

## HILARY S. HANDIN

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### EDUCATION

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- Present      Doctoral candidate, Institute of French Studies and Department of History, New York University  
PhD expected 2021  
Dissertation working 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

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- Spring 2016    Course assistant, Department of History, New York University  
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  
World Language Department Professional Learning Community leader, 2013-2014  
Faculty advisor to the Société Honoraire de Français, 2013-2014  
Participated in organization of exchange program with the Lycée David Néel (Digne les Bains, France)
- 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

### RESEARCH AND WRITING FELLOWSHIPS

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

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- 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**

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- 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

## **CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS**

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- February 2020 "Narrating the Past: Innovative Strategies for Writing History"  
Organizer and moderator of round table discussion with Ivan Jablonka and Brooke Kroeger  
Institute of French Studies, New York University
- Nov 2018 "Betrayal/Trahison": Co-organizer of two-day graduate student conference  
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
- 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)

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- Nov 2017 “Ex-Centric Reading,” Futures of French lecture series, panel discussant  
Department of French Literature, Thought, and Culture; Institute of French Studies; New York University
- 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**

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- Since Sept 2015 Doctoral workshop member, Institute of French Studies, New York University  
“Collecting Fragments: Three Expelled Families and their Silences,” dissertation chapter presented February 2020  
“Defining Home: Second World War Expulsions and Claims to National Belonging, 1939-1946,” dissertation prospectus presented November 2017  
Commentary on fellow doctoral students’ dissertation chapters and prospectuses provided at meetings until December 2017 and by email from December 2017 to the present
- March 2020 Language interpreter and submission translator: “Scholars and their Kin”  
Institute of French Studies symposium, New York University
- June 2017- June 2019 Member of monthly research seminar « Connus à cette adresse. Villes et dynamiques sociales des persécutions antijuives en Europe (1936-1948) », EHESS (Paris)
- 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 students
- Oct 2017 Language interpreter for film director Fatima Sissani, Institute of French Studies, New York University  
Panel discussion following the screening of Sissani’s film *Les Gracieuses*

## **LANGUAGES**

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- English Native speaker
- French Native-level fluency