

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

Ph.D., History, The University of British Columbia (in progress)

M.A., History, The University of British Columbia, 2015

B.A. (Hons.), History, The University of British Columbia, 2013

### Research Interests

Early medieval Europe; Carolingian political and ecclesiastical culture; Augustine of Hippo; intellectual history; political theology; Church history; textual reception; Patristics and Late Antiquity; time/temporality; authorship; authority; canon law and the construction of orthodoxy

### Publications

#### Articles

“An Authority among Authorities: Knowledge and Use of Augustine in the Wider Carolingian World.” *Early Medieval Europe* 28.4 (2020), pp. 532–559.

“Sharers in the Contemplative Virtue: Julianus Pomerius's Carolingian Audience.” *Comitatus* 45 (2014), pp. 1-44.

“Visions of Youth: Subjective Maternal Perception in Dhuoda's *Liber Manualis*.” *The Atlas* 8 (2013), pp. 14-25.

## Book Reviews

Review of Martin Goodman, *Josephus's The Jewish War: A Biography, H-War* (2021).

Review of Rutger Kramer, *Rethinking Authority in the Carolingian Empire: Ideals and Expectations during the Reign of Louis the Pious (813-828)*, *Early Medieval Europe* 29.1 (2021), pp. 116–119.

Review of K. Patrick Fazioli, *The Mirror of the Medieval: An Anthropology of the Western Historical Imagination*, *Francia-Recensio* 2018/1.

Review of Nancy Mandeville Caciola, *Afterlives: The Return of the Dead in the Middle Ages*, *Comitatus* 48 (2017), pp. 196–1999.

Review of *Law, Rulership, and Rhetoric: Selected Essays of Robert L. Benson*, ed. Loren J. Weber, in collaboration with Giles Constable and Richard H. Rouse, *Comitatus* 46 (2015), pp. 258-260.

Review of *Faithful Narratives: Historians, Religion, and the Challenge of Objectivity*, eds. Andrea Sterk and Nina Caputo, *Comitatus* 46 (2015), pp. 231-233.

Review of George E. Demacopoulos, *The Invention of Peter: Apostolic Discourse and Papal Authority in Late Antiquity*, *Comitatus* 45 (2014), pp. 233-236.

## Conference Presentations

“*Tempora periculosa, dies mali*: Tyconius, Augustine, and Their Carolingian Readers’ Responses to Pauline Eschatology,” delivered at the 45<sup>th</sup> annual UBC Medieval Workshop: “Theologies of the Political: From Augustine to Agamben, and Beyond,” Vancouver, BC, 29 March, 2019.

“How ‘Augustinian’ Was the ‘Carolingian World?’”, delivered as part of the panel “Living in the Carolingian World,” at the 53<sup>rd</sup> annual International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, Mich., 10 May, 2018.

## Academic Appointments

**Instructor, The University of British Columbia, Department of History:**

Uses of the Past and the Perception of Golden Ages (HIST 490B) – Term 1, Fall 2020.

**Teaching Assistant, The University of British Columbia, Department of History:**

Medieval Jewish History (HIST 341) – Term 2, Spring 2021.

World History from 1500 to the Twentieth Century (HIST 102) – Terms 1–2, Fall/Spring 2020-21

World History from 1500 to the Twentieth Century (HIST 102) – Terms 1–2, Fall/Spring 2019-20

World History from 1500 to the Twentieth Century (HIST 102) – Terms 1-2, Fall/Spring 2018-19

History of Europe (HIST 220A) – Term 2, Spring 2018

Topics in World History: The Global Gandhi (HIST 104) – Term 1, Fall 2017

History of Europe (HIST 220A) – Term 2, Spring 2017

World History to Oceanic Contact (HIST 101) – Terms 1-2, Fall/Spring 2014-15

Topics in World History: Global History of Disease (HIST 104) – Term 2, Spring 2013

**Course Assistant, New York University, Department of History:**

World War II (HIST-UA 45) – Term 2, Spring 2016

Espionage and the Making of the Modern World (HIST-UA 94) – Term 1, Fall 2015

**Research Assistant, The University of British Columbia, Department of History:**

Research Assistant to Prof. Sebastian Prange, 2020. Research for the medieval section of an upcoming monograph on “Outlaw Economics.”

Research Assistant to Prof. Courtney Booker, Department of History, 2019. Assistance with collating a medieval manuscript.

Research Assistant to Prof. Courtney Booker, Department of History, 2017–18. Project collaborator on the creation of an electronic database of early modern (ca. 1500–1800) authors’ copies (*Handexemplars*).

Research Assistant to Prof. Courtney Booker, Department of History, 2016–17. Assistance with English translation of Henri-Xavier Arquillière's *L'augustinisme politique. Essai sur la formation des théories politiques du Moyen Âge*.

Research Assistant to Prof. Richard Pollard, Department of History, 2013–14. "The Latin Josephus Project": <https://sites.google.com/site/latinjosephus/>.

Research Assistant to Prof. Leslie Paris, Department of History, 2012–13. Assistance with historical project on cloth-diapering subculture.

### **Other contributions**

Coordinator & Research Assistant to Prof. Tara Mayer, assistance in planning and organizing the international research roundtable "Visual Literacy: Seeing, Making, and Reading Images Across the Disciplines," held at the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Study, UBC, 23–25 October, 2019.

Co-organizer of the 45<sup>th</sup> annual UBC Medieval Workshop: "Theologies of the Political: From Augustine to Agamben, and Beyond," Vancouver, BC, 29–30 March, 2019.

### **Fellowships, Awards, Grants**

Orville Lloyd Wilmot Memorial Scholarship in History, 2020

President's Academic Excellence Initiative PhD Award (UBC), 2020

David W. Strangway Fellowship, 2019

UBC History Department Teaching Assistant Award, 2019

Conway Summer Travel Scholarship in German History, 2019

UBC Graduate Student Research Award, 2019

Department of History (UBC) Summer Research and Writing Fellowship, 2019

Josephine T. Berthier Fellowship, 2018

David W. Strangway Fellowship, 2018

Department of History (UBC) M.A. Thesis Award, for best thesis in cohort, 2015

SSHRC Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship, 2013

J.H. Stewart Reid Medal and Prize in Honours History, for best thesis in cohort, 2013

Fritz Lehmann Memorial Prize in History, 2012

**Language Proficiency**

**Reading knowledge of:**

Latin

German

French

Old English (basic)