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Curriculum Vitae

Education

- Present Doctoral Candidate, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
 Department of Anthropology
 Dissertation title: “Cultivation Regimes: political ecologies of domestication
 at Nadin-Gradina, Croatia, ca. 500 BCE – 1700 CE”
- 2015 MA, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
 Department of Anthropology
- 2012 BA, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
 Archaeological Studies, Greek Language and Literature

Research Interests

Environmental anthropology, historical ecology, political ecology, archaeobotany, landscape, agriculture, domestication, empire, consumption, post-humanism

Publications

- In preparation “Making the Mediterranean Resilient” (Intended for submission to *Conservation and Society*)
- 2012 (with Sam Carrier and Susan Kane) “Predictive modeling: a case study of agricultural terraces at Monte Pallano (Abruzzo, Italy).” In *Revive the Past: Proceedings of the 39th Annual Conference of Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology (CAA)*. Edited by Mingquan Zhou et al. Amsterdam: Pallas Publications, pp. 307-317.

Presentations

- 2018 (with Madeleine McLeester and Mark Schurr) “Hidden houses and a hazy hexagon: ground-truthing remote sensing data at Middle Grant Creek.” 62nd Annual Midwest Archaeology Conference.
- “Cult-ivating a Mediterranean agroecology, from the Roman market to the Catholic altar.” Society for American Archaeology 83rd Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2017 (with Gregory Zaro) “Agrarian landscapes of coastal Croatia: a view from Nadin-Gradina.” Society for American Archaeology 82nd Annual Meeting, Vancouver, British Columbia.
- 2011 “Predictive modeling: a case study of agricultural terraces at Monte Pallano (Abruzzo, Italy).” 39th annual conference of Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology (CAA), Beijing, China.

Teaching Experience

School of the Art Institute of Chicago

2018 Lecturer, “Global Environmental History.” Department of Liberal Arts.

University of Chicago

- 2018 Graduate Lecturer, “Power, Identity, Resistance.” Social Sciences Collegiate Division.
Teaching Assistant, “Peasants: Anthropology, Rural Life, Capitalism.” Department of Anthropology.
- 2017 Teaching Assistant, “People’s Garbage: Introduction to Archaeology & Histories of Waste.”
Department of Anthropology.
Instructor, B.A. Colloquium II, Environmental Studies Program.
Teaching Intern, “Power, Identity, Resistance.” Social Sciences Collegiate Division. (Winter 2017)
- 2016 Teaching Intern, “Power, Identity, Resistance.” Social Sciences Collegiate Division. (Fall 2017)
Teaching Assistant, “Making the Natural World: Foundations of Human Ecology.” Environmental
Studies Program.
- 2015 Teaching Assistant, “Anthropology of Food and Cuisine.” Department of Anthropology.

Oberlin College

- 2014 Lecturer and Supervisor, Sangro Valley Archaeological Field School (Abruzzo, Italy)
- 2012 Teaching Assistant, “Applied GIS”. Department of Geology.
Teaching Assistant, “Techniques of Archaeological Excavation”. Archaeological Studies Program.
Instructor, Winter Term Intensive Greek. Department of Classics.

Professional Experience

- Graduate Preceptor, Program on the Global Environment, University of Chicago. 2016-2017.
- Coordinator, Interdisciplinary Archaeology Workshop, Council on Advanced Studies. University of
Chicago. Chicago, IL. July 2015—June 2016.
- Intern, Anthropology Department, Registration and Collections Management. Field Museum of Natural
History. Chicago, IL. August 2012—May 2013.
- Cataloging, data entry, and clerical assistance; exhibitions history research; object housing.

Archaeological Fieldwork

- 2015--2018 Nadin-Gradina Archaeological Project, Croatia.
2018—Archaeobotanist
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2015—Unit Supervisor
- 2016--2018 Kankakee Protohistory Project, Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie, Illinois.
2018—Unit Supervisor
2017—Excavation Assistant
2016—Excavation Assistant
- 2009--2014 Sangro Valley Project, Abruzzo, Italy.
2014—Trench supervisor, paleoenvironmental specialist
2012—Survey, excavation, GIS specialist
2011—Survey team leader, trench supervisor
2010—Survey team leader
2009—Sangro Valley Archaeological Field School. Student.

2011

American Mission to Cyrene, Libya. Research Assistant.

Grants, Fellowships, Honors

Fulbright IIE/US State Department, Research/Study Grant to Croatia. January 2019—June 2019
Title VI Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship, Summer, United States Department of Education (2016, declined)

Title VI Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship, Summer, United States Department of Education (2015)

Edward Ryerson Archaeological Fellowship, University of Chicago (2014)

Institute for Advanced Research Computing, Durham University, Summer Seedcorn Grant (2013)

James J. Helm Prize, Department of Classics, Oberlin College (2009, 2012)

Jerome Davis Research Award, Department of Sociology, Oberlin College (2010, 2012)

Haskell Fellow, Department of Religion, Oberlin College (2012)

Phi Beta Kappa. Oberlin College (2012)

Sigma Xi, Oberlin College (2012)

Languages

Croatian/Bosnian/Serbian (intermediate speaking and reading ability), German (scholarly reading and elementary conversational ability), Italian (conversational), Classical Greek (reading ability), Latin (reading ability)