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EDUCATION

**B.A. University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA** April 2016

 Majors: History, English Literature (Honors), ***magna cum laude***

 Certificates: African Studies, Medieval and Renaissance Studies

**M.A. The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH** May 2020

 History

**Ph.D** **The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH** *In Progress*

History

*Major Field*: Africa; *Minor Fields*: Diplomatic Hist., African Decolonization Hist.

 Advisors: Dr. Thomas McDow, Dr. Sarah Van Beurden

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

**The Ohio State University, Mershon Center for International Security Studies**

**Graduate Student Grant**

*Researcher/Recipient* (Summer 2020)

Funds to support archival research domestically 2020­–2021. Awarded $5,000.

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

**The Retrieving the American Past Award**

*Researcher/Recipient*, (Summer 2020)

Funds to support archival research in Austin, TX. Awarded $1,000.

**The Ohio State University, Humanities Institute, The Center for Humanities in Practice**

**Graduate Research Associate Fellowship**

*Research Assistant* (Spring 2020)

For assisting Humanities Institute Director Dr. David Staley in a demographic project for the Office of the Governor of the State of Ohio. Awarded additional 25% GA Appointment.

**The Ohio State University, Mershon Center for International Security Studies**

**Graduate Student Grant**

*Researcher/Recipient* (Summer 2019)

Funds to support archival research abroad 2019­–2020. Awarded $6,000.

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

**Mansel G. Blackford Student Travel Award**

*Researcher/Recipient*, (Summer 2019)

Funds to support archival research in Lusaka, Zambia. Awarded $3,000.

**Yale University, Council on African Studies**

**Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship: Kiswahili**

*Recipient*, (Summer 2018)

Funds to support Kiswahili language study (classroom and experiential) for (2) months.

Yale Summer Session in Arusha, Tanzania: Intermediate Kiswahili II. Awarded $7,500.

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

**History Department Summer Research Award**

*Researcher/Recipient*, (Summer 2018)

Funds to support (2) months of initial Kiswahili language and fieldwork experience in Tanzania. Awarded $3,000.

**The Ohio State University Graduate School**

**University Fellowship**

*Recipient*, (August 2017–August 2018)

 Financial award, selected on the basis of academic merit, to support full-time academic studies.

**The University of Pittsburgh, Office of Undergraduate Research**

**Summer Undergraduate Research Award (SURA)**

*Recipient*, (Summer 2015)

“The Growing Importance of Conflict Minerals in Eastern Congo and the Decay of the Formal Mining Industry: A Historical Approach to Modern Issues.” Awarded $3,500.

PUBLICATIONS AND ONLINE CONTENT

**Origins: Current Events in Historical Perspective (Online)**

*Author/Essayist*

 “Pan-Africanism and the Year of Africa (1960).” Essay forthcoming: December 2020

**OSU Center for Folklore Studies, Ohio Field Schools Initiative Website (Online)**

*Researcher/Participant Ethnographer*

“The Masks We Wear; The Potential We See”: Online public project created from participant ethnographic research/art therapy projects and interviews conducted with women in transitional housing who are struggling with drug addiction (from 3/09/2019–3/15/2019 in Waverly, Ohio).

*https://cfs.osu.edu/archives/collections/ohio-field-schools/masks-we-wear-potential-we-see*

**Research in African Literatures (Indiana University Press)**

*Book Review Author*, (Volume 49, Number 2, Summer 2018)

*Tropical Cowboys: Westerns, Violence, and Masculinity in Kinshasa*, by Ch. Didier Gondola

CONFERENCE AND PRESENTATION ACTIVITY

**Presentation for the Office of the Governor of the State of Ohio**

*Researcher and Co-Presenter,* April 3—Postponed due to COVID-19)

“Demographic Changes in Ohio: A Historical Narrative Put Into Practice”

**45th Annual African Literature Association (ALA) Conference**

*Panel Chair and Presenter,* May 2019

“Politico-Literature, French Intellectualism, and the Relationship Between Algeria and France Through the Eyes of Albert Camus”

**Mid-Atlantic and Great Lakes African Studies Conference, University of Pittsburgh**

*Panel Presenter,* March 2018

“Post-independence Disillusionment and Revolutionary Hope in *Petals of Blood*: ‘Eat or be eaten’ vs. ‘Why can't the eaten eat back?’"

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Discussion Session Leader (DSL)*, (August 2020–December 2020)

HIST 3083: Civil Rights and Black Power Movements, ONLINE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Discussion Session Leader (DSL)*, (January 2020–May 2020)

HIST 3308: History of United States–Africa Relations Since the Early 19th Century, ONLINE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Grader*, (August 2019–December 2019)

HIST 1212: Western Civilization 17th Century to the Present, ONLINE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Grader*, (January 2019–May 2019)

HIST 2720: Big History, ONLINE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Grader*, (August 2018–December 2018)

HIST 2303: History of Africa Since 1960, ONLINE

**University of Pittsburgh, Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR)**

*Instructor*, (January 2017–April 2017)

First Experiences in Research (ARTSCI0120), a topical research methods course

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

**The Ohio State University, Department of History**

*Graduate Student Advisory (GSAC) Representative,* (August 2019­–May 2020)

 Graduate Studies Chair Representative

**The Ohio State University, HIST 7905: Professionalization & Pedagogy**

*Panelist,* (September 26, 2019)

“Reflections on Past Conference Participation”

*Panelist*, (August 23, 2018)

 “Surviving Year One of Graduate School”

**University of Pittsburgh, Dietrich School of Arts & Sciences**

*Committee Judge*, (February 2017)

Wendall Wray Memorial Scholarship: $3,500 awarded to graduate research in the University of Pittsburgh Dietrich School of Arts & Sciences

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

**University of Pittsburgh University Center for International Studies (UCIS)**

*African Studies Program (ASP) Administrative Assistant,* (March 2016–July 2017)

Grant writing: ASP awarded Fulbright-Hays Group Project Abroad (Summer 2017)

**University of Pittsburgh Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR)**

**Forbes&Fifth Undergraduate Research Journal**

*Editor-in-Chief*, (May 2015–May 2016)

Spring 2016: https://www.forbes5.pitt.edu/issue/volume-8-spring-2016

 Fall 2015: http://www.forbes5.pitt.edu/issue/volume-7-fall-2015

*Assistant Editor-in-Chief*, (October 2014–April 2015)

LANGUAGE SKILLS

* English: Native Proficiency
* Kiswahili: Advanced Proficiency
* French: Reading Proficiency

*Professional Memberships:*

African Studies Association (ASA)

African Literature Association (ALA)

American Historical Association (AHA)