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## **Education:**

ABD PhD Candidate, Department of History, University at Buffalo

Master of Arts in American Studies, Department of Transnational Studies, University at Buffalo,  
May 2015

Magistra Artium in American Studies, Leipzig University, Germany, October 2009  
Minor subjects: Political Science and Journalism

Binghamton University, Exchange Program, 2006-2007

## **Dissertation Project:**

“Gynecology and the Professionalization of Medicine, 1880-1920”

## **Publications:**

“Clinton for President: Campaign Rhetoric and Gender Dynamics in the 2008 Presidential  
Primaries” with Rochelle Gregory. *Political Women: Language and Leadership*. Eds. Michele  
Lockhart and Kathleen Mollick, Lanham: Lexington Books. 2013

## **Book Reviews:**

Carl Nightingale, *Segregation: A World History of Divided Cities* (University of Chicago Press,  
2012). *Amerikastudien / American Studies*. Heidelberg: Universitätsverlag Winter, 59.3, 2014

## **Research in Progress:**

“Women’s Movements for Reproductive Health in the Early Twentieth Century”

## **Invited Presentations and Conference Papers:**

Invited lecturer, “Making Sex Modern: European Sexology at the Turn of the Twentieth  
Century,” Sponsored by Daemen’s Women’s Studies Program, Daemen College, March 20, 2015

Invited lecturer, “The Long Civil Rights Movement,” Daemen College, October 21, 2013

“Birth Control and the Long Women’s Rights Movement” at Bavarian American Academy, 5<sup>th</sup>  
International Summer Academy for Doctoral Students and Junior Faculty in American Studies,  
Munich and Nuremberg, May 20 - June 3, 2013

“African American Veterans of World War Two and the Civil Rights Movement” at “Lost in Translation? Race in Transnational Contexts,” Transnational Tuesdays Lecture Series, Department of Transnational Studies, University at Buffalo, April 6, 2013

“Transnational Interactions of Racial Ideology in Postwar Germany” at “Wanna Race? Constructions and Contestations of ‘Race’ in German Cultural History,” the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual *Focus* on German Studies Graduate Student Conference at the University of Cincinnati, October 19-20, 2012

“Competing Agencies: Feminist Perspectives on the French Headscarf Debate” at the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Susan B. Anthony Institute for Gender and Women’s Studies Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference at the University of Rochester, March 23-24, 2012

Invited lecturer, “The Politics of Food,” Binghamton University, April 6, 2010

**Conferences Attended:**

“Rural America,” German Association for American Studies conference, Erlangen, Germany, May 30 - June 2, 2013

“The Transnational Turn in the Humanities,” Transnational Studies conference, Buffalo, March 22-23, 2013

“Education and the U.S.A.” German Association for American Studies conference, Jena, Germany, June 5, 2009

“Ambivalent Americanizations: Popular and Consumer Culture in Central and Eastern Europe,” American Studies department conference, Leipzig, Germany November 24-26, 2005

**Teaching Experience:**

Adjunct Instructor, History 161 “The United States to 1877,” Online Class, University at Buffalo, Winter semester 2018

Teaching Assistant for Dr. David Herzberg, History 240 “Alcohol and Other Drugs in U.S. History,” University at Buffalo, Fall 2018

Teaching Assistant for Dr. Tamara Thornton, History 161 “The United States to 1877,” University at Buffalo, Department of History, Fall 2015 - Spring 2016

Teaching Assistant for Dr. Carl Nightingale, UGC 112 “World Civilizations,” University at Buffalo, Department of Transnational Studies, Spring 2015

Teaching Assistant for Dr. Camilo Trumper, UGC 111 “World Civilizations,” University at Buffalo, Department of Transnational Studies, Fall 2014

Adjunct instructor, German 102 and German 102, University at Buffalo, Department of Linguistics, Fall 2011- Fall 2014

Adjunct instructor, German 101, D'Youville College, Liberal Arts Department, Spring 2014

**Research Experience:**

Research Assistant, SUNY Research Foundation, working with Dr. David Herzberg, Fall 2016 – Spring 2017

**Awards and Fellowships:**

Women in Medicine Legacy Foundation Research Fellowship for research at the Countway Library of Medicine, Harvard University, 2017-2018

Travel Fellowship, Special Collections and University Archives, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2017-2018

Travel Grant from the Mark Diamond Research Fund, Graduate Student Association, University at Buffalo, October 2017

Dissertation Fellowship, Department of History, Fall 2016

UUP Professional Development Award, 2012

**Languages:**

German (native speaker)

English (fluent)

Italian (advanced reading, writing, and speaking proficiency)

**Research Interests:**

U.S. Women's History

History of Health and Medicine

Feminist Theory

Progressive Era

**Academic Service:**

Graduate Assistant at UB Curriculum, University at Buffalo, Spring 2017

Graduate History Association, Senator, 2015-2016

American Studies Graduate Student Association, Senator, 2014-2015

Co-organizer of the 10<sup>h</sup> Annual Storyteller Conference at the University at Buffalo, April 11-12, 2014

American Studies Graduate Student Association, President, 2013-2014

Co-organizer of the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Storyteller Conference at the University at Buffalo, April 12-13, 2013

American Studies Graduate Student Association, Secretary, 2012-2013

Editor in Chief of the Music Department of Mephisto 97.6, Local Radio Station of the University of Leipzig, 2006

Reporter for Mephisto 97.6, Leipzig, 2004-2006

Senator of the European Student Association, Binghamton University, 2006-2007

**Internships:**

Reporter for Bayerischer Rundfunk, Radio Bayern 2, Department for Cultural Criticism and Literature, Munich, 2007

Assistant to the Director at Prinzregententheater, Munich, 2003

Intern at Regionalfernsehen Rosenheim, editorial department and technical department, Rosenheim, 2002

**Community Service:**

Organizer with the Buffalo Adjunct Movement since 2014

Volunteer for the Binghamton Urban Farm Project, Binghamton, NY, 2009 - 2011