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Book Chapters

“‘Here too lies our ’: Colonial Space as German Space.” In , edited by Chris Szejnmann and Maiken Umbach, 148-165. Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan, 2012.

Book Reviews

Review of Matthew Unangst, in , vol. 93, no. 3 (Forthcoming, September 2024).

Review of Sara Pugach, David Pizzo and Adam A. Blackler, eds., (Oxford: Peter Lang, 2020) in , 39, no. 4 (December 2021): 657–659.

Review of Susanne Heyn, (Bielefeld: transcript Verlag, 2018) in 37, no. 4 (December 2019): 589–590.

Review of Lara Day and Oliver Haag, eds., (New York: Berghahn Books, 2017) in , 36 no. 4 (December 2018): 654-656.

Review of Dina Gusejnova, (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2016) in , 41, no. 1 (February 2018): 180-182.

Review of Guenter Lewy, (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016) in 45, no. 4 (July 2017): 100-101.

Review of , eds. Florian Krobb and Elaine Martin (Bielefeld: Aisthesis Verlag. 2014) in 33, no. 1 (2015): 149-150.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2024 Dean’s Supplemental Fund, Loyola University Maryland
2023 Dean’s Supplemental Fund, Loyola University Maryland
2019 Bernadotte E. Schmitt Grant for Research in European, African, or Asian History, American Historical Association
2018 NEH Summer Stipend
2018 Summer Research Grant, Loyola University Maryland
2017 Office of Research and Sponsored Programs Research Expense Funds, Loyola University Maryland
2016 Summer Research Grant, Loyola University Maryland
2016 Dean’s Supplemental Fund, Loyola University Maryland
2015 Postdoctoral Fellowship, German Historical Institute, Washington D.C.
2011 Dr. Richard M. Hunt Fellowship for the Study of German History, Politics, Society, and Culture, American Council on Germany
2011 Bernadotte E. Schmitt Grant for Research in European, African, or Asian History,

- American Historical Association
- 2011-2012 Special Collections Library Internship, Duke University
- 2010 Aleane Webb Dissertation Research Fellowship, Graduate School, Duke University
- 2009 Summer Research Fellowship, Graduate School, Duke University
- 2007 Duke University History Department Summer Research Funding
- 2007 Anne Firor Scott Award
- 2007 DAAD Intensive Language Course Grant

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 “The War was a great link”: Interwar Tanganyika as Transimperial Space,” Writing German Colonial History Today: Renewed Issues and Perspectives, German Historical Institute, Paris, France, May 23, 2024.
- 2023 “German Coffee from German Planters: The Illusion of Colonial Value in the Interwar Period,” German Studies Association, Montreal, Canada, October 8, 2023.
- 2023 “Navigating Ambivalence: Colonialists in the Third Reich,” Colonial and Anti-Colonial Thinking (From the Enlightenment to the 20th Century), German Historical Museum, Berlin, Germany, June 23, 2023.
- 2022 “Germanness Past and Present in Interwar Tanganyika,” Southern Historical Association, Baltimore, MD, November 11, 2022.
- 2022 “New Lives after Empire: Germans in Tanganyika,” Imperial Afterlives: The End

- 2013 “*National sein heißt kolonial sein: Colonialism and Public Culture in the Third Reich*,” German Studies Association, Denver, CO, October 4, 2013.
- 2012 “‘Pith helmets do not make colonial pioneers’: Colonial Spectacle and Colonial Kitsch in the Third Reich,” German Studies Association, Milwaukee, WI, October 5, 2012.
- 2011 “Creating Future Colonists: Colonialist Discourse, National Socialism and the Rendsburg Colonial School for Women, 1926-1945,” Social Science History Association, Boston, Massachusetts, November 18, 2011.
- 2011 “Race, Anti-Semitism, and the Myth of the Good German Colonizer in the Third Reich,” German Studies Association, Louisville, KY, September 24, 2011.
- 2011 “‘Colonizers are born, not made’”: Creating a Colonial Identity in Nazi Germany,” European History Colloquium, Duke University, May 2, 2011.
- 2010 “‘A Whole Host of Experiences are Offered’: The 1939 Dresden Colonial Exhibition,” German Studies Association, Oakland, CA, October 10, 2010.
- 2010 “‘ : Colonial Space as German Space,” Space, Identity and National Socialism, Loughborough University and University of Leicester, UK, May 11-12, 2010.
- 2009 “German Colonial Women and the Construction of Germanness through Photography,” History in the Age of Photography panel, History Department Colloquium, Duke University, January 26, 2009.
- 2007 “When the ‘Black Horror’ Met Germania: Gender, Race and Colonialism in German Satirical Cartoons of the Rhineland Occupation, 1920-1923,” German Studies Association, San Diego, CA, October 7, 2007.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE

Loyola University Maryland

History Department chair, 2022-present

Co-Director, German Studies minor, 2022-present

Junior Faculty Symposium on Research in the Humanities, Loyola University Maryland, co-chair, 2019-2021

Internship coordinator, History Department, Loyola University Maryland, 2016-present

Judge, National History Day

State level: North Carolina (2012), Georgia (2013, 2014)

Local level: Maryland (2015, 2016, 2022)

Manuscript and proposal referee

Bloomsbury Academic

COURSES TAUGHT

Loyola University Maryland

HS 100 Encountering the Past
HS 101 The Making of the Modern World: Europe
HS 318 Creation of Modern Germany, 1770-1992
HS 319 Nazi Germany and the Holocaust
HS 417D Germans in Africa, Africans in Germany
HS 431 Introduction to Public History
HS 474 Holocaust Memory in Germany and America

Harvard University

Freshman Seminar 41i Everyday Life in Nazi Germany
HL 97 Empire and its Aftermath: Postcolonial Theories and Methods (History and Literature Concentration, Sophomore Tutorial, Postcolonial field)

Oglethorpe University

HIS 102 The West and the Modern World
HIS 219 German History since 1800
HIS 290 Introduction to Public History
HIS 290.01 The Holocaust in American and German Memory and Culture
HIS 314 European Imperialism in the 19th and 20th Centuries
HIS 490 Gender in Modern Europe
CORE 302 Historical Perspectives on the Social Order II

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Historical Association
German Studies Association
Central European History Society
National Council on Public History