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EDUCATION

- Present Doctoral candidate, Institute of French Studies and Department of History, New York University
PhD expected 2021
Tentative dissertation title: "Defining Home: Expulsions in France and Claims to Belonging, 1939-1950"
Committee: Stéphane Gerson (director), Herrick Chapman, Michele Mitchell
- 2018 Master of Philosophy in History and French Studies, New York University
- 2011 Master of Arts in Teaching, Union Graduate College (now Clarkson University)
Thesis: « Les femmes tondues et la reconstruction de l'imaginaire national français, 1944-1945 »
- 2009 Master of Arts in French, Middlebury College
Thesis: « Les résistantes françaises ou les ambivalences d'un modèle social féminin, 1940-1947 »
- 2008 Bachelor of Arts in History and French, Union College
Summa cum laude with departmental honors in History and French
History thesis: "Women's Resistance in France, 1940-1945"
French thesis: « La résistance des femmes en France, 1940-1945 »

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Spring 2016 Course assistant, Department of History, New York University
Assistant to Valerie Deacon's undergraduate course "Era of the Second World War"
- 2011-2014 French teacher, Granby Memorial High School (Granby, CT)
Developed and taught curriculum for French I, III, IV Honors, Advanced Placement
Participated in organization of exchange program with the Lycée David Néel (Digne les Bains, France)
World Language Department Professional Learning Community leader, 2013-2014
Faculty advisor to the Société Honoraire de Français, 2013-2014
- Jan-May
2010 English teaching assistant, École Alsacienne (Paris)
Developed and taught lessons in speaking skills, grades 7-12
Administered and evaluated practice Baccalauréat English speaking exams, grade 12
- 2005-2008 Writing tutor, The Writing Center, Union College
Provided support to undergraduate and graduate students as they improved the organization, clarity and style of their class papers and theses

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

- Nov 2018 "Housing Conflicts in Liberation-Era France: Frameworks of Social Justice in Paris, Alsace & Moselle"
Panel presentation at international conference organized by the Center for History at Sciences Po: "A Time for Openness and Possible Outcomes. New Perspectives on Postwar Europe, 1944-1950s" (Paris)

- Nov 2018 “Alsatian and Mosellan Families’ Gendered Self-Advocacy Following Expulsion, 1940-1945”
Panel presentation at Western Society for French History Annual Meeting (Portland, ME)
- Jan 2018 “‘France for the French’: Anti-Semitic Housing Protests in Paris, 1944-1945”
Panel presentation at international conference co-organized by the American University of Paris, le Centre de Recherches Historiques (EHESS-CNRS), l’Institut des Sciences sociales du Politique (Université Paris Nanterre-ENS Paris Saclay-CNRS): “Home as a Place for Anti-Jewish Persecution in European Cities” (Paris)
- Juin 2017 « Des sources policières et judiciaires sur la réintégration des locataires juifs à Paris, 1944-1947 »
Presentation to the EHESS research seminar « Connus à cette adresse. Villes et dynamiques sociales des persécutions antijuives en Europe (1936-1948) » (Paris)
- April 2017 “‘France for the French’: Anti-Semitic Housing Protests in Liberation-Era Paris”
Panel presentation at Society for French Historical Studies Annual Meeting (Washington, D.C.)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

- Since June 2017 Member of monthly research seminar « Connus à cette adresse. Villes et dynamiques sociales des persécutions antijuives en Europe (1936-1948) », EHESS (Paris)
- Nov 2018 Co-organizer of two-day graduate student conference: “Betrayal/Trahison”
Institute of French Studies, New York University
Co-developed call for papers, co-selected panel themes and participants, co-managed logistical concerns, introduced keynote speaker Professor Todd Shepard and provided commentary on his address
- Sept 2015- Dec 2017 Member of doctoral workshop, Institute of French Studies, New York University
Presented my dissertation prospectus (Oct 2017) and provided informal commentary on dissertation chapters and prospectuses of fellow doctoral students
- Fall 2017 Committee member, Futures of French lecture series
Department of French Literature, Thought, and Culture; Institute of French Studies; New York University
Participated in development of the 2017-2018 program and helped welcome speakers to campus
- Fall 2017 Co-President, Institute of French Studies Student Association, New York University
Represented doctoral students in faculty meetings, organized cultural events for doctoral students
- Nov 2017 Discussant for the panel “Ex-Centric Reading,” Futures of French lecture series
Department of French Literature, Thought, and Culture; Institute of French Studies; New York University
- Oct 2017 Language interpreter for film director Fatima Sissani, Institute of French Studies, New York University
During a panel discussion following the screening of Sissani’s film Les Gracieuses

RESEARCH AND WRITING FELLOWSHIPS

- 2018-2019 Jeanne Marandon Fellowship, Société des Professeurs Français et Francophones d’Amérique
Funds an academic year of doctoral research in France
- Since 2015 Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship, New York University
Funds five years of coursework and doctoral research

- March 2019 Provost's Global Research Initiative Program in Paris, New York University
Funded a month of doctoral research and dissertation writing in Paris, France
- Summer 2018 Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Predoctoral Summer Fellowship, New York University
Funded a summer of predoctoral archival research in France
- Summer 2017 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Pre-Dissertation Research Grant, New York University
Funded a summer of pre-doctoral archival research in France

GRANTS, PRIZES AND HONORS

- Nov 2018 Institute of French Studies Graduate Student Travel Grant, New York University
- Jan 2018 Institute of French Studies Graduate Student Travel Grant, New York University
- April 2017 Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Dean's Student Travel Grant, New York University
- 2004-2008 Presidential Scholarship, Union College
- 2008 Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society induction
Freling H. Smith Prize for best senior thesis in the Department of History, Union College
- 2007 Phi Alpha Theta National History Honor Society induction
Joseph D. Doty Prize for work of outstanding merit in history, Union College
History Scholar Finalist, Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History
- 2006 Thomas J. Judson Memorial Book Prize for excellence in modern languages, Union College

LANGUAGES

- English Native speaker
- French Fluent