

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION

1999            Ph.D., Modern Chinese History, University of Iowa, Iowa City  
1993            M.A., University of Michigan, Center for Chinese Studies: History  
1988            B.A., Luther College, Decorah, IA

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2015-            Associate Professor, History Department, University of the Pacific  
2010-2015      Chair, History Department, University of the Pacific  
2007-2010      Associate Professor, History Department, University of the Pacific  
2001-2007      Assistant Professor, History Department, and School of International Studies,  
University of the Pacific

### COURSES TAUGHT

East Asian Civilizations  
World History  
Modern Chinese History  
Imperial China  
Japan in War and Peace  
Southeast Asia and the West  
Think Globally, Act Globally

### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

“How to Make Field Trips Fun, Educational and *Memorable*: Balancing Self-directed Inquiry with Structured Learning,” *The History Teacher*, Vol. 48, no. 3 (May 2015): 517-528.

“Looking for Confucius at the Asian Art Museum” in *Education About Asia*, Vol. 19, no. 1 (Spring 2014): 12-17.

“A Preliminary Investigation of the Urban Morphology of Towns of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau,” in *Chinese History in Geographical Perspective*, edited by Jeff Kyong-McClain and Yongtao Du (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2013), 159-177.

“The Soviet Model and China’s State Farms,” in *China Learns From the Soviet Union, 1949-present* edited by Tom Bernstein and Hua-yu Li (Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, 2010), 197-228.

“Reproduction and State Building Along China’s Frontiers” *China Information*, Vol. 21 (3), (September 2007) 423-454.

“Women as State-Builders in Qinghai: Evidence from the 2000 Census,” *The China Quarterly*, 190 (June 2007): 466-475.

“Dreams of Oil and Fertile Fields: The Rush to Qinghai in the 1950s,” *Modern China: An International Quarterly of History and Social Science* vol. 29, no. 4, 2003: 455-489.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Review of *Deng Xiaoping and the Transformation of China* by Ezra Vogel in *Asian Studies Review* vol. 38 no. 4 ( Fall 2014): 696-698.

Review of *Explorers and Scientists in China’s Borderlands, 1850-1950* edited by Denise Glover, Stevan Harrell, Charles McKhann and Margaret Byrne Swain in *Asian Highlands Perspectives* vol. 28, 2013: 393-396.

Review of *Heaven Cracks, Earth Shakes: The Tangshan Earthquake and the Death Of Mao’s China* by James Palmer *The Historian*, vol. 74. no. 4, 2012.

“State Farms” in *Encyclopedia of Modern China* edited by David Pong. Farmington Hills, MI: Charles Scribner’s, 2009.

Review of *Mao and the Economic Stalinization of China, 1948-1953* by Hua-yu Li *China Information*, Vol. 22, no. 1, 2008: 167-169.

Review of *China’s American Daughter: Ida Pruitt (1888-1985)* by Marjorie King. *China Review International*, Vol.14, no. 2, Fall 2007: 484-486.

Review of *Transition and Challenge: China’s Population at the Beginning of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. Edited by Zhongwei Zhao and Fei Guo. *The China Quarterly*, 191 (September 2007): 759-760.

Review of *Rural Women in Urban China: Gender, Migration, and Social Change*, by Tamara Jacka, *China Information*, Vol. 21, no. 2, 2007: 353-355.

Review of *Chinese Provincial Leaders*, by Zhiyue Bo *China Information*, Vol. 18 no. 1, 2004: 143-145.

Review of *China Beyond the Headlines*, edited by Timothy Weston and Lionel Jensen, *China Information*, vol XVI no. 1, 2002, pp. 159-160.

Review of *Prospects for Sustainable Development in the Chinese Countryside*, by Richard Sanders, *China Information*, vol. 15 no. 2, 2001.

Review of *Cold War in the High Himalayas: The USA, China and South Asia in the 1950s*, by S. Mahmud Ali, *China Information*, vol. XV no. 1 (2001), pp.197-200.

## SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

“The Guestbooks of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Bolt: A Research Note on Transnational Networks” at the Association for Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast, June 5-7, 2015, Stockton, CA

“Mapping Old Towns in Kham using GIS,” at the Association for Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast, June 20-22, 2014, Bellingham, WA

“Continuity and Change in Tibetan Urban Forms in Kham,” at the “Spatial Transformations in China’s Borderlands” conference hosted by the Institute for Social Anthropology, University of Bern, Switzerland

October 31-Nov. 1, 2013

- “Five Years of Field Trips to the San Francisco Asian Art Museum: What are Students Learning?” at the Association for Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast conference, June 14-17, 2012, Spokane, WA
- Organizer and Chair, “The Urban Morphology of Tibetan Towns in Historical and Comparative Perspective,” at the Association for Asian Studies Conference, March 15-18, 2012, Toronto, CA
- “A Preliminary Investigation of the Urban Morphology of the Towns of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau” at the Chinese History in Geographical Perspective Conference, February 19-20, 2011, University of Arkansas, Little Rock, AR
- “International Voluntary Service and the Philippines: Milestones, Motives and Meaning” at the Association for Asian Studies Conference, March 31-April 3, 2011, Honolulu, HI
- “Filipino Volunteers Overseas in Global Perspective” at the Association for Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast conference, June 18-20, 2010 in Portland, Oregon
- “Socialist Leisure and City Planning: Movie Theaters, Book Stores and City Parks in China’s Small Cities in the Twentieth Century,” Historical Society for Twentieth Century China conference, June 11-12, 2008, East-West Center, University of Hawaii
- “State Building as a Feminine Process: The Case of China” International Convention of Asia Scholars (ICAS5) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, August 2-5, 2007
- “Soviet Influences on Chinese Agriculture: State Farms and the Rise of Chinese Agribusiness, 1949-2006,” Soviet Impact on China: Politics, Economy, Society and Culture conference, Columbia University, NY, June 22-23, 2007
- “Resettlement of Women and State Building in Western China,” Historical Society For Twentieth Century China Biennial Conference, Singapore June 26- 28, 2006

#### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Replacement Social Sciences Division rep, College Council	2015
Treasurer, Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast	2013-
Board Member, Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast	2013-
Team Leader, Core Competency Assessment Information Literacy	2013
Elected Representative, University Professional Relations Committee	2012-
Elected Faculty Chair, University Academic Affairs Committee	2013-2014
Representative, University Academic Affairs Committee	2011-2014
Elected Faculty Chair, Institutional Effectiveness Committee	2011
Member, WASC Action Team	2010-2012
Chair, Department of History	2010-2015

Chair, WASC EER Team Five	2009-2012
Member, WASC Core Steering Committee	2009-2012
Chair, College of the Pacific Council	2009-2010
Member, WASC University Steering Committee	2008-2012
Member, College of the Pacific Council	2007-2010
Member, Faculty Compensation Committee	2006-2007
Member, Honors Program Advisory Board	2006-2008
Member, SIS Student and Faculty Research Committee	2006-2007
Replacement Member, Professional Relations Committee	2006-2007
Member, Teacher-Scholar Task Force	2005-2006
Member, Faculty Advisory Board, SIS	2005-2006
Member, Judicial Affairs Board	2005-2007
Faculty Mentor, UOP Founders Scholars Program	2003-2008
Member, University Financial Aid & Admissions Committee	2003-2006
Member, Faculty Research Committee	2002-2003
Member, Asian Studies Executive Committee	2002-2006
Member, Asian Studies Board	2002-2006
Member, Asian Studies Curriculum Committee	2002-2006
Chair, Asian Studies Fellowship Committee	2002-2006
Help maintain History Department web page	2002-2005
Coordinated History Department Assessment Plan	2001-2003

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast  
 Association for Asian Studies  
 The World History Association  
 Historical Society for Twentieth Century China

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Board Member, The Stockton Chorale	2014 -
Elected Chair, School Site Council, Don Riggio School	2013-2015
Elected Member, School Site Council, Don Riggio School	2011--2013
"Introduction to the Chinese Past" at the San Mateo County Summer Institute." San Mateo County Department of Education, June 6, 2014.	
"Introduction to the Chinese Past" at the San Mateo County Summer Institute." San Mateo County Department of Education, June 29, 2009	
"Introduction to the Chinese Past" at the San Mateo County Summer Institute." San Mateo County Department of Education, June 23, 2008.	
"Introduction to Chinese History" at the San Mateo County Summer Institute "Silk Roads to Silicon Highways," San Mateo County Department of Education, June 25, 2007	
"Confucian Ideas in History and Today, " and "Overview of the Qin, Han, and Tang Dynasties" at the National Consortium for Teaching About Asia, East Bay Seminar 2007, at UC Berkeley's Institute for East Asian Studies, February 24 and March 24, 2007	
Co-director, "Scholars and Samurai in East Asia" A Seminar for History, Geography and World Literature Teachers, offered by San Joaquin Global Education Project (GLOBE) in conjunction with the National Consortium for Teaching about Asia, Spring 2006	
Co-director, "Scholars and Samurai in East Asia" A Seminar for History, Geography	

and World Literature Teachers, offered by San Joaquin Global Education Project in conjunction with the National Consortium for Teaching about Asia, summer 2005

Co-director, "Scholars and Warriors in East Asia" A Seminar for History, Geography, and World Literature Teachers offered by San Joaquin Global Education Project, June 21 – 25, 2004

Facilitator, Cambodia Today: A Roundtable Forum, School of International Studies  
March 9, 2004

Presentation to Tracy High School's Institute for Global Commerce and Government  
February 23, 2004

Facilitator, Region 6 California Subject Matter Projects, "Fall Educators' Faire, 2003"  
October 18, 2003

Organizer, "Asia Day 2003 Celebrating Asia and Asian Heritage"  
October 8, 2003

Co-facilitator, session on intercultural communication, UOP Student Leadership  
Conference Sept. 27, 2003

Co-facilitator, session on intercultural communication, UOP Multicultural Student  
Association Retreat, Sept. 6, 2003

UOP Asian Film Festival Presenter Spring 2003

Instructor, GLOBE Project seminar for San Joaquin County 6-12  
school teachers, Summer 2002

"Long Live Chairman Mao!" UOP Faculty Soapbox Lecture Series  
October 31, 2002

## **FELLOWSHIPS / HONORS / GRANTS**

2012	SAAG grant, "Street Level Urban Morphology of Towns of the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau"
2009	Thomas J. Long Foundation Core Fellowship for innovation in general education
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2006	Eberhardt Research Fellowship, "Documentary Research on Qinghai Province at Chinese University of Hong Kong"
2003	Eberhardt University Priorities Award, "Internationalizing the Campus with A Larger Asian Studies Presence"
2003	Scholarly / Artistic Activity Grant, "Archival Research on Population Resettlement from Henan in the 1950s"
2002	Asian Studies Curriculum Development Grant "Improving Geographical Knowledge of Asia Through Raised Relief Wall Maps"
2002	Asian Studies Curriculum Development Grant "Adding Korean and Malaysian Components to COP's Asian Studies Curriculum"
2002	University of the Pacific CAPD grant to attend the ASIANetwork conference "Promoting Asian Studies in Undergraduate Education"