

CURRICULUM VITAE

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POSITIONS HELD

Assistant Professor, 2008-present
Department of History, Global Urban Studies Program
Michigan State University

Visiting Assistant Professor, 2007-2008
Department of History
Michigan State University

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, December, 2006
Anthropology and History

M.A. Georgetown University, Washington, DC, May, 1998
Latin American Studies

B.A. Georgetown University, Washington, DC, May, 1994
English and History

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

A Home of One's Own: Property and Propriety in the Margins of Urban Chile, 1960-2010 (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2014).

Edward Murphy and Najib Hourani, eds. *The Housing Question: Tensions, Continuities, and Contingencies in the Modern City* (London: Ashgate Publishing Ltd., 2013).

Edward Murphy, David William Cohen, Chandra Bhimull, Fernando Coronil, Monica Patterson, and Julie Skurski, eds. *Anthrohistory: Unsettling Knowledge, Questioning Discipline* (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2011).

Historias poblacionales: Hacia una memoria incluyente (Santiago, Chile: CEDECO, 2004).

ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- “In and Out of the Margins: Urban Land Seizures and Homeownership in Chile,” in *Cities from Scratch: Poverty and Informality in Latin America*. Brodwyn Fischer, Bryan McCann, and Javier Auyero, eds. (Durham and London: Duke University Press, 2014): 68-101.
- “Critique, Practice, and Ecologies of the Future: A Vision for Environmental Studies in the Humanities,” in *Rachel Carson Center Perspectives*, 2014 (1).
- “Introduction: Housing Questions Past, Present, and Future,” in *The Housing Question*: 1-20.
- “Between Housing and Home: Marginality, Homeownership, and Governance in Santiago, Chile,” in *The Housing Question*: 199-218.
- “A Prefatory Piece,” with Chandra Bhimull and Monica Eileen Patterson, in *Anthrohistory*: 3-10.
- “What’s New in Neoliberalism? A Review of Recent Scholarship on Chile,” *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*, Vol. 13, No. 2, 2008: 499-510.
- “Developing Sustainable Peripheries: The Limits of Citizenship in Guatemala City,” *Latin American Perspectives*, Vol. 36, No. 6, Nov. 2004: 48-68.
- “Television in Latin America: Reinforcing Limited Democracy,” *Entrecaminos: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Latin American Affairs*, Vol. 2, 1997: 32-51.

SINGLE BOOK REVIEWS

- Clara Han, *Life in Debt: Times of Violence and Care in Neoliberal Chile* (Berkeley and Los Angeles: University of California Press, 2012), in *American Anthropologist*, forthcoming.
- William Alexander, ed. *Chile in Transition: Struggles for Social Justice in Neoliberal Chile* (Lanham, MD, Lexington Books Ltd., 2009), in *Journal for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*, Vol. 18, No. 3, 2013.
- Mark Healey, *The Ruins of the New Argentina* (Durham and London: Duke University Press, 2011), in *Technology and Culture*, Vol. 53, No. 1, 2012.
- Augusto Samaniego and Carlos Ruiz Rodríguez, *Mentalidades y políticas wingka: Pueblo mapuche, entre golpe y golpe (de Ibáñez a Pinochet)*, (Madrid: Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas, 2007), in *Hispanic American Historical Review*, Vol. 90, No. 2, 2010.

Julia Paley, *Marketing Democracy: Power and Social Movements in Post-Dictatorship Chile* (Berkeley and Los Angeles: University of California Press, 2001), in *Journal of Political Ecology*, Vol. 8, 2001.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS AND INTERVIEWS

Interview with Channel Six WLNS News in Lansing, MI, March 13, 2013, "The New Pope and Latin America."

"Santiago: From Squatters to Homeowners," interview in *Thinker Magazine* (Beijing, China), December 2012: 32-35.

Interview with Channel Six WLNS News in Lansing, MI, February 28, 2010, "Earthquake in Chile: Local Connections."

PRESENTATIONS

PANELS

"Specters in the Revolution: Struggles for Home during the Chilean Path to Socialism," *Social Science History Association, Anthrohistory: Transdisciplinary Study of Systemic Change*, November, 2013.

"Insurgent Ownership: Urban Land Seizures, Property Titling, and Governance in Chile," *Histories of Land and Power: Space, Property, Commodity*, Harvard University, October, 2012.

"Specters in the Revolution: Land Seizures and Urbanism during the Chilean Path to Socialism," *American Historical Association Annual Meetings, Imperial Cities and the Politics of Urban Space*, January, 2012.

"A Domesticated Periphery: Marginality and Homeownership in Santiago, Chile," *American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings, Critical Anthropologies of the Urban: Traces of the Past and the Remaking of Difference in an Urbanizing World*, Montreal, November, 2011.

"Piecing Together the Fragments: Productive Tensions in the Work of Fernando Coronil," *Beyond Imperial Knowledge: A Forum Inspired by the Work of Fernando Coronil*, The New York Academy of Sciences, Anthropology Section Meeting, September, 2011.

"Between Housing and Home: A Dilemma for Citizenship, A Challenge for Analysis, (Notes from Chile)," *Infrastructures of Home and City: The Problem of Housing in Modern Urban Society*, Michigan State University, October, 2010.

- “Propriety and Popular Sovereignty: Insurgent Ownership and the Left in Revolutionary Chile,” *American History Association Annual Meetings*, San Diego, CA, January 2010.
- “Aesthetics of Order: Spaces of Distinction and Protest in Neoliberal Chile,” *Latin American Studies Association Annual Meeting*, Río de Janeiro, Brazil, June 2009. (paper accepted and read at conference, did not personally attend)
- “For a Proper State: Insurgent Ownership and the Legacy of Revolutionary Chile,” *Informal Cities: Rockefeller Foundation Conference*, Northwestern University, May, 2008.
- “A Place in the State: Land Seizures, Status, and the Promise of Revolutionary Chile,” *The Poor and Community in Latin America: Rockefeller Foundation Conference*, Northwestern University, May, 2007.
- “Locating States of Emergency: The Spatial Politics of ‘Normalization’ during the Chilean Dictatorship,” *Spatial Americas Conference*, University of California, Santa Barbara, April, 2007.
- “The Limits to Revolutionary Activism: Struggling to Produce a Well-Constituted Home in Chile, 1969-1973,” *Latin American Studies Association Annual Meetings*, Las Vegas, NV, October, 2004.
- “Framing the Modern City: Aesthetics of Order in Chile,” *Trans/Formations of the Disciplines: Evaluating the Project of Anthropology and History Conference*, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, February, 2004.
- “Locating the Politics of Poverty Knowledge in Chile,” *American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings*, Chicago, IL, November, 2003.
- “The Chilean Success in Poverty Reduction: A Cautionary Tale,” *Mid-Atlantic Conference on Latin American Studies*, Annapolis, MD, March, 1997.

PUBLIC LECTURES

- Keynote Address. Paul Lucas Annual Conference, Indiana University History Graduate Student Association Annual Conference, “Positioning Histories: Consequences of Space and Place on Historical Narratives,” April, 2014.
- “A Domesticated Periphery: Homeownership and Marginality in Santiago, Chile,” *The Working Group on Anthropology and Population in the Population and Training Studies Center, The Department of Anthropology Colloquium Series, and The Department of History Brown Bag Series*, Brown University, September 2011.
- “Un hogar propio: los pobladores toman su sitio en la sociedad chilena,” Universidad de Santiago de Chile, Departamento de Historia, Facultad de Humanidades, April,

2011.

“Home, Personhood, Democracy, and Development in Chile,” *Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies*, Michigan State University, November 2009.

“Locating States of Emergency: The Politics of ‘Normalization’ during the Chilean Military Dictatorship,” *Global Urban Studies Program*, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, October 2008.

“Specters in the Revolution: Dilemmas of Home during the Chilean Path to Socialism,” *Department of Anthropology*, Wesleyan University, March 2008 and at the *Latin American and Latino Studies Program*, University of Illinois-Chicago, Chicago, IL, February 2008.

INVITED DISCUSSANT

“Studying the Environment: Working Across Disciplines,” *Rachel Carson Center for Environment and Society*, Lake Kochel, Germany, July, 2013

“Beyond the Everyday,” Comments on David William Cohen’s paper “The End of the Everyday,” University of Michigan, *Doctoral Program in Anthropology and History Colloquium Series*, March, 2013

“Housing Activism in Comparative Perspective,” Roundtable at the *American Anthropological Association Meeting*, San Francisco, November 2012.

“Urban Struggles, Housing, and New Formations of Inequality: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue,” Panel at the *American Anthropological Association Meeting*, New Orleans, November, 2010.

“The Cultural Politics of Economic Change,” Panel at the *Latin American Studies Association Meeting*, Toronto, October, 2010.

“Democracy, Development, and Inequity in Latin America,” Roundtable at the *Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies*, Michigan State University, March 2009.

“The Transdisciplinary Challenge of Subaltern Studies and the Project of Anthropology and History,” *Empire and Knowledge: Subaltern Perspectives Roundtable*, with Sarah Castro-Klaren, Dipesh Chakrabarty, Fernando Coronil, Walter Mignolo, and Ajay Skaria, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, October, 2004.

FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS

EXTRAMURAL AWARDS

Postdoctoral Fellow, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (2007)

U.S. Fulbright Commission, Dissertation Research, Santiago, Chile (2002-2003)

INTRAMURAL AWARDS

Humanities Dissertation Fellowship, University of Michigan (2003-2004)

Doris G. Quinn Fellowship, University of Michigan (2006)

Dean's Candidacy Fellowship, University of Michigan (2001)

Regents Fellowship, University of Michigan (1998-2001)

TEACHING AWARD

Fintz Award for Teaching Excellence in Integrative Studies in the Arts and the Humanities, Michigan State University (2009)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND INTERESTS

POSITIONS HELD:

Assistant Professor, Michigan State University, 2008-present

Visiting Assistant Professor, Michigan State University, 2007-2008

Instructor, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2006-2007

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2000, 2001, 2003

COURSES TAUGHT:

- National Period Latin America
- Colonial Period Latin America
- Latin America and the World: Tensions of Empire and Nation
- Rethinking the Cold War from *Las Américas*
- U.S.-Latin American Relations
- The Latin American City and Its Discontents: Urban Informality across the Twentieth Century
- The City and Its Discontents: Rethinking Marginality in Modern Urban Society
- Introduction to Comparative Cultures
- Cuba and its Diaspora
- Time, Space and Change in Human Society: The Modern Urban Experience

COMMUNITY AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Department of History, Michigan State University:

Graduate Committee, 2008-20009, 2012-2013, *Undergraduate Committee*, 2009-2010, *Department Advisory Committee* (elected), 2011-13, *Annual Review Committee*, 2013-2014

Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Literature, Michigan State University, 2010-2012.

Organizer, “Infrastructures of Home and City: The Problem of Housing in Modern Urban Society,” International Conference sponsored by the Global Urban Studies Program, Michigan State University, October, 2010

Organizer, Workshop Speaker Series, Global Urban Studies, Michigan State University, 2009-2010

Core Faculty Member, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Michigan State University, 2008-2014

Affiliated Faculty Member, Center for Gender in Global Context, Michigan State University, 2009-2014

Consulting Faculty Member, Peace and Justice Studies Program, Michigan State University, 2010-2014

Coordinator, Oral History Workshops, “Los pobladores toman la palabra: Recordando el pasado, construyendo el futuro,” Santiago, Chile, 2002-2014

Co-Organizer, Workshop, “Trans/Formations of the Disciplines: Evaluating the Project of Anthropology and History,” University of Michigan, September, 2007

Principal Organizer, Conference, “Trans/Formations of the Disciplines: Evaluating the Project of Anthropology and History,” University of Michigan, February, 2004

Graduate Student Coordinator, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies Interdisciplinary Workshop, “Crossroads in Anthropology and History,” a year long colloquium series, University of Michigan, 2004-2005

Grant Writer and Teacher, United for a Better Life Women’s Cooperative, Guatemala City, 1998-1999

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

American Historical Association: Conference on Latin American History

Latin American Studies Association: Program Track for Cities and Citizenship, Program Track for History

American Anthropological Association: Society for Latin American Anthropology, Society for Urban, National, and Transnational/Global Anthropology

LANGUAGES

Spanish (fluent)

Portuguese (reading knowledge)