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**EDUCATION**

Ph.D. in History, University of Arizona: 2011

* Colonial and Nineteenth-Century U.S. History, Comparative Gender
* Committee: Karen Anderson, Martha Few, Tsianina Lomawaima, Katherine Morrissey, Roger Nichols (chair)

Dissertation: [*Intimate Obscurity: American Indian Women in Arizona Households and Histories, 1854-1935*](http://arizona.openrepository.com/arizona/handle/10150/204066)

M.A. in American Indian Studies, University of Arizona: 2004

* Federal Indian Law and Native Literature
* Committee: Tom Holm, Nancy Parezo (chair), Luci Tapahanso

B.A. in English and History, Lawrence University: 2002

* American Literature and U.S. History
* Advisors: Bertrand Goldgar and Jerald Podair

Language Competency: Spanish Reading Fluency

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Associate Professor**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, 2017-present

**Assistant Professor**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, 2012-2017

**Research Fellow**, Southern Methodist University, Clements Center for Southwest Studies,

2011-2012

**Instructor**, University of Arizona South History Department, 2009-2010

**Instructor**, Pima Community College, 2006-2009

**Instructor**, Tohono O’odham Community College, 2004-2006

**PUBLICATIONS**

**Books, Single Author**

[*Legal Codes & Talking Trees: Indigenous Women’s Sovereignty in Sonoran and Puget Sound Borderlands, 1854-1946*](http://yalebooks.com/book/9780300211689/legal-codes-and-talking-trees) (Lamar Series in Western History, Yale University Press, 2016). Honorable Mention for Frances Richardson Keller-Sierra Prize from the Western Association of Women Historians.

**Books, Co-Authored**

“Into the Void, or the Musings & Confessions of a Redheaded Stepchild Lost in Western Legal History and Found in the Legal Borderlands of the North American West,” in *Into the Void: Legal Borderlands of the North American West* co-edited by myself and Pablo Mitchell (Lawrence: University of Kansas Press, under review and forthcoming 2018).

**Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles & Book Chapters**

[“A Tale of Two Sisters: Family Histories from the Strait Salish Borderlands,”](http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1178&context=historyfacpub) *Western Historical Quarterly* vol. 47, no. 1 (Spring 2016), 27-49.

[“A Testament to Power: Mary Woolsey and Dolores Rodriguez as Trial Witnesses in Arizona’s Early Statehood,”](http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/historyfacpub/154/) *Journal of Western Legal History* vol. 26, no. 1 & 2 (2013), 69-96.

[“ ‘In Family Way’: Guarding Indigenous Women’s Children in Washington Territory,”](http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/historyfacpub/142/) *American Indian Quarterly* vol. 37, no. 2 (Spring 2013), 160-177.

[“Territorial Bonds: Indenture and Affection in Intercultural Arizona, 1864-1894,”](http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/historyfacpub/143/) in *On*

*the Borders of Love and Power: Families and Kinship in the Intercultural American*

*West*, David Wallace Adams and Crista DeLuzio, eds. (Berkeley: University of

California Press, 2012), 380-412.

**Book Reviews & Encyclopedic Entries**

“Review of *Native Seattle: Histories from the Crossing-Over Place,* Second Edition by Coll

Thrush (University of Washington Press, 2017), *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*, forthcoming.

“Review of *Who Belongs? Race, Resources, and Tribal Citizenship in the Native South*, by

Mikaela M. Adams (Oxford University Press, 2016),” *Journal of American Ethnic History*,

forthcoming.

“Review of *Decolonizing Native Histories: Collaboration, Knowledge, and Language*

*in the Americas*, edited by Florencia E. Mallon,” *Mesoamérica* (December 2014).

“Review of *Indigenous Women and Work: From Labor to Activism*, edited by Carol

Williams,” *Labour/Le Travail*, vol. 74 (Fall 2014).

“Review of *Making Marriage: Husbands, Wives, and the American State*, by Catherine

Denial,” *Law and History Review*, vol. 32, no. 2 (May 2014), 435-437.

“Review of *Stranger Intimacy: Contesting Race, Sexuality, and the Law in the North*

*American West*, by Nayan Shah,” *Journal of American Ethnic History* vol. 33 no. 1

(Fall, 2013), 107-109.

“Review of *Drumbeats from Mescalero: Conversations with Apache Elders, Warriors, and Horseholders*, by H. Henrietta Stockel and *Bitter Water: Dine Oral Histories of the Navajo-Hopi Land Dispute* by Malcolm D. Benally.” *Journal of Arizona History* (2012).

“Margaret Mead,” in Hasia Diner, ed., *Women in American History: An Encyclopedia* (Facts On File, 2011).

**AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS**

* William Nelson Cromwell Foundation Grant, 2016-2017; funds to attend the Digital Humanities Summer Institute in Victoria, BC
* College of Arts & Sciences Instructional Improvement Grant: Innovative Instruction in Legal History, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2016-2018
* Harold and Esther Edgerton Junior Faculty Award, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2015-2017
* University of Nebraska Lincoln Research Council Grant in Aid, Publication Subvention, 2014
* Research Development Fellowship Program, Office of Research and Development, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2014-2015
* Phillips Fund for Native American Research, American Philosophical Society, 2014
* National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute Fellow, George Mason University, 2014 (declined)
* James A. Rawley Faculty Research Grant; University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, 2014-2015, 2012-2013
* Clay Thomas Faculty Research Grant; University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, 2013-2014
* Jerome I. Braun Prize for Best Article in Western Legal History, 2012-2013
* Western Canadian Studies Research & Travel Grant; U.S. Consulate General, Calgary, Canada, 2012
* George Harvill Scholarship; University of Arizona Women’s Faculty Club, 2011
* Louise Foucar Marshall Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, University of Arizona Graduate College, 2010
* Florence Hemley Schneider Award; University of Arizona Gender and Women’s Studies Department, 2010
* Kathryn A. Governal Perseverance Award; University of Arizona, 2010
* Women’s Studies Advisory Council Travel Grant; University of Arizona, 2010
* Writing Fellow, William P. Clements Center Annual Symposium; Southern Methodist University, University of New Mexico, Autry National Center, 2009-2010
* Writing Fellow, New Histories of Indigeneity and Imperialism Workshop; University of Manitoba, 2008
* Rockfellow Scholar; University of Arizona History Department, 2008, 2009: funded research in Arizona, British Columbia, and Washington
* Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Grant; University of Arizona, 2007, 2009: funded research in British Columbia, California, and Washington
* Val Avery Collegiate Award for Best Graduate Student Paper; Arizona History

Convention, 2008

* American Society for Ethnohistory Travel Grant, 2007
* Newberry Library Scholar, D’Arcy McNickle Center for American Indian & Indigenous Studies; Associated Colleges of the Midwest, 2001

## PRESENTATIONS: CONFERENCES

“Roundtable on the Legal Applications of Western Histories,” Organizer and Discussant, Western History Association Conference, 2017

“Roundtable on Legal Borderlands of Race & Gender in North America,” Organizer and Discussant, American Society for Legal History Conference, 2017

“Creative & Critical Rights Claims in Marginalized Americans’ Freedom Suits, Habeas Corpus Petitions, and Disability Claims,” Organizer & Discussant, American Historical Association Conference, 2017

“Graduate Student Lightning Rounds: Dissertation Research,” Faculty Commentator, Western History Association Graduate Student Caucus Roundtable, Western History Association Conference, 2016

“Roundtable on Indigenous Women’s Legal Histories & Strategies,” Organizer & Discussant, Native American and Indigenous Studies Association Conference, 2016

“Roundtable on Legal Borderlands in Pacific Northwest Indigenous Histories,” Organizer & Discussant, Western History Association Conference, 2015.

“Coalition for Western Women’s History Roundtable: New Directions: Women, Gender, and the Making of Borders,” Discussant, Western History Association Conference, 2015.

“Indigenous Habeas Corpus Petitioners in the North American West,” O Say Can You See Virtual Legal History Workshop, hosted by William Thomas at the University of Nebraska Lincoln & National Endowment for the Humanities, 2015.

“Roundtable on Legal Histories & Public Audiences: Linking Legal History, Public Policy, and Public History,” Organizer & Discussant, American Society for Legal History Conference, 2014.

“The Legal Pluralisms of Indigenous Women & Their Daughters, 1854-1934,” and Panel Organizer, “Indigenous Legal Histories,” American Society for Legal History Conference, 2014.

“Sovereign Native Notions: Representation, Resistance, and Memory in the Indigenous Southwest and Pacific,” Panel Chair, Western History Association Conference, 2014.

“Bring Me the Body: *Habeas Corpus* Petitions as Contestations of Colonial Power in the North American West, 1864-1898,” and Panel Organizer, “Gendered Encounters in Imperial Legal Regimes,” Berkshire Conference of Women Historians, 2014.

“Personal and Political Sovereignty in the Spaces Between: Yavapai and Sauk-Suiattle Women’s Land Claims at the Turn of the Twentieth Century,” Western History Association Conference, 2013.

“ ‘The First Time Was Against My Will and Consent’: Indigenous and American Perceptions of Legal Consent in Washington, 1853-1900,” and Panel Organizer, “Coercion, Consent, and Citizenship in the North American West: American Legal Regimes and Marginalized Women’s Sexual Vulnerability in the Nineteenth & Twentieth Centuries,” Western Association of Women’s History Conference, 2013.

“Mapping Race and Sexuality in the Puget Sound,” Directions West: Third Biennial Western Canadian Studies Conference, 2012.

“Legal Codes and Talking Trees: Narrative and Method in Anti-Colonial Indigenous

Histories,” and Roundtable Organizer, “Critical Archiving: Locating Women’s Voices

in Official Repositories,” Western Association of Women Historians Conference, 2012.

“‘The Putative Father’: Indigenous Women’s Critiques of Family Law in Territorial Arizona and Washington, 1864-1881,” and Panel Organizer, “‘In Family Way’: Community Critiques of Sexuality and Violence in American Courtrooms,” American Historical Association Conference, 2012

“‘I’m in Family Way’: Inter-racial Sexuality, Labor, and Guardianship in Territorial

Washington,” on Workshop Panel, “Gender and Indigenous Adoption in Settler

Colony Nations,” Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, 2011

“A Gift From Mother to Daughter: Race, Gender, and Citizenship in Territorial

Arizona,” and Panel Organizer, “Citizens of the West: Yaqui, Ho-Chunk, and

Cherokee Women’s Transition from Native to American, 1864-1924,” Western

History Association Conference, 2010

“Bonds of Empire: Inter-racial Intimacies and Labor in the Territorial West, 1845-

1889,” American Historical Association Conference, 2010

“Swearing Oaths and Mapping Loyalties: Untangling the Race and Gender Nexus in

Arizona State Formation,” Western History Association Conference, 2008

“Mary Woolsey and Dolores Rodriguez Testify to Multi-Ethnic Community Formation

in Yavapai County, 1913-1914,” Arizona History Convention, 2008

“Embodied Citizenship: Tribal Expressions of Citizenship Identity in Early Twentieth-

Century Arizona,” American Society for Ethnohistory, 2007

“Donning American Citizenship: Cultural and Material Constructions of Tribal-

American Identity in Arizona Boarding Schools, 1924-1948,” American Society

for Ethnohistory, 2006

**PRESENTATIONS: INVITED TALKS**

“Indigenous Women’s Legal Histories in North American Borderlands,” Arizona State Historical Society, 2018

“Plenary Session on *The Legacy of Conquest*,” Discussant, Western History Association Conference, 2017

“The Poetics & Politics of Indigenous Women’s Legal Histories,” San Juan Island Public Library, sponsored by Griffin Bay Bookstore, 2017

“The Poetics & Politics of Indigenous Women’s Legal Histories,” University of Washington Bookstore, 2017

“Indigenous Women’s Legal Histories at the Intersections of Critical Legal Studies, Ethnojurisprudence, & Legal Pluralism,” Colloquium Series on Law & Society, Berkeley College of Law, 2016

“*Legal Codes & Talking Trees: Indigenous Women’s Sovereignty in Sonoran and Puget Sound Borderlands, 1854-1946,”* Nebraska Bar Association Continuing Education Series, Indigo Bridge Bookstore, 2016

“A Brief History of American Indian Religious Persecutions & Freedoms,” Gallery Talk at Great Plains Art Museum, *Contemporary Indigeneity: Spiritual Borderlands* Exhibition, 2016

“*Legal Codes & Talking Trees: Indigenous Women’s Sovereignty in Sonoran and Puget Sound Borderlands, 1854-1946,”* Women’s & Gender Studies Colloquium, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2016

“Louisa Enick and the Allotment Controversy in Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest,” Sauk-Suiattle Tribe, 2013

“The Family Jewell: A Metis History of San Juan Island and Puget Sound,” San Juan

Historical Museum, 2012

“American Indian Women Claiming Space and Power in Arizona, 1853-1935,” Yavapai

Prescott Indian Tribe, 2011

“Territorial Bonds: Indenture and Affection in Intercultural Arizona,” Clements Center

for Southwest Studies Annual Public Symposium, 2010

“The Woolsey Women of Yavapai County, 1864-1914: Indigenous Women Linked to

Arizona State Formation,” Sharlot Hall Western History Symposium, 2008

“American Indian Citizenship History: Survey and Prospects,” Main Hall Forum at

Lawrence University, 2008

“American Women in Wartime,” Tucson Unified School District, 2007

“American Indian Perspectives in the Middle School Classroom,” Tucson Unified School

District, 2007

**COURSES TAUGHT**

HIST 110: US History to 1877 (Fall 2012, Fall 2014)

HIST/ETHN 340/840: American Legal History (Spring 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017)

HIST/ETHN 351 (341) /851: American West to 1900 (Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2016, Spring 2017)

HIST/ETHN/WGST 358: Native Women’s History (Summer 2017)

HIST 359: The Mythic West (Summer 2013, Summer 2014)

HIST 441/841: Women & Gender in US History (Spring 2013)

HIST 450: Capstone Seminar in US Legal History (Spring 2013, Spring 2016, Spring 2017)

HIST 900: Introduction to Historical Study (Fall 2017)

HIST 950: Graduate Research Seminar (Fall 2016)

HIST 953: Comparative Approaches in Legal History (Fall 2015)

**GRADUATE & UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING**

**Graduate Committee Chair**

**Current:**

Donna Devlin, PhD 19th-c. American West & Constitutional History, Anticipated 2022

Alanna Beason, PhD 19th-c. American West, Anticipated 2020

Sarita Garcia, MA 19th-c. American West and Ethnic Studies, Anticipated 2019

Jenna Schmaljohn, MA 19th-c. American West, Anticipated 2018

Rhea Wick, MA Progressive Era Civil Rights, Anticipated 2018

**Completed:**

Annie Reiva, MA “The Incident at Washita: A Critical and Digital History of Tribal and Public Commemoration of Violence in the North American West,” Completed 2017

John Buchkoski, MA “Spider in the River: A Comparative Environmental History of the

Impact of the Cache La Poudre Watershed on Cheyennes and Euro-Americans, 1830-1880,” Completed 2015

**Graduate Committee Member**

**Current:**

Robb Nelson, PhD Candidate, Race & Ethnicity in 19th-c. America

Beligh Ben Taleb, PhD Candidate, 20th-c. Native Reconciliation Movements

Jeremiah Bauer, PhD Candidate, Reconstruction Era Legal History

Mikal Eckstrom, PhD Candidate, 19th -c. American West

Susan Geliga, PhD Candidate, Lakota Women’s History

Courtney Lawton, PhD Candidate, 20th-c. Santa Fe Writers (English)

Diane Miller, PhD Candidate, Antebellum American West

Stevie Seibert Desjarlais, PhD Student, 20th-c. Feminist American Literature (English)

Leslie Working, PhD Candidate, 19th-c. US Women’s History

**Completed:**

Jason Hertz, PhD Candidate, American Indian Autobiography (English/Ethnic Studies)

Katelyn Pietz, MA Exam Option

Joann Ross, PhD “Making Marital Rape Visible: A History of American Legal and Social

Movements Criminalizing Rape in Marriage”

Shantella Sherman, PhD “In Search of Purity: Popular Eugenics and Racial Uplift among

New Negroes 1915-1935”

Robert Voss, PhD “Railroads and Coal: Resource Extraction in Indian Territory, 1866-

1907”

Rebecca Wingo, PhD “Restructuring the Reservation: House-building Policy and Adult

Education on the Crow Reservation, 1880-1934”

**Independent Readings Seminars**

Native American & Western History, Summer 2013

Environmental & Western History, Summer 2014

19th-c. American Legal History, Summer 2016

**UCARE Projects (Undergraduate Research Assistants)**

John Ryan MacDonald, Chinese Habeas Corpus Petitions, 2014-2015

Spencer Lindsay, Habeas Corpus Patterns in 19th-c. Washington, 2014-2015

Claire Salem, Policing Practices & Habeas Corpus Petitioners, 2015-2016

Caleb Hoesing, Legal & Literary Analysis of Habeas Corpus Petitions, 2015-2016

Emilie Turek, Women’s 19th-c. Habeas Corpus Petitions, 2015-2016

Emilie Turek, Building an Archive for the Lincoln YWCA, 2016-2017

Connor Pierce Mullin, Indexing 35 Years of *Western Legal History*, 2016-2017

Davis Vinckier, Oral History of Myron Longsoldier, Lakota Elder, 2016-2017

Zach Hadenfeldt, Oral History of Myron Longsoldier, Lakota Elder, 2016-2017

Natalie Lucas, Women’s Habeas Corpus Petitions, 2017-2018

Madeline Neuhaus, Women’s Habeas Corpus Petitions, 2017-2018

**SERVICE**

**Professional**

* American Society for Legal History Program Committee Member, 2014, 2017-2018
* Western History Association Program Committee Member, 2014-2015, 2016-2017
* *Western Legal History* Editorial Board, 2016-present
* Coalition for Western Women’s History, Irene Ledesma Prize Committee Chair, 2016; Member, 2013-2015
* Environmental Justice Symposium Coordinating Committee, University of Arizona South and Modern Languages Association, 2004

**Departmental & University**

* Graduate Committee Chair, 2017
* UNL Graduate Studies Faculty Liaison for Associated Colleges of the Midwest-Mellon Foundation Graduate School Exploration Fellowship Program, 2016-present
* Pauley Symposium Coordinator, 2017
* University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, Graduate Committee Member, 2016-2019
* Chair, Humanities and Human Migration Panel; Future of the Humanities Symposium, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2017
* Pauley Symposium Committee Co-Chair, History Department, University of Nebraska Lincoln, 2016
* Native History & Ethnic Studies Search Committee, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2015
* Peer Review of Teaching Project, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2013-2014, 2015-2016
* University of Nebraska-Lincoln College of Arts & Sciences, 19th-Century Studies Committee Member, 2014-present
* University of Nebraska-Lincoln Women’s & Gender Studies Department, Karen Dunning Award Committee Member, 2013-2017
* University of Nebraska-Lincoln History Department, Undergraduate Committee Member, 2012-2015
* University of Arizona Commission for the Status of Women, Equity Committee Chair, 2010-2011; Equity Committee Member, 2009-2010
* History Graduate Association Officer, University of Arizona, 2008-2009, 2010-2011
* Assessment, Curriculum, and Professional Development Committees, Tohono O’odham Community College, 2004-2006

**PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT**

* Local Host and Coordinator with Lincoln Indian Center for Peace & Dignity Journey: Run for the Seeds, 2016
* Fundraising Committee, Lincoln YWCA, 2015-present
* Center for Great Plains Studies Board Member, 2014-2017
* Center for Great Plains Studies Fellow, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2012- present
* University of Arizona Social Justice Center Volunteer, 2008
* Teaching American History Grant, University of Arizona and Tucson Unified School District, 2006-2009
* Grants & Development Coordinator, Tohono O’odham Community Action, 2006-2007

**AFFILIATIONS**

* Affiliate Faculty, Ethnic Studies and Women’s & Gender Studies Departments, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
* Organization of American Historians
* Native American & Indigenous Studies Association
* Law & Society Association
* American Society for Legal History
* American Historical Association
* Coalition for Western Women’s History
* Western Association of Women’s History
* Western History Association
* American Society for Ethnohistory