steven Lubar, *Inside the Lost Museum: Curating, Past and Present* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2017), in *Journal of Social History*, Vol. 52, No. 4 (forthcoming: 2019).
- John W. Verano, *Holes in the Head: The Art and Archaeology of Trepanation in Ancient Peru*, with contributions by Bebel Ibarra Asencios, David Kushner, Mellisa Lund Valle, Anne R. Titelbaum, and J. Michael Williams (Washington, D.C.: Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection, 2016), in *Ethnohistory* Vol. 64, No. 4 (2017), pp. 559-560.
- Michael F. Brown, *Upriver: The Turbulent Life and Times of an Amazonian People* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2014), in *The Americas* Vol. 74, No. 4 (2017), pp. 575-576.
- Matthew James Crawford, *The Andean Wonder Drug: Cinchona Bark and Imperial Science in the Spanish Atlantic, 1630-1800* (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2016), in *Environmental History* Vol. 22, No. 3 (2017), pp. 538-540.
- Sherene Baugher and Richard F. Veit, *The Archaeology of American Cemeteries and Gravemarkers* (The University Press of Florida, 2014), in H-War, H-Net Reviews. March, 2017.  
URL: <https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=44320>
- Stefanie Gänger, *Relics of the Past: The Collecting and Study of Pre-Columbian Antiquities in Peru and Chile, 1837-1911* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2014), in *Historica* (Lima) Vol. 40, No. 2 (2016), pp. 192-196.
- Barbara Fuchs, *The Poetics of Piracy: Emulating Spain in English Literature* (University of Pennsylvania Press, 2013), in *Not Even Past* (10 November 2014):  
<http://notevenpast.org/the-poetics-of-piracy-emulating-spain-in-english-literature-by-barbara-fuchs-2013/>.

### Public History and Journalism (Selected)

- “Beyond Silverbacks: A Lost History of the Gorilla Wars,” *History of Anthropology Newsletter* blog, Clio’s Fancy, 3 April 2018.
- “As Peru Heads to the 2018 World Cup, Its Star Striker Has Three Inca Mummies to Thank,” *NewYorker.com*, Elements Blog, 13 February 2018.
- “The Racism Behind Alien Mummy Hoaxes,” *TheAtlantic.com*, 1 August 2017.
- “Mummies Take Manhattan,” *NewYorker.com*, Elements Blog, 7 April 2017.
- “Cómo fabricar una momia Inca,” *Historia Global Online*, 5 August 2016.  
<http://historiaglobalonline.com/2016/08/05/como-fabricar-una-momia-inca-por-christopher-heaney/>
- “How to Make an Inca Mummy,” *The Recipes Project*, 28 July 2016.  
<http://recipes.hypotheses.org/8092>

- “Tales of the Inca Afterlife,” *Smithsonian Journeys*, Fall 2015.
- “‘One of the Damnedest Trampling Matches You Ever Saw’: When Archaeologists Talk Trash,” *The Appendix*, Vol. 2, No. 1 (January, 2014).
- “Lucha Libro: Unpublished Peruvian Writers in Mexican Wrestling Masks Are Saving Literature for the Rest of Us,” *The Believer*, May 2013.
- Interview of Adam Hochschild: “The Imaginary Cemetery,” *The Appendix*, Vol. 1, No. 1 (December 2012).
- “Afterlife,” *The New Yorker*, May 14, 2012.
- “Houdini Escapes the Smithsonian,” *The Bigger Picture* (Smithsonian Institution Archives blog), 26 December 2011.
- “Stealing from the Incas,” Op-Ed, *The New York Times*, October 7, 2007.
- “Bonesmen: Did Yale Plunder Peru?” *The New Republic*, October 23, 2006.
- “Finders Keepers? After almost a century, Peru revives the drama of Hiram Bingham, 5,000 artifacts, and Machu Picchu” *Legal Affairs*, March/April 2006.

### **Teaching and Research Interests**

Latin American History, Colonial and Modern; Atlantic History; Native American History, North and South; History of Peru and the Andes; Race in the Americas; Early Modern Science and Indigenous Knowledge; History of Anthropology and Archaeology; Digital History; Public History; Writing History.

### **Fellowships, Grants, & Honors**

#### **External**

- 2017 Winner, Maureen Ahern Doctoral Dissertation Award in Colonial Latin American Studies, Latin American Studies Association.
- 2017 First Runner-up, Richmond F. Brown Dissertation Prize, Latin American Section (LACS) of the Southern Historical Association
- 2016-8 Barra Postdoctoral Fellow, McNeil Center for Early American Studies, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
- 2012-3 Fulbright-Hays Graduate Fellow, Lima, Peru (co-administered by Fulbright Commission of Peru, the Institute of International Education and the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation).
- 2012 Edilia and François-Auguste de Montêquin Fellowship, Society of Architectural Historians.
- 2012 Dissertation Research Fellow, Philadelphia Area Center for History of Science (PACHS).
- 2011 Smithsonian Predoctoral Fellowship, S.I. Archives, National Anthropological Archives, Washington, D.C. Advisor: Pamela Henson.
- 2011 Mellon Summer Institute in Spanish Paleography, Harry Ransom Center at UT Austin. Directed by Consuelo Varela.
- 2010 Social Science Research Council, Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship. Advisors: Stuart W. Leslie, Carla Yanni.

- 2005-6 Fulbright Student Fellowship, Cusco, Lima, Peru, administered by Fulbright Commission of Peru and the Institute of International Education.
- 2004 Latin America Collection Visiting Research Fellow, Sterling Memorial Library, Yale University.

### **Internal**

- 2017 Winner, Barnes F. Lathrop Prize for Best Dissertation, History Department of the University of Texas at Austin.
- 2016 Graduate School Dissertation Writing Fellowship, UT Austin, Spring Semester
- 2015 Summer Fellowship, UT Austin History Department.
- 2014-5 Jess Hay Endowment for Chancellor's Graduate Research Fellow, Office of Graduate Studies, UT Austin.
- 2013 Lewis J. Gould Prize for best graduate seminar paper in U.S. history, "Crania Peruviana: Samuel George Morton and the Challenge of Pre-Columbian Skulls," UT Austin History Department.
- 2009-10 Churchill Scholar, British Studies, Harry Ransom Center, UT Austin.
- 2008-15 Donald D. Harrington Graduate Fellowship and Recruitment Package, UT Austin (2008-2012, Fellowship; 2013-2015, TA-ship).
- 2003 Best Senior Essay, Latin American Studies, Yale University. "Hiram Bingham and the "Lost Treasures" of Machu Picchu: Popular Archaeology, Imagined Imperialism and National Press in the Yale Peruvian Expeditions."

### **Invited Lectures and Public Talks**

- 2018 "Utopia was Peru: Inca Sovereigns, Tudor Translators, and the First New England," Seton Hall, 22 February 2018.
- 2017 "Empire of the Living Dead: The Scientific History of Peruvian Mummies," The Wagner Free Institute of Science, Philadelphia, PA, 25 October 2017.
- 2017 "The Skull Wall: The Peruvian Dead and the Indigenous Embodiment of History at the Smithsonian, 1949-1965," Latin American & Latino Studies Program Seminar Series, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, 2 October 2017.
- 2017 "The Writing Dead? Peruvian Mummies, Mortuary Technology, and American History," Research Tea, University of Pennsylvania Library, Philadelphia, PA, 1 March 2017.
- 2016 "Peruvian Golgotha: Inca Skulls and the Samuel George Morton Collection," part of Public Classroom on Science and Race: History, Use, and Abuse at the Museum of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, 9 November 2016.
- 2016 "*Crania Peruviana*: Samuel G. Morton, Philadelphia's Incas, and an Andean Foundation for American Anthropology," McNeil Center for Early American Studies Friday Seminar, Philadelphia, PA, 4 November 2016.
- 2016 "How to Make an Inca Mummy: Inventing a Science of Global Antiquity and Vanishing the Sovereign Peruvian Dead, 1532-1792," History and Sociology of Science Workshop Series, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, 10 October 2016.

- 2015 “The Pre-Columbian Exchange; Syphilis, and the Global History of Indigenous Science,” History and Philosophy of Science Working Group, UT Austin, September 2015.
- 2012 Museo de Arqueología y Antropología de San Marcos, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos, Lima, Peru. “Más Allá de Machu Picchu: Las Expediciones de Hiram Bingham desde la perspectiva de Julio C. Tello.”
- 2012 Penn Cultural Heritage Center, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. “The Resurrectionists’: Machu Picchu, Early Twentieth Century Americanist Archaeology, and the Creation of Peruvian Cultural Patrimony Law.”
- 2011 Program in Cultural Heritage and Preservation Studies, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ. “Hiram Bingham and the Kingdom of Lost Inca Skulls: Machu Picchu, Archaeological Repatriation, and the Ownership of Indigenous Remains in an International Context.”
- 2011 National Geographic *Live!* National Geographic Society, Washington, D.C. “Cradle of Gold: Hiram Bingham and the Revelation of Machu Picchu.”
- 2011 The Metropolitan Club, Washington, D.C. “Hiram Bingham and the Return of Machu Picchu’s Dead.”
- 2010 International Week, Rider College, Lawrenceville, N.J. Keynote Speaker, “Hiram Bingham, Machu Picchu, and the Responsibilities of Exchange.”
- 2010 Texas Book Festival, Austin, TX. “Cradle of Gold: Hiram Bingham and Machu Picchu.”
- 2010 Fulbright Commission, Lima, Peru. “Cradle of Gold: Hiram Bingham and Machu Picchu.”

### **Invited Panels and Colloquia**

- 2018 “Unwilling Travelers: The Peruvian Dead and the Mummification of Early American History,” panel on Vagrancy, Exploration, Circulation: Indigenous Mobility and the Repeopling of the Americas, Omohundro Institute 24th Annual Conference, Williamsburg, VA, 14 June 2018.
- 2018 “Death of the Object: or, the “Inherent Corruption” of a Peruvian Mummy and the Microhistory of Things,” panel on Thinking with Objects: New Directions in Social and Cultural History, American Historical Association (AHA) Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 6 January 2018.
- 2017 “Dead Archives: Inca Bodies as Shared Founding Texts of Peru,” Writing Across Cultures in the Early Modern World Workshop, University of California, Santa Cruz, 5 October 2017.
- 2017 Paper Discussant, “Thinking Andean Studies Through Bolivian History,” 2017 Thinking Andean Studies Conference, University of Pennsylvania, 11 February 2017.
- 2016 Panel on “Geography, Culture, and Race,” Class 4 of the Public Classroom on Science and Race: History, Use, and Abuse at the Museum of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, 9 November 2016.
- 2016 “The Pre-Columbian Exchange: Indigenous History and the History of Science,” panel on The Transformation of Global History, 1963-1975, American Historical Association (AHA) Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, January 2016.

- 2015 “Crania Peruviana: American Phrenology and the Challenge of the Pre-Columbian Andes,” *Phrenology, Anthropometry, and Craniology: Historical and Global Perspectives*, Clarkson University, August 2015
- 2014 “Books of the Bravos: Spanish Manuals of Conquest in England Before Roanoke,” *Entangled Histories of the Early Modern British and Iberian Empires and their Successor Republics*, Austin, TX. Nov. 2014
- 2014 “The Appendix: Digital Publishing and the New ‘New Narrative History,’” *Publishing History Digitally: New Formats, New Audiences, and New Challenges*, AHA Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., January, 2014
- 2012 “Machu Picchu at 100: Hiram Bingham, Peruvian Archaeology, and the Afterlives of the Inka Dead,” *Millsaps College Friday Forum: Archaeological Conquests of Peru and Mexico*, Jackson, MI, February 2012.
- 2011 “Más Allá de Machu Picchu: La Expedición de Yale y Colaboración Arqueológica en el Perú entre Uhle y Tello (Beyond Machu Picchu: The Yale Expedition and Archaeological Collaboration in Peru between Uhle and Tello),” *Descubriendo Machu Picchu*, Biblioteca Nacional del Perú, Lima, June 2011.

### **Presentations at Conferences and Colloquia**

- 2018 “La colección de los muertos peruanos y la historia de ciencia en el extranjero, entre Garcilaso y Tello,” *Workshop on the History of Science and Health in Peru and about Peru*, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, Lima, 22-23 June 2018
- 2018 “Mummifying America: Inca Bodies and U.S. Museums, 1800-1850,” *Entangled Histories: Making New Connections in Early America, c. 1750–1850 Conference*, Philadelphia, 6 April 2018
- 2017 Panel Organizer, “Culture’s Laboratory: New Histories of Anthropology in Peru and South America,” *Latin American Studies Association Annual Conference*, Lima, Peru, 30 April 2017.
- 2017 “Artificial deformations: “Ancient Peruvian” skulls and the unstable Andean beginnings of 19th century physical anthropology,” *Latin American Studies Association Annual Conference*, Lima, Peru, 29 April 2017.
- 2017 “San Martín’s Inca: Translating Peruvian Mummies in the Age of Revolution,” *LAGLOBAL Symposium “Collect and Display: Subjects and Objects of New World Knowledge,” Museo de América, Madrid, Spain, 5-7 April 2017.*
- 2017 “Huayna Capac’s Hand: Making Inca Mummies, and Making Mummies Inca, in the Early Modern Atlantic World, 1532-1749,” panel on Mummies, Drugs, and Sexual Energy: Knowing, Collecting, and Preserving Nature in the 16<sup>th</sup>-Century Spanish Americas, *American Historical Association (AHA) Annual Meeting*, Denver, CO, 7 January 2017.
- 2017 Chair of panel, “Anthropology and the Andes, 1910–45: New Critical Histories,” *Conference on Latin American History at the American Historical Association (AHA) Annual Meeting*, Denver, CO, 6 January 2017.
- 2016 “Huayna Capac’s Hand: Making Inca Mummies, and Making Mummies Inca, in the Early Modern Atlantic World, 1532-1749/La Mano de Huayna Capac: cómo momificar Incas, e incanizar momias, en el mundo atlántico 1532-1749,” *9<sup>th</sup> World*

- Congress on Mummy Studies, Lima, Peru, 12 August 2016.
- 2016 “The Study and Circulation of Peruvian Mummies in the Atlantic World and Americas, 1790-1893,” 9<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Mummy Studies, Lima, Peru, 12 August 2016.
- 2015 “From Malquis to Mummies: Balsam and the Preservation of Inka History,” The Southwest Seminar: Consortium on Colonial Latin America, Texas State University, San Marcos, October 2015.
- 2015 “The Pre-Columbian Exchange; or Crosby, Syphilis, and Peruvian Trepanation, Revisited,” The Transformation of Global History, 1963-1975, Princeton University, 9-10 October 2015.
- 2014 “Julio C. Tello and Indigenous Archaeology in Peru and North America,” Society for American Archaeology, Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April. 2014.
- 2014 “The Mismeasure of (Peruvian) Man: The Collection of Pre-Columbian Crania and Mummies in the Americas, 1820-1920,” Fields of Inquiry Graduate Student Conference (co-funded by the Social Sciences Research Council), University of California at Berkeley. March, 2014.
- 2014 “Mummy Exodus: the North American collection of the pre-Columbian Andean dead, 1875-1929, and the Peruvian legal response,” AHA annual meeting, Washington, D.C., Jan, 2014.
- 2012 “Crania Peruviana: Samuel George Morton and the Challenge of Pre-Columbian Skulls.” Organization of American Historians (OAH) annual meeting, Milwaukee, WI, April 2012.
- 2011 “Grave Expectations: Sir Walter Raleigh and English Tomb-Raiding in the Early Modern Iberian Atlantic.” AHA annual meeting, Boston, MA, January 2011.
- 2010 “The Gold Eaters: Grave-Robbing, Treasure and the Law in 16<sup>th</sup> Century Peru,” Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin American Studies (RMCLAS) annual meeting, Boulder, CO. April, 2010.

### **Teaching**

- 2017 Death in the Americas: Mortuary Encounter and Transformation, 1491-1893, HIST 233-403, Dept. of History, University of Pennsylvania. Fall, 2017.
- 2016 Introduction to Latin American and Latino Studies, HIST 072, Dept. of History, University of Pennsylvania. Fall, 2016.
- 2015 Latin American Civilization: The Colonial Experience, HIS 346K, Dept. of History, UT Austin. Fall, 2015.
- 2015 Supplemental Instructor for Erika Bsumek, Building America: Engineering Society and Culture, 1868-1980, UT Austin. Spring, 2015.
- 2014 Supplemental Instructor for H.W. Brands, The Past, Present and Future of American Foreign Policy, UT Austin. Fall, 2014.
- 2014 Teaching Assistant for Lina del Castillo, Modern Latin American History, UT Austin. Spring, 2014.
- 2013 Teaching Assistant for Erika Bsumek, Native American History, UT Austin. Fall, 2013.



- 2013 “The *Other* Other September 11<sup>th</sup>: Peru, the Shining Path, and a Mutated Latin American Left,” Guest Lecture for Julia Rahe, Modern Latin American History, UT Austin. November 2013.
- 2013 “Ishi’s Brain: Anthropology, the ‘Vanishing’ Indian, and Indian Boarding Schools,” Guest Lecture for Erika Bsumek, Native American History, UT Austin. October 2013.
- 2013 “The Inca Empire and The Conquest of Peru,” Guest Lecture for Seth Garfield, Key Issues & Ideas in Latin America, UT Austin. September, 2013.
- 2012 “The Transmigration of Skulls: Peruvian Mummies and the Smithsonian,” Guest Lecture for Erika Bsumek, Native American History, UT Austin. February, 2012.

### **Digital Humanities Initiatives**

- 2015-7 Co-Founder and Co-Editor, *Backlist*, a web publication for historian-curated lists of recommended introductions to particular historical topics.
- 2012-16 Co-Founder, Editor-in-Chief (2012-2014), Editor-At-Large (2014-2016), *The Appendix: A New Journal of Narrative and Experimental History* [theappendix.net], an online quarterly of innovative historical writing, digital humanities, and historical debate.

### **Professional Memberships**

American Historical Association  
 Council for Latin American History  
 History of Science Society  
 Latin American Studies Association  
 Latin American and Caribbean Studies Section, Southern Historical Association

### **Manuscript Reviews**

Oxford University Press	<i>American Anthropologist</i>
University of Chicago Press	<i>Bulletin of Latin American Research</i>
University of Texas Press	<i>Ethnohistory</i>
	<i>History of Science</i>

### **Professional Service**

- 2018-9 Co-Organizer, 2019 Conference for the American Society for Ethnohistory, State College, PA.
- 2018 Commentator, Manuscript Workshop for Jeremy Zallen, *American Lucifers*, McNeil Center for Early American Studies, May 2018.
- 2018 Member, Tibesar Prize Committee 2018, Conference on Latin American History, for best article in *The Americas* for 2017.
- 2018 Member, Prize Committee, Latin American Studies Association Colonial Section: Best Journal Article from a Junior Scholar.
- 2016-7 Member, 2017-2019 Barra Postdoctoral Fellow Search Committee, McNeil Center

- for Early American Studies.
- 2014 Co-Organizer, Entangled Histories of the Early Modern British and Iberian Empires and their Successor Republics conference, UT Austin. November, 2014.
- 2014 Graduate Student Representative to Professorship Hiring Committee, History Department, UT Austin, January 2014.
- 2013 Discussion Leader, “Cultural Property and Reclamation,” *Engaging Academia: A Spotlight on Public Scholarship* (workshop), Office and Research and Graduate Studies, UT Austin. December 2013.
- 2012-3 Investigador Afiliado, Programa de Estudios Andinos, la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, Lima.
- 2012 Judge, Texas History Day, Digital History, Lyndon Baines Johnson Museum, Austin, TX. May 4-5, 2012.
- 2011 Judge, Texas History Day, High School Individual Research Paper Division, Lyndon Baines Johnson Museum, Austin, TX. May 6-7, 2011.
- 2011 Judge, Central Texas History Day, Middle School Documentary Division, Lyndon Baines Johnson Museum, Austin, TX. Feb. 19, 2011.
- 2010-1 Co-Chair, History Graduate Council, UT Austin.
- 2010 Investigador Afiliado, Instituto Riva-Agüero, la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, Lima. Jun.-Jul. 2010.
- 2009-10 Co-Chair, Distinguished Speaker Series in Latin American History, UT Austin.
- 2009- Member, American Historical Association. Council on Latin American History.
- 2005-6 Investigador Afiliado, Centro Bartolomé de las Casas, Cusco, Peru.

### **Public History Service**

- 2016 Submitted a position paper in support of renewal of the Memorandum of Understanding with the Republic of Peru Under the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act, for meeting of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee of the Cultural Heritage Center of the U.S. Department of State, Washington, Fall, 2016.
- 2014 TX World History Textbook Reviewer, Texas Freedom Network, Austin, TX, Reviewed Proposed High School World History Textbooks in advance of their consideration for recommendation by the TX State Board of Education. Reviewed for signs of religious and economic bias in world history, as well as portrayals of pre-Columbian exchange, slavery, and indigenous history. June-September 2014.
- 2012 Presented Position Paper, “Support of the Renewal of a Memorandum of Understanding with the Republic of Peru Under the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act, with emphasis upon the Yale-Machu Picchu Dispute” for meeting of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee of the Cultural Heritage Center of the U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C. 18 January, 2012.

### **Languages**

English: Native.

Spanish: Advanced Reading, Writing, and Good Speaking Abilities.

Portuguese: Reading Knowledge, some speaking.

### **Professional Affiliations**

American Historical Association

Conference on Latin American History

History of Science Society

Latin American Studies Association

Southern Historical Association, Latin American and Caribbean Section

### **Impact of Research/Press Coverage of Work**

- 2018 Daniel A. Gross, “The Casual Colonialism of Lara Croft and Indiana Jones,” *Hyperallergic*, 6 April 2018
- 2018 Sarah Zhang, “The Controversial Study of a Girl Who Ufologists Called ‘Alien,’” *The Atlantic*, 29 March 2018
- 2013 “*The Appendix*: Experimental Journal Showcases History of the Arcane,” *Life & Letters*, 24 May 2013.
- 2012 Interview re: Peruvian publication of *Las Tumbas de Machu Picchu*, *La Republica* (Peru), “Un millón de libros” blog, 3 December 2012.
- 2011 Interviewed by Ramona Koval on *Cradle of Gold* for *The Book Show*, Australian Broadcasting Corporation, 21 July 2011.
- 2010 Interviewed by Diane Orson, “Yale Returns Machu Picchu Artifacts to Peru,” *All Things Considered*, National Public Radio, 15 December 2010.
- 2008 Guest for hour-long conversation on Hiram Bingham and Machu Picchu, *On Point with Tom Ashbrook*, National Public Radio, 9 May 2008.
- 2006 Quoted source for articles on Yale-Machu Picchu dispute in *The Christian Science Monitor*, *USA TODAY*, *La República* (Lima, Peru), and the *Yale Daily News*.

### **Relevant Employment Experience**

- 2011 Research Assistant for Professor Greg Grandin, New York University.
- 2005-6 Research Assistant for Professors Gilbert Joseph and Patricia Pessar, Yale University.
- 2005 Oral History Facilitator, StoryCorps/Sound Portraits Productions, Brooklyn, NY, Feb-Aug. 2005.
- 2003-4 Reporter/Associate Editor, *Latin America Advisor*, The Inter-American Dialogue, Washington, DC.

### **Research Undertaken at Archives and Museum**

#### *Peru*

- Archivo del Museo Nacional de Arqueología, Antropología y Historia, Lima.
- Archivo del Museo de Arqueología y Antropología, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos (UNMSM), Lima.
- Biblioteca de la Facultad de Medicina de San Fernando, UNMSM, Lima.
- Archivo General de la Nación, Lima.
- Archivo, Biblioteca Nacional, Lima.
- Archivo de Luis E. Valcárcel, Instituto Nacional de Cultura, Lima.
- Archivo del Instituto Riva-Agüero, Lima.
- Archivo Regional de la Libertad, Trujillo.

- Archivo Regional del Cusco, Cusco.
  - Archivo del Centro de Estudios Regionales Andinos Bartolomé de las Casas, Cusco.
  - Archivo del Museo Inka, Cusco.
  - Archivo Municipal del Cusco, Cusco.
- Spain.*
- Archivo General de Indias, Sevilla (at distance).
  - Museo de América, Archives, Madrid

*United Kingdom*

- National Archives, Kew Gardens, London.
- London Metropolitan Archives, London.
- Essex Records Office, Chelmsford,
- Manuscripts and Archives, National Library of Scotland, Edinburgh (at distance).
- Royal Geographic Society Archives, London (at distance).

*United States*

- Smithsonian Institution (SI) Archives, Washington, D.C.
- Archives of American Art, SI, Washington, D.C.
- National Museum of Natural History (NMNH) Branch Library, SI, Washington, D.C.
- Hrdlička Library, NMNH, Washington, D.C.
- Physical Anthropology Collection, NMNH, Suitland, MD.
- National Anthropological Archives, NMNH, Suitland, MD.
- U.S. National Archives, College Park, MD.

- Archives, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
- National Geographic Society Archives, Washington, D.C.
- Academy of Natural Sciences Archive, Philadelphia.
- American Philosophical Society, Philadelphia.
- College of Physicians of Philadelphia, Philadelphia.
- Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
- Library Company of Philadelphia, Philadelphia.
- University of Pennsylvania Museum, Philadelphia.
- Physical Anthropology Collection, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
- Princeton University Rare Books and Special Collections, Princeton.
- Rockefeller Archive Center, Sleepy Hollow.
- American Museum of Natural History Archives, New York.
- Manuscripts & Archives, Yale University, New Haven.
- Harvard University Archives, Cambridge.
- Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- Center for the History of Medicine Archives, Countway Library of Medicine, Harvard University, Boston.
- American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, MA (at distance).

**References**

- Jorge Cañizares-Esguerra  
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