

# Brian S Collier

## Curriculum Vitae

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University of Notre Dame

Alliance for Catholic Education

Faculty of Supervision and Instruction, Coordinator of Supervision and Instruction

Fellow, Institute for Educational Initiatives

Fellow, Ryan Family Hall

Affiliate Faculty: Poverty Studies, American Studies, History, and Education, Schooling,  
and Society (ESS)

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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. in History, 2006

Arizona State University

Dissertation "St. Catherine Indian School, Santa Fe, 1887-2006: Catholic Indian  
Education in New Mexico"

MA in History, 2000

Colorado State University

Emphases in Environmental history, Historical fiction, and the American West

BA in History, 1995

Loyola University,

Emphasis in Women's Studies

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2013-present Coordinator of Supervision and Instruction

2009-present Faculty of Supervision and Instruction, Fellow Institute for Educational  
Initiatives, Affiliate Faculty in Poverty Studies, Education, Schooling and  
Society, & American Studies, University of Notre Dame

2008-2009 Assistant Professor of History, Northern Arizona University

2006- 2008 Assistant Professor of History, Grand Valley State University

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

*College Student Voices on Educational Reform: Challenging and Changing Conversations*, Burke, Kevin, Brian S Collier, Maria McKenna. New York, NY: Palgrave 2013. (This is a collaborative publication with Notre Dame undergraduates and Notre Dame colleagues Maria McKenna and Kevin Burke).

### Journal Articles

Collier, Brian, and Lindsey Passenger Wieck. "Teaching the American West." *Journal of the West* 49, no. 3 (Summer 2010): 8-9.

"'To Bring Honor to My Village': Steve Gachupin, the Community of Jemez Ceremony Running, and the Pikes Peak Marathon." *Journal of the West* 46, no. 4 (Fall 2007): 62-71.

### Book Chapters

"The Harlem Globetrotters." In *African American Icons of Sport: Triumph, Courage, and Excellence*, edited by Matthew C. Whitaker, 95-106. Westport, Conn: Greenwood Press, 2008.

"Harlem Globetrotters." In *Icons of Black America: Breaking Barriers and Crossing Boundaries*, edited by Matthew C. Whitaker, 365-376. Santa Barbara, Calif: Greenwood, 2011.

### Selected Book Reviews

Review of *Higher Education in the American West: Regional History and State Contexts*. Higher Education & Society. Edited by Lester F. Goodchild, Richard W. Jonsen, Patty Limerick, and David A Longanecker. *Western Historical Quarterly* (Forthcoming).

Review of *Lessons from an Indian Day School: Negotiating Colonization in Northern New Mexico, 1902–1907*, by Adrea Lawrence. *Reviews in American History*, vol. 41, no 2. June 2013.

Review of *Denver Inside and Out*, by Larry Borowsky, Jeanne Abrams, et al. *Journal of the West* (Forthcoming).

Review of *Education Beyond the Mesas: Hopi Students at Sherman Institute, 1902-1929*, by Matthew Sakiestewa Gilbert. *New Mexico Historical Review* 88, no. 3 (Summer 2013): 355-56.

Review of *Bright Epoch: Women and Coeducation in the American West*, by Andrea G. Radke-Moss. *Western Historical Quarterly* 41, no. 2 (Summer 2010): 237-38.

Review of *The Third Space of Sovereignty: The Postcolonial Politics of U.s.-Indigenous Relations*, by Kevin Bruyneel. *Western Historical Quarterly* 40, no. 2 (Summer 2009): 222-23.

Review of *Boulder: Evolution of a City*, by Silvia Pettem. *Journal of the West* 46, no. 4 (Fall 2007): 99.

Review of *Billy Blackfeet: A Story from History*, by Marc Simmons. *Journal of the West* 46, no. 4 (Fall 2007): 101-2.

Review of *The Seattle Bungalow: 1900-1940*, by Janet Ore. *Journal of the West* 46, no. 4 (Fall 2007): 99.

Review of *America Is Indian Country: Opinions and Perspectives from Indian Country Today*, by José Barreiro and Tim Johnson. *Journal of the West* 46, no. 3 (Summer 2007): 80.

Collier, Brian and Mark Appleton. Review of *Finding the West: Explorations with Lewis and Clark*, by James Ronda. *Journal of the West* 46, no. 2 (Spring 2007): 117.

### **Web-Based Publications**

"The Battle for Socialism continues on into the 21<sup>st</sup> century." *American History*. ABC-CLIO. September 10, 2010. <<http://americanhistory2.abc-clio.com/>>

ABC Clío Essay for High School Students on "Frontier History as False Nationalism." *American History*. ABC-CLIO. <http://www.americanhistory.abc-clio.com> (accessed February 24, 2009).

### **Other Publications**

"American Catholicism." *American History*. ABC-CLIO, 2013.

Encyclopedia of American Indian Policy entries: Mission Schools, Francis Paul Prucha, Eddie Brown, 2007.

Encyclopedia of Native American Sport entries: Native American Running, WINGS, and Steve Gachupin, 2006.

Movie Review: *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy* (12-1): *Runaway Bride*, Spring 2000.

Movie Review: *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy* (13-4): *Family Man*, Fall, 2001

### **Books in Progress**

"We Went to Church and We Prayed": *St. Catherine Indian School, Santa Fe, 1887-2006*. (Under Review: University of Nebraska Press)

"To Bring Honor to my Village," *The Steve Gachupin Story: Native American Running as Communitarian Ceremony*.

### **Educational Resources and Publications**

"Women in Baseball Lesson Plan," Major League Baseball Project Celebrating 21 years since 'A League of their Own,' July 2, 2013.

Classroom Engagement Project: Social Studies Instructional Strategies – Penn Harris Madison School District, Fall 2009.

## **AWARDS/HONORS**

2014 - 2015	Ryan Family Hall Faculty Fellow
2014	"Award of Merit" for outstanding service to the field of Western History and to the Western History Association, Western History Association
2009	"Favorite Professor Award" for outstanding contributions in the classroom, University of Notre Dame
2008	Pew Center for Faculty Teaching and Learning Excellence Travel Award
2006	Outstanding Graduate Student Award, Department of History, Arizona State University
2005-2006	Nominated by Students for University wide Graduate Student Teaching Excellence Award (Former Chairs of the committee may not win), Arizona State University
2004-2005	Graduate and Professional Student Association Founder's Award for University Service, Arizona State University
2004	Social Science History Association Graduate Student Conference Travel and Research Award, Arizona State University
2003, 2004	Hull Outstanding Teaching Award, Department of History, Arizona State University
2004	Governor's Certificate of Appreciation, State of Arizona
2004	Anti-Violence Women's Resource Center Service Award
2002-2003	ASASU, GPSA Outstanding Service Award
2002, 2004-05	Millett Travel Grant, Arizona State University
2000	"Best Paper" Award, Phi Alpha Theta Regional Historical Conference
1996, 1997	St. Catherine Indian School "Teacher of the Month" (April 1996, May 1997, October 1997)
1996	New Mexico's "Teacher of the Year" Award Nominee

## **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

2015	Ganey Community Engagement Award, Course Development Grant, \$2,500
2014	Library of Congress Co-Sponsorship with the Western History Association, \$12,000
2013	Library of Congress Conference Planning Grant, \$9,975
2013	Library of Congress Co-Sponsorship with the Western History Association, \$10,000
2012	Library of Congress Co-Sponsorship with the Western History Association, \$15,000

2012	"Charles Redd Center Western History Association K-12 Teacher Travel Award," \$2000
2011	"Charles Redd Center Western History Association K-12 Teacher Travel Award," \$2000
2010	"Charles Redd Center Western History Association K-12 Teacher Travel Award," \$2000
2010	Teaching American History grant, "Northern Arizona History Academy Project," \$999,953 (Authors: Wood, Collier, and Passenger)
2010	Western History Association, Teaching with Primary Source Supplemental Impact Grant, \$5000 cash and \$5000 in kind
2010	Teaching with Primary Sources, Library of Congress American Memory Project, Impact Grant, \$15,095
2009	Sterlin Harjo and "Four Sheets to the Wind," Henkels Interdisciplinary Visiting Speaker Grant, \$1790
2009	"Charles Redd Center Western History Association K-12 Teacher Travel Award," \$2000
2009	"Native American Histories & Cultures in the Twentieth Century and Beyond," Interim: Course Development Grant, \$3,500
2009	Western History Association, Teaching with Primary Source Supplemental Impact Grant, \$5000 cash and \$5000 in kind
2009	Teaching with Primary Sources, Library of Congress American Memory Project, Impact Grant \$14,997
2008	Teaching with Primary Sources, Library of Congress American Memory Project Awareness Grant, \$4985
2008	"Charles Redd Center Western History Association K-12 Teacher Travel Award," \$2000
2006	"Liberia and the Settler Movement – an Evening with Jeremy Levitt," Multicultural Student Center \$500.00
2006	"Creating an Indian Space on the National Mall – an Evening with Amy Lonetree." Multicultural Student Center \$500.00, Phi Alpha Theta, \$ 250, Department of History \$100
2005	"The New American University: Corporations, Technology, and the Military Industrial Compound." Programming and Activities Board \$2200, Graduate and Professional Student Association \$500.00
2004	The Next Millennium: New Directions in Native American Studies Conference, Collaborative Conference Cambridge University and Arizona State University. University President's Office Grant \$10,000
2004	"Wagging the Dogs: The formative powers of the media in times of War," Programming and Activities Board \$2000, Graduate and Professional Student Association \$1000

- 2004 State Legislative University Budget Debate, "An Evening with Rep. Barnes," Arizona Student Association \$500
- 2004 Teach-In, Graduate and Professional Student Association \$1000, Undergraduate Student Government \$500
- 2004 "Hip-Hop and Feminism – an Evening with Cheryl Keyes," Graduate and Professional Student Association \$500, Undergraduate Student Government \$200
- 2003 Maricopa County Sheriff Debates, "Policing the Police," Arizona Student Association \$100.00
- 2003 "An Evening with Jonathan Schell on the War in Iraq" Arizona Student Association \$1000, Graduate and Professional Student Association \$1000.00
- 2003 Teach-In, Associated Students of Arizona State University \$1000.00
- 2002 Graduate Student Teaching Excellence Awards, Associated Students of Arizona State University \$3000

## SELECTED INVITED TALKS

- 2015 "A Landscape of Possibility," Native American Recognition Ceremony Keynote Address, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN May 15.
- 2015 "An Historical and Landscape View of Education in Michiana," Michiana Leadership Class, John Adams High School, South Bend, IN March 19.
- 2014 "Native Continuity in Education," Native American Recognition Ceremony Keynote Address, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN May 16.
- 2014 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Damien High School, La Verne, CA, December, 3, 2014.
- 2014 "Racial Inequality in American Education," History Club, University of Notre Dame, March 5, 2014.
- 2014 "Partnering with Teachers: K-20 Education is for Everyone," Teacher Librarian Day New Networks, Denver, CO February 28, 2014.
- 2013 "We went to church and we prayed: Native Education at Notre Dame," Native American Recognition Ceremony Keynote Address, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN May 17.
- 2013 "Choices," Junior Class Discussion, Trinity Valley School, Fort Worth, TX November 10-12, 2013.
- 2013 "Becoming You," Senior Class TOE Retreat, Trinity Valley School, Fort Worth, TX November 10-12, 2013.

- 2013 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, CT, October 30, 2013.
- 2013 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Christian Brothers Academy, Lincroft, NJ, October 29, 2013.
- 2013 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO, October 1, 2013.
- 2013 "Active Learning in PreK-12 Classrooms," "Assessing Not Just for the Test," and "Planning Like Your (Personal) Life Depends On It!" Beginning Teacher Institute, Independent Schools Association of the Southwest (ISAS), Houston, TX September 25-26
- 2013 Belles Connect, "History of South Bend: Race and Class" St. Mary's College and South Bend, IN August 20, 2013.
- 2013 "The Road Ahead for Catholic Education: New Landscapes, No Limits: A National Perspective," Diocese of Sacramento, Sacramento, CA, May 15, 2013.
- 2013 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, University of Evansville, Evansville, IN, April 12, 2013.
- 2013 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Furman University, Greenville, SC, April 9, 2013.
- 2012 "Creating an American Identity: Murals, Mascots, and the Law," University of Notre Dame School of Law, Notre Dame, Indiana, November 13.
- 2012 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, and Save Your Family," Hesburgh Lecture, Las Vegas, Nevada, September 26
- 2012 Beginning Teacher Institute, Independent Schools Association of the Southwest (ISAS), Albuquerque, New Mexico, September 19 – 21
- 2012 "Historiography of Education in America," Department of History, University of Alaska Fairbanks, September 13
- 2012 "Choices: How to be a Successful College Student," Forth Worth, Texas, May 2
- 2012 "Save Our Schools, Save Our Country, Save Your Family," Wilmington, Delaware, April 25
- 2012 "University Partnerships with American Schools," Diocese of Sacramento Catholic Schools Education Symposium, Sacramento, California, March 27
- 2012 "Assessment and Planning for Effective Teaching," Diocese of Reno, Reno, Nevada, March 3
- 2011 "Native Education in the United States," Native American Recognition Ceremony Keynote Address, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN May 20

- 2011 "Active Assessment in the Pre-K – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom," and "Unit Planning and Preparation," St. Michael's Indian School, St. Michael's, Arizona, September 30
- 2011 "Active Learning in PreK-12 Classrooms," "Assessing Not Just for the Test," and "Planning Like Your (Personal) Life Depends On It!" Beginning Teacher Institute, Independent Schools Association of the Southwest (ISAS), Dallas, Texas, September 21 and 22
- 2011 "How our schools are funded in Indiana," EduClub, University of Notre Dame
- 2011 "Helping Teachers Succeed," Parent Retreat, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
- 2011 "Constructing meaningful skills based units on the West and non-traditional testing OR Performance Assessments and what your students really know," University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia, March 3
- 2011 "The interactive West: A hand's on workshop of lessons and strategies for teachers," University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia, March 3
- 2010 "Teaching with Primary Sources and Library of Congress Grant Writing Workshop," Library of Congress Teaching with Primary Sources Workshop, Incline Village, Nevada, October 12 – 13
- 2010 "Curriculum Development and Planning: In-Service Training," St. John the Baptist Catholic School, Fort Wayne, Indiana, August 24
- 2010 "Building the ACE Community," Parent Retreat, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, July 22
- 2010 "Cherokee History and Reservation Manners," University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, February 25
- 2010 Workshop, Curriculum and Instructive Initiative, Dioceses of Fort Wayne – South Bend, Warsaw, Indiana, January 28
- 2009 Future Native American Educators, "Teaching Other People's Children: The view from the outside," Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona, March 31
- 2009 Teach-in on Global Climate Change, "Failing Dams and Damn Failures: Sharing Resources in a Rapidly Populated West," Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona, February 5
- 2008 "Insights from Gender Studies," Steve and Bernice Gachupin Bringing Honor to Their Village, Northern Arizona University, Diversity Symposium, November 14
- 2007 "Native Americans: Past, Present, and Future," LaSalle Middle School, South Bend, Indiana, November 2



- 2007 "From Assimilation to Reclamation: American Indians and Boarding School Policy, 1887-2007," [Newberry Library Teachers' Consortium seminar](#), October 17
- 2007 "The History of the Holiday and Why I want Indigenous People's Day," Re-thinking Columbus, October 8
- 2007 "Brokeback Mountain: A Western and Historical Discussion," Phi Alpha Theta Film Series, Grand Valley State University, January 30
- 2006 "Rosewood and Twentieth Century Racism," Phi Alpha Theta Film Series, Grand Valley State University, September
- 2006 "Winners and Losers: Rewarding Great American Teachers," Graduate and Professional Student Teaching Excellence Awards, Keynote Address, March
- 2005 "Shut-Up you Dirty Hippie: Teaching Anti-war Activist to speak and listen as to be heard," Arizona Intellectual Anti-War Society, November

## CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

### Conferences Organized

- 2013 The American West and Teaching with Primary Sources, April 3-6, Notre Dame, IN
- 2010 "Honoring Peter Iverson," February 19-20, Tempe, AZ
- 2005 "The New American University: Corporations, Technology, and the Military Industrial Compound, May, Tempe, AZ
- 2004 The Next Millennium: New Directions in Native American Studies Conference, May, Cambridge, UK
- 2004 "Wagging the Dogs: The formative powers of the media in times of War," April, Tempe, AZ
- 2004 State Legislative University Budget Debate, "An Evening with Rep. Barnes," Spring, Tempe, AZ
- 2003 Maricopa County Sheriff Debates, "Policing the Police," Fall, Tempe, AZ
- 2003 "An Evening with Jonathan Schell on the War in Iraq," Spring, Tempe, AZ

### Conference Panels Chaired

- 2014 "Global West: Teaching with Primary Sources," Western History Association Conference, Newport Beach, October 18
- 2012 "Indians on the Road: How to Teach, Research, and Publish Borderlands, Identity, and Transnational Histories," Western History Association Conference, Denver, CO, October 6

- 2010 "Many Wests and Multiple Identities: Sacredness, Nationhood, and the Blackhills in the American Mind," Western History Association Conference, Lake Tahoe, NV, October 14
- 2010 "Stories from a Storied Career," Honoring Peter Iverson, Tempe, AZ February 20
- 2009 "The Environment, Nature, and the Politics of Tourism in the Twentieth-Century American West," Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Conference, Albuquerque, NM, August 7

### **Papers Presented**

- 2012 "Indian Savages, Mascots, and Murals in Educational Environments: How the Past Gets Told and Retold (Badly) in our Schools and Universities, Western History Association Annual Conference, Denver, CO, October 7
- 2011 Workshop: "Rugged Individualism: Designing Performance Assessments for the History Classroom (K-University) to Stem the Tide of Cheating," Western History Association Conference, Oakland, CA, October 13
- 2009 "'To Bring Honor to my Village:' Steve Gachupin and the Community of Jemez Pueblo and Native Running," American Society for Ethnohistory, New Orleans, LA, October 1
- 2007 "Volunteer and Start a Career: Teaching in Alternative Environments," Fire-Up Conference, Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, MI, October 15
- 2007 "Stoplight to 100% Student Participation," Looking for the Light: Observing Student Learning in the Classroom, Grand Valley State University, Grand Rapids, MI, September 14
- 2007 "Volunteer Teaching As A Career Launching Method: Reservations and Inner-City Schools," Fire-Up Conference, Grand Valley State University, Allendale, MI, March 5
- 2006 "St. Kate's was an Indian School, it was always an Indian School and we went to church and we prayed," Maple and Eagle Conference, Helsinki, Finland, May
- 2006 "Academic Libraries in Transition, Students Speak," Arizona University Library Consortium Panelist, Tempe, Arizona, February
- 2006 "National, Socioeconomic, and Ethnic Identity," Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference. Commentator, Tempe, Arizona, February
- 2005 "St. Catherine Indian School Santa Fe, NM: The Ending of a Catholic Boarding School and the Beginning of a New Sovereignty," Ethnohistory, Santa Fe, NM, November
- 2005 "What is the Future of this Relationship: The untenured and Minority People and the WHA," Organization of American Historians Council Meeting with the Western History Association, San Francisco, CA, April

- 2005 "The New American University Symposium, Where are we Going and at what cost: A Call for further academic dialogue on the University system's role with corporations, technologies, and the military," Tempe, AZ, April
- 2004 "Water, the Environment, and Human Ecology in the American West," Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL, November
- 2004 "Changing Images and Records in Indian Education," Western History Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, October
- 2004 The Next Millennium: New Directions in Native American Studies Conference, Carol College, Cambridge, UK, May
- 2004 "Forming a Graduate Student Association," NAGPS West Conference, Tempe, AZ, April
- 2003 "American Indian Education Converts: St. Catherine Indian School and the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament," Ethnohistory Conference, Riverside, CA, November
- 2003 Graduate Student Discussion on Future Faculty, American Historical Association, Chicago, IL, January
- 2002 "Handy Ditch and Irrigation Company: Water and growing Urban Environments," Arizona and New Mexico Historical Association Conference, Las Cruces, NM, April

#### **Discussant**

- 2010 "Looking Beyond the Elite Exterior: A Study of New England Boarding School Values and Student Perceptions," University of Notre Dame Undergraduate Scholars Conference, South Bend, IN, April 30
- 2010 "How to be a Good Communist in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Motivations of Chinese College Students to Join the CCP," University of Notre Dame Undergraduate Scholars Conference, South Bend, IN, April 30
- 2009 "Active Learning in the Western History Classroom," Western History Association, Denver, CO, October 7
- 2008 "Great Expectations: Challenging Assumptions in Indigenous History," Western History Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, October 25
- 2008 "Teaching Western History in the K-20 Classroom," Western History Association, Moderator, Salt Lake City, UT, October 22
- 2008 "Toward a More Inclusive History: Writing Smaller Native American Communities into the Historical Narrative," Native American and Indigenous Studies Conference, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, April, 11
- 2007 "Comparative Representations of Racism in Language, Politics, and Visual Discourse," Great Lakes History Conference, Grand Rapids, MI, October 27

- 2007 "Contesting Black Humanity: Activism, Images and the Elusive Search for Equality," Great Lakes History Conference, Grand Rapids, MI, October 27,
- 2004 "Science and Art: American Indian interpretations through the years," Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, Tempe, AZ, January
- 2003 "Nationalism vs. Regional Autonomy," Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, Tempe, AZ, January

### **Events and Workshops Organized**

- 2013 Founder and Organizer, "Take a Historian to School Day" Program that facilitates taking members of the Western History Association to local schools to present to K-12 students during the WHA Annual Conference, Tucson, AZ, October 10-11
- 2012 Founder and Organizer, "Take a Historian to School Day" Program that facilitates taking members of the Western History Association to local schools to present to K-12 students during the WHA Annual Conference, Denver, CO, October 14
- 2011 Founder and Organizer, "Take a Historian to School Day" Program that facilitates taking members of the Western History Association to local schools to present to K-12 students during the WHA Annual Conference, Oakland, California, October 13
- 2011 Scholarship Direct to the Classroom Luncheon: Authors of Western History Share their Work with K-12 Teachers, Oakland, California, October 14
- 2010 Scholarship Direct to the Classroom Luncheon: Authors of Western History Share their Work with K-12 Teachers, Incline Village, Nevada, October 14
- 2010 "Teaching with Primary Sources and Library of Congress Grant Writing Workshop," Incline Village, Nevada, October 12-13
- 2009 "Western History Association Teaching with Primary Sources and Active Learning Workshop: A workshop for Social Studies and History Methods Instructors," Denver, Colorado, October 10-11
- 2009 Book Discussion on Recent Scholarship: Matching K-12 Teachers and Authors, Denver, Colorado, October 8

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **University of Notre Dame**

Courses:

The Novel West: Fiction, Film, and Fact, spring 2015  
The System: Opportunity, Crisis, and Obligation in American Education, fall 2011-  
Spring 2012  
History of American Education: Race, Class, Gender and Politics, fall 2010 - Current  
Introduction to Teaching, summer 2010-2014  
Social Studies Education I, summer 2010-2014  
Social Studies Education II, summer 2010-2014  
Social Studies Assessment, summer 2010-current  
Topics in Educational Psychology: Motivation, spring 2010-2014  
Native American Histories and Cultures in the 20th Century and Beyond, spring 2010-  
current  
M.Ed. Supervision, fall 2009-current  
M.Ed. Classroom Visitation, fall 2009-current  
Capstone: Research Seminar, Education, Schooling, and Society, fall 2009

### **Northern Arizona University**

Courses:

History Teaching Methods, Summer 2008-2012  
Readings in U.S. History: Race and Education, Winter 2010-2013  
Capstone: History of American Education, Spring 2009  
Student Teaching Supervision, Spring 2009  
Group History of Education in America, Fall 2008  
Historians and Historiography, Fall 2008

### **Grand Valley State University**

Courses:

American Indian History, Summer 2008  
History of Gender, Family, and Sexuality, Winter 2008  
Sports History, Summer 2006, Spring 2007, Winter 2008:  
Methods and Strategies for Middle and Secondary Teachers, Including Supervision, Fall  
2006 - Winter 2008  
Strategies for Social Studies Teachers, Fall 2006- Fall 2007  
Social Studies Capstone, Spring 2007, Summer 2008

### **Arizona State University**

Courses:

American Indian History since 1900, Summer 2006  
U.S. Cultural History from 1865 – Present, Spring 2006  
U.S. Women's History from 1865 – Present, Spring 2006  
American Indian History to 1900, Spring 2005

American History 1918-1945, Fall 2005

Early American History, Spring 2004

From the Civil War to the Present, U.S. History, Fall 2003, Fall 2004 - Fall 2005

## **STUDENT RESEARCH SUPERVISION**

### **Master's Committee**

Lindsey Passenger

"A Culture and Language of Their Own: Redefining Education and Citizenship in Guadalupe, Arizona, 1970-1979," Northern Arizona University, May 2010.

### **Political Science Thesis**

Michael "Mitch" Kochanski

"Strategic Decision-Making in NGO's: A Case Study of the Alliance for Catholic Education," University of Notre Dame, May 2014.

### **History Thesis**

Samantha Reich

"Politics and Pedagogy in Chicago," University of Notre Dame, May, 2012.

### **Program of Liberal Studies Thesis**

Caitlyn Kalscheur

"Common Core and Changes in Education," University of Notre Dame, May 2013.

### **American Studies Thesis**

Linda Scheiber

"Going Green in the Classroom: An Elementary School Environmental Education Unit for Citizen Stewards," University of Notre Dame, May 2013.

Mary Kate Veselik

"Formation Through Foundation: The Implications of Residential Living on Students' Identity at the University of Notre Dame," University of Notre Dame, May 2014.

### **Poverty Studies Thesis**

Amber Lalla

"Food Insecurity: Chronic Disease and the Reservation Communities," University of Notre Dame, May 2015.

Kelly Huffman

"Informal STEM Education: Increasing Engagement, Self-Efficacy, and Academic Achievement for Low-Income Students," University of Notre Dame, December 2014.

### **Sociology Thesis**

Rachel Zajdel

"Native American Representations in High School History Textbooks," University of Notre Dame, May 2015.

### **Honors Project Chair**

Carly Anderson	Nanovic Institute, "Finland's Educational Process and History," Spring 2012 (University of Notre Dame)
Veronica Arce	"The Great Depression Unit Plan for High School" Fall – 2007 Winter 2008 (Grand Valley State University)
Kathryn Christensen	"Korean War Unit Plan for High School" Winter 2007 (Grand Valley State University)

### **EDUCATIONAL TRAINING AND CONSULTING**

2014	ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," Diocese of Toledo, Findlay, OH, July 28-30.
2013	ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," Diocese of LaCrosse, Diocese of LaCrosse, WI, August 5 – 9.
2012	ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," Blessed Sacrament School, Diocese of Savannah, Savannah, GA, July 30 – August 3
2011	ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Fall Workshop," Bishop Manogue Catholic High School, Diocese of Reno, Reno, NV, October 15
2011	"Active Assessment in the Pre-K – 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom," and "Unit Planning and Preparation," St. Michael's Indian School, St. Michael's, AZ paid for by the Window Rock Unified School District, September 30
2011	"Active Learning in PreK-12 Classrooms," "Assessing Not Just for the Test," and "Planning Like Your (Personal) Life Depends On It!" at Beginning Teacher Institute, Independent Schools Association of the Southwest (ISAS), Dallas, Texas, September 21 and 22
2011	ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," Bishop Manogue Catholic High School, Diocese of Reno, Reno, NV, August 1-5
2011	"Constructing meaningful skills based units on the West and non-traditional testing OR Performance Assessments and what your students really know," University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, March 3

- 2011 "The interactive West: A hands on workshop of lessons and strategies for teachers," University of Virginia, through Teaching American History Grant "America on the World's Stage," March 3
- 2010 "Curriculum Development and Planning: In-Service Training," St. Pius X Catholic School, Granger, IN November 9
- 2010 ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," University of Saint Francis, Fort Wayne, IN, August 2-6
- 2010 ACE Collaborative for Academic Excellence, "Summer Curriculum Workshop," University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN, July 26-30
- 2010 Diversity in the Schools, University of Notre Dame, ACE Panelist, June
- 2010 In-service, "Writing Transparent Job Descriptions to Have Transparent Jobs," The American School of the Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, June 11-12 and July 15-18
- 2010 In-service, "Envisioning Our Future: The American School of the Dominican Republic," Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, May 24-27
- 2010 Curriculum and Instructive Initiative. Dioceses of Fort Wayne – South Bend, Warsaw, IN, January 28
- 2009 "Teaching Western History using Primary Sources," Library of Congress Teaching with Primary Sources Workshop, Denver, CO, October 10
- 2009 Preparing Future Faculty at Arizona State University, Department of History, "Teaching in Different Environments," Arizona State University, April 10
- 2009 "Preparing to take the AP U.S. History Exam: Grading and Strategies," Cactus Shadows High School, Scottsdale, AZ, April 9
- 2009 Future Native American Educators, "Teaching Other People's Children: The view from the outside," Northern Arizona University, March 31
- 2007 "The History of and New Directions in American Indian Education," In-Service Presentation for Faculty and Staff, St. Michaels Indian School, St. Michaels, AZ, October 12

#### **SELECTED RELATED EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

- 2005-Present Book Review Editor, Journal of the West
- 2003-2006 Instructor, Arizona State University
- 2002-2004 Graduate Student Editor, [H-AMINDIAN](#)
- 2001-2002 Graduate Assistant, Arizona State University History Preparing Future Faculty Program



2000-2001	Teacher, Humanities, Carolina Day School, Asheville, North Carolina
1997-1998	Director and Founder, Santa Fe "Run for the Nuns"
1995-1998	Teacher, History, Theology, and English, St. Catherine Indian School, Santa Fe, New Mexico
1993-1995	Law Clerk, Scariano, Kula, Elch, and Himes, Chtd., Chicago, Illinois

## PROFESSIONAL BOARDS

2015-present	School Board Member, St. Michael's Indian School
2014-present	Advisory Board, Teaching Together
2014-present	Member, Better Way Foundation Board of Directors
2014-present	Chair, Domestic Committee, Better Way Foundation
2013-present	Advisory Board, <i>Journal of the West</i>
2013-2014	Member, Sieben Foundation Board of Directors
2013-2014	Secretary, Sieben Foundation Board
2013-2014	Member, Conflict of Interest Committee, Sieben Foundation
2013-2014	Member, Native American Committee, Sieben Foundation
2009-2012	School Board Member, St. Michael's Indian School

## SERVICE TO PROFESSION

2012-current	faculty Advisor for Native American Student Association of Notre Dame
2012	Manuscript Review, Temple University Press
2012	External Reviewer for Faculty Promotion at Arizona State University
2011- current	Faculty Advisor for Harmonia, Notre Dame's all-female a capella group
2011	Dedication Committee for Carole Sandner Hall, University of Notre Dame
2011	Western History Association Past Presidents Project, "Ray Allen Billington."
2011-2012	State Accreditation Committee, University of Notre Dame
2011-2015	Place and Space in ACE Coordinator: Multicultural and Multi-ethnic Teaching, University of Notre Dame
2011-2012	Western History Association Program Committee, Oakland, CA
2010-2011	Peer Reviewer for <i>Western Historical Quarterly</i>
2010	Guest Editor, <i>Teaching the American West</i> , Special Edition of <i>Journal of the West</i> 49, no. 3.
2010	Search Committee for Director of Center for K-12 Educational Access
2009- 2012	School Board St. Michael Indian School, St. Michaels, Arizona
2009	Saint Michael Indian School News, "T-Birds Remember Sr. Marguerite Bartz."
2009	Western History Semi-Annual Newsletter, "Teaching at the WHA."
2008-2009	Western History Association, Development Committee

2008	Western History Semi-Annual Newsletter, "Teachers at the WHA."
2008	Proquest Curriculum Online "Culture Grams" Content Critique
2008	Utah State University, Instructor for Conference
2008- 2010	USTEC, Northern Arizona University
2008-2009	Charles Redd Center Western History Travel Award Committee
2008-2009	Undergraduate Committee, Northern Arizona University
2008	Publishing with Students Task Force, Department of History, GVSU
2007-current	Western History Association, Co-Chair Committee on Teaching Western History
2007-2008	Latin American Search Committee, Department of History, GVSU
2007	Western History Semi-Annual Newsletter, "Committee Report on Teaching."
2006-2007	MA Committee, Department of History GVSU
2006-2007	Western History Association, Trennert / Iverson Graduate Student Conference
2006-2007	Travel Grant Endowed Fundraising Committee, Co-Chair
2007	Judge National History Day State Competition, The Henry Ford, Dearborn, MI
2007-2008	Judge National History Day, GVSU Regional Competition, Allendale, MI
2006	Teaching Anti-war Activists to speak with Pro-War Supporters
2005	Teach-In 2005, Presentation on "Branding Traitors and Creating Heroes: The Power of History"
2005	Catholic.org encyclopedia entry on Katharine Drexel
2004-2005	Search and Hiring Committee History / Education Committee
2004-2005	Committee on the Outstanding Doctoral Mentor, Division of Graduate Studies
2004-2005	Graduate Students Advisory Council, Department of History
2004	Conference Organizer: Listening - Natives and Academics Speak: A New Dialogue for a new Millennium. Cambridge, UK.
2004	Moderator "Wagging the Dogs: The formative powers of the media," Tempe, AZ
2004	Moderator State Legislative University Budget Debate with Rep. Barnes, Tempe, AZ
2004	Moderator Maricopa County Sheriff Debates, Tempe, AZ
2004-2005	Ex-Officio Member of the Faculty Senate Arizona State University

## **MEDIA COVERAGE**

2010	"En las escuelas, todos son maestros," <i>DRSol</i> , June 15
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- 2008 "Hillary Clinton's Tears," ABC Television Affiliate *Take Five Grand Rapids*, January 7
- 2008 "Banished Towns Across America," *Grand Valley State University Lanthorn*, by Brandy Arnold, January 7
- 2006 "Speakers Ask Students to Re-Think Holiday," *Grand Valley State University Lanthorn*, October 12
- 2006 "The Great Divide," *The State Press*, by Sam Friedman, February 16
- 2005 "Grade Grubbing" *The State Press*, by Sam Friedman, November 17
- 2003 "Students to Support Troops Condemn War," NBC Affiliate, Nightly News Phoenix, March
- 2003 "ASU Student leads Anti-war Resolution," ABC Affiliate, Nightly News Phoenix, March
- 2003 "Students vote to Condemn War," Fox Affiliate Phoenix, March

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

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| 2015- Present               | Member, Coalition for Western Women's History    |
| 2011- Present               | Member, American Studies Association             |
| 2008- Present               | Member, National Council for History Education   |
| 2003- 2007, 2009            | Member, Society for Ethnohistory                 |
| 2002- 2004, 2006-2009, 2014 | Member, Western Literature Association           |
| 2001- 2007, 2011- Present   | Member, American Historical Association          |
| 2001- Present               | Member, Western Historical Association           |
| 2001- 2006, 2009            | Member, American Catholic Historical Association |
| 1998- Present               | Member, Phi Alpha Theta Historical Honor Society |
| 1995- 1998                  | Member, National Catholic Education Association  |