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Curriculum Vitae

CONTACT

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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Benedictine University, Distinguished Visiting Professor of Values-Driven Leadership
(2016 – present)

The University of Victoria, Adjunct Professor of Environmental Studies (2015 – present)

The University of Alberta, Associate Professor (2012 – 2016; part time from 2013-2016)

The University of Alberta, Assistant Professor (2008 - 2012)

EDUCATION

The Johns Hopkins University (Ph.D. in History, 2007)

University of Washington (B.A. in The Comparative History of Ideas, 2003)

University of Southern California (1998-1999)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Victoria (2015 – present)

The Environmental History of the Past Ten Years
Capitalism, Sustainability, and Justice
The Organics Movement: Local Perspectives
Introduction to Human Dimensions of Climate Change
Sustainability in Historical Perspective (history of climate change, urban
sustainability, ecological economics, development of ecology)
Field Course in High Amazon Peru on society, soils, and climate change
Pre-Colombian Indigenous Permaculture in High Amazon Peru

University of Alberta (2008 - 2016)

Selected courses taught:

The History of Environmental Consciousness
The History, Discourse, and Practice of Sustainability
Urban History: The History of Paris
Applied Research
Historical Theory, Methods, and Public History (digital historical installations)
The European Enlightenment (cultural, scientific, intellectual)
World History: Global Encounters, 1450-1800 (trans-cultural contacts)
Graduate Seminars on Scientific Revolution and Enlightenment
Graduate Seminars on historical theory and research methods

Johns Hopkins University Teaching Assistant (2004 - 2007)

University of Washington Undergraduate Teaching Assistant (2001 - 2002)

ADDITIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Benedictine University, Values-Driven Leadership Program, (2016, 2018)
-- Run intensive, weekend-long seminar on business and sustainability

Pacific Rim College, Professional Development (2016, 2017)
-- Taught several courses on starting and operating a small business, using the Business Model Canvas (BMC) program

BOOKS and HANDBOOKS

One Level at a Time: Transitioning to Organic Vegetable Production (Ottawa: Canadian Organic Growers, 2018)

Sustainability: A History (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2014)

- Paperback edition (OUP, 2016)
- Spanish translation (Editorial Tirant Humanidades, 2017)

The Enlightenment in Practice: Academic Prize Contests and Intellectual Culture in France, 1670-1794 (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2012)

EDITED BOOKS

Editor, *Routledge Handbook of the History of Sustainability* (Routledge, 2018)

RESEARCH PROJECTS IN PROGRESS

Working title: "Local is Not Enough: Why Organics Matter" (forthcoming)

Working Title: "Leadership in the Age of Global Warming" (forthcoming)

ARTICLES and BOOK CHAPTERS

"Introduction: The History of Sustainability," in *Routledge Handbook of the History of Sustainability* (Routledge, 2018), pp.3-5

"Sustainability: A New Historiography," in *Routledge Handbook of the History of Sustainability* (Routledge, 2018), pp.9-25

"Rethinking the History of Agriculture with Sustainability in Mind," in *Routledge Handbook of the History of Sustainability* (Routledge, 2018), pp.404-408

"The Regenerated Chacra of the Kichwa-Lamistas: An Alternative to Permaculture?," *AlterNative: An International Journal*, vol. 14, issue 1 (March 2018).
doi.org/10.1177/1177180117740708

"An Incompatible Couple: A Critical History of Economic Growth and Sustainable Development," in *The History of the Future of Economic Growth: Historical Roots of Current Debates on Sustainable Degrowth*, eds. Matthias Schmelzer and Iris Borowy (Routledge, 2017), Ch.7

"The Historiography of Sustainability: An Emergent Subfield," *Economic and Ecohistory* Vol. 11 (2015), pp.7-18.

"Roundtable Discussion Conclusion," *Eighteenth-Century Studies* Vol. 49, no. 1 (2015), pp.87-88

"There Was no Counter-Enlightenment," *Eighteenth-Century Studies* Vol. 49, no. 1 (2015), pp. 51-69

"Conservationism *Avant la Lettre*? Public Essay Competitions on Forestry and Deforestation in Eighteenth-Century France," in an edited volume called *Invaluable Trees: Cultures of Nature, 1660-1830* (SVEC, 2012), pp.39-54.

"Public Opinion, Intellectuals, and Academic Prize Contests in Eighteenth-Century France," *The Irish Journal of French Studies*, special edition on 'Intellectuals and Public Opinion: A Transhistorical Perspective,' No.10 (2010 [2011]), pp.39-59

"Grub Street and Suicide: A View from the Literary Press in late Eighteenth-Century France," *Journal for Eighteenth-Century Studies* vol.33, no.1 (March 2010), pp.23-36

“Prendre part au siècle des Lumières: Le concours académique et la culture intellectuelle au XVIII^e siècle en France,” *Annales. Histoire, Sciences Sociales*, vol.64, n.3 (mai-juin 2009), pp.633-662

“The Monarchy of Virtue: The *Prix de Vertu* and the Economy of Emulation in France, 1777-1791,” *Eighteenth-Century Studies*, vol.41, no.4 (2008), pp.443-458.

“The Death of Duty: The Transformation of Political Identity from the Old Regime to the French Revolution,” *Historical Reflections/Réflexions historiques*, vol.32, n.2 (2006), pp.273-307

OTHER WRITINGS

“Organic Agriculture is Going Mainstream, But Not the Way You Think It Is,” The Conversation Canada (<https://theconversation.com/organic-agriculture-is-going-mainstream-but-not-the-way-you-think-it-is-92156>), April, 2018

“The Environmental History of the Past Ten Years,” NiCHE (<http://niche-canada.org>), February, 2018

“How Old is Agriculture? (And Just What is Agriculture)?,” History News Network (historynewsnetwork.org), 6 December 2016

“How to Talk about Climate Change in the Age of Trump,” *resilience.org*, 22 November 2016

“The ‘Non-GMO’ Label Doesn’t Go Far Enough: Taking Stock of GMOs and Glyphosate,” *resilience.org*, 29 September 2016

“Sustainable Partying: The Rise of the Toonie Party,” op-ed in *Saanich News*, 5 March 2016

“10 Successes of the Sustainability Movement to Date,” *resilience.org*, 11 September 2015

“Plenty of Common Ground on Climate Debate,” op-ed in *Times Colonist*, 25 June 2015

“A Call to Look Past an Ecomodernist Manifesto: A Degrowth Critique.” Lead author with over fifteen co-authors, published on *resilience.org*, 6 May 2015

“Awareness of Climate Change Seems Like a Modern Preoccupation. It Isn’t,” History News Network (historynewsnetwork.org), 21 September 2014

“Is ‘Progress’ Good for Humanity? Rethinking the Narrative of Economic Development, with Sustainability in Mind,” *The Atlantic* (theatlantic.com), 9 September 2014

BOOK REVIEWS

Melinda H. Benson and Robin K. Craig, *The End of Sustainability: Resilience and the Future of Environmental Governance in the Anthropocene* (forthcoming, *Sustainability Studies*, 2018)

Charles Rearick, *Paris Dreams, Paris Memories: The City and Its Mystique in History: Reviews of New Books* (2014) 42 (4): 137-138

G. Matthew Adkins, *The Idea of the Sciences in the French Enlightenment: A Reinterpretation* on h-net.org (March, 2014)

Jeffrey Freedman, *Books Without Borders in Enlightenment Europe: French Cosmopolitanism and German Literary Markets* (H-France, 2014)

Simon Burrows, Mark Curran, et. al., Database called "The French Book Trade in Enlightenment Europe, 1769-1794: Mapping the Trade of the Société Typographique de Neuchâtel" in *French History* (2013)

John C. O'Neal, *The Progressive Poetics of Confusion in the French Enlightenment in French History* (2012) 26 (3): 428-429.

Andrew S. Curran, *The Anatomy of Blackness: Science and Slavery in an Age of Enlightenment* on www.h-france.net, Vol. 7, Issue 4 (Fall 2012), No. 4, pp. 44-46

Franck Salaün and Jean-Pierre Schandeler, eds., *Entre belles-lettres et disciplines: les savoirs au XVIIIe siècle* in *French Studies: A Quarterly Review* (October 2012), 66 (4), pp. 564-565

Ethel Groffier, *Un encyclopédiste réformateur: Jacques Peuchet (1758-1830)* on www.h-france.net, Vol. 11 (October 2011), No. 219: 1-4.

Adrian Velicu, *Civic Catechism and Reason in the French Revolution* on www.h-France.net, Vol. 11 (July 2011), No. 154: 1-3.

Tom Ambrose, *Godfather of the Revolution: The Life of Philippe Égalité, Duc d'Orléans in History: Reviews of New Books* in *History: Reviews of New Books*, vol.38, n.3 (July 2010): 104-105

Daniel Brewer, *The Enlightenment Past: Reconstructing Eighteenth-Century French Thought* in *Eighteenth-Century Life*, vol.34, n.3 (2010): 17-22

B.G. Garnham, ed., *The Intellectual Background of the French Revolution: Original Texts of Les Idéologues, 1789-1825 with an Interpretive Commentary in European History Quarterly* 40 (2010): 136-137

Vincent Denis, *Une histoire de l'identité: France, 1715-1815* in *French History*, vol. 22, n.4 (December 2008): 494-495

Ursula Gaskins Gonthier, ed., *Opinion, Voltaire, Nature et culture* on www.h-france.net, vol.8, n.145 (November 2008): 589-594

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND SEMINARS

“Measuring Sustainability: Making a Once-Ambiguous Concept More Concrete,” Stavros Niarchos Foundation conference in Athens, Greece (June, 2015)

“The Historiography of Sustainability,” America Society for Environmental History (March, 2015)

Comments for panel on “Communicating Enlightenment: Debate, Discussion, and Diffusion of Knowledge within Eighteenth-Century Information Networks,” American Historical Association (January, 2014)

“Enlightenment-versus-Counter-Enlightenment: A Problematic Binary,” European History Colloquium at the University of Alberta (November, 2013)

“The Counter-Enlightenment Reconsidered: The Example of Academic Prize Contests in Eighteenth-Century France,” Symposium at the University of Reading on Academic Culture and the Culture of Academic Competitions in Early Modern Europe (April, 2013)

Comments for panel on “Concepts of Duty in the Eighteenth-Century and Revolutionary France,” Western Society for French History (November, 2011)

“Conservationism *Avant la Lettre?* Public Essay Competitions on Forestry and Deforestation in Eighteenth-Century France,” European History Colloquium at the University of Alberta (April, 2010)

“Grub Street and Suicide: A View from the Literary Press in Late Eighteenth-Century Paris,” European History Colloquium at the University of Alberta (September, 2008) and Western Society for French History conference (November, 2008)

“Prize Competitions and the Decline of Intellectual Pluralism in the French Revolution,” Society for French Historical Studies conference (April, 2008)

“The Monarchy of Virtue: The *Prix de Vertu* of Late Eighteenth-Century France,” American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies (March, 2007)

“Concours académiques et question sociale: les enjeux de l’alphabétisation populaire,” seminar at l’École normale supérieure (April, 2006)

“The Participatory Enlightenment: The Case of the *Concours Académique*,” Society for French Historical Studies conference (April, 2006)

STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Lamas, Peru. “Sustainable Ecology in High Amazon Peru: Pre-Colombian Indigenous Permaculture” (forthcoming, May of 2016)

PUBLIC LECTURES (*selected*)

“Transition to Organic Agriculture in Canada, 1940s – Present: Challenging Received Narratives,” University of Victoria (March, 2018)

“Terra Preta and Biochar: From Amazonia to Vancouver Island,” University of Victoria (October, 2016)

“Choosing Growth: The Early Identity of Sustainable Development.” University of Victoria (January, 2016)

“Can Meat be Sustainable?” Health, Wellness, and Sustainability Festival. Victoria, B.C. (February, 2015)

“Sustainability in Historical Perspective.” Vancouver Public Library (January, 2015)

“Economic Growth: The History of a Troubled Idea.” University of Victoria (January, 2015)

“The History of Sustainability: A Local Perspective.” Belfry Theatre, Victoria, B.C. (November, 2014)

TRANSLATIONS

Translation from French: Antoine Lilti, “Sociability and *Mondanité*: Men of Letters in the Parisian Salons of the Eighteenth Century,” in *The Enlightenment*, ed. D. McMahon & R.P. Hanley (Routledge, 2010), vol.3, pp.212-241

Translation from French (with David A. Bell): Antoine Lilti, “The Writing of Paranoia: Jean-Jacques Rousseau and the Paradoxes of Celebrity,” Johns Hopkins University Dept. Seminar, 26 March 2007 (*Representations*, vol. 103, n. 1 (2008), pp. 53–83)

Translation from French: Voltaire, “Histoire,” Chevalier de Jaucourt, “Devoir,” and other articles for the Encyclopédie Collaborative Translation Project, on-line at www.hti.umich.edu/d/did (2004-2006)

SCHOLARLY SERVICE and LEADERSHIP

Member, BA in Environmental Studies Committee, University of Alberta (2012 - 2015)

- Played central role in creating the structure of this new interdisciplinary BA program
- Helped develop the new streams of the program
- Recruited instructors to teach within the program
- Advised undergraduates on the program

Member, Office of Sustainability Academic Advisory Committee (2011 - 2015)

- Co-authored University-level documents on the U. of A's sustainability plan
- Co-led successful effort to set up a Certificate in Sustainability
- Worked on internal reporting for STARS report for AASHE
- Liaised with academic and facilities management in an effort to coordinate campus sustainability initiatives
- Advised students on sustainability-related courses
- Worked on a variety of campus sustainability initiatives

Member, Urban Agricultural Research Network (2013 - 2015)

- Provide historical contexts and frameworks for contemporary work in urban agriculture in Edmonton and elsewhere

Co-Chair, The European History Colloquium: Metropoles and Colonies, University of Alberta (2008-present)

Co-founder, Baltimore Biodiesel Co-op (2006-2007)

- Served as secretary for the co-op, which created a biodiesel fueling station

Campaign organizer, Baltimore City Green Party (2006-2007)

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTING, WORKSHOPS, and OTHER TEACHING

Pacific Rim College, 2016

- Taught two courses on running a values-based business

Benedictine University, PhD / DBA Program in Values-Driven Leadership, 2016

- Ran a three-day intensive workshop on sustainability, leadership, and green business

Green Analytics, 2012 - 2013

- Worked on a report for Conservation Ontario that summarized the green economy, defined green business strategies, and related both concepts to conservation authorities in Ontario.

- Worked on life-cycle analyses of proposed building projects in Alberta

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE and COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Owner, Share Organics Inc. (2014 – 2016)

- Owned organic food company that served Victoria since 1996; played important role in organizing the local organic food network
- Operated an annual budget of \$500,000, managed 10-12 employees
- Member of IOPA (Islands Organic Producers Association)
- Merged the company with local competitor in late 2015

Member of Friends of Spring Ridge Commons (2013 – present)

- Coordinate oversight and management of public permaculture garden

Member, Island Biodiesel Co-op (2013 – present)

- Play an active role in the co-op, run my car on biodiesel, and developed the website for the group

GRADUATE STUDENTS (Thesis and Dissertation-based)

Lara Apps, “Atheist Identity and Ideology in Eighteenth-Century France” (PhD, U of A, 2016)

Ali Jones, “Selbstbestimmtes Leben: Hamburg’s Rote Flora and the Roots of Autonomie in 20th-Century Germany” (MA, U of A, 2013)

Stephen Potyondi, “The Discovery of the Street: Urbanism, Gentrification, and Cultural Change in Early 19th-Century Paris” (MA, U of A, 2011)

GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS (*selected*)

Benedictine University bursary (2016)

Stavros Niarchos Foundation award (2015)

Member of SSHRC-funded team, Urban Agricultural Research Network (2013)

University of Alberta, Faculty of Arts, SAS grant (2008)

The Dean’s Teaching Fellowship from JHU (2007, declined)

J. Brien Key Fellowship (2006)

Frederick Jackson Turner Travel Bursary from JHU (2006)

Graduate Summer Research Travel Award from JHU (2005)

Fulbright Dissertation Research Grant (École normale supérieure) (2005-2006)

Bourse Chateaubriand (grant awarded by the French government) (2005-2006, declined)

Five-Year Fellowship to JHU (2003-2008)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Sustainable Consumption Research and Action Initiative (SCORAI)

Canadian Organic Growers (COG)

American Historical Association

American Society for Environmental History

LANGUAGES

French (fluent), German and Spanish (proficient), Latin and Italian (basic)

REFERENCES

Professor Kara Shaw (Univ. of Victoria, chair of environmental studies)

Professor Marie DiVirgilio (Benedictine University, director of Values-Driven Leadership)

Professor Andrew Gow (Univ. of Alberta, historian)

Professor Frederique Apffel-Marglin (Smith College, anthropologist of Peru)

Professor Paul Hirt (Arizona State Univ, historian of sustainability)