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Education

Baylor University, Waco, Texas – August 2020-May 2022 (expected)

M.A., European History, focus on Hanoverian Britain and its empire

- Advisor: Dr. Joseph Stubenrauch

M.A. Thesis: “The Christianity of Free Trade: ‘Useful Knowledge,’ Opium, and National Honor in Britain’s Long March to War with the Middle Kingdom, 1834-1839” (working title)

- Committee: Dr. Joseph Stubenrauch, Dr. Daniel Barish, and Dr. Robert Elder

Baylor University, Waco, Texas – August 2017-May 2020

B.A., History, Magna Cum Laude, Honors Program

Honors Thesis: *The Empire Writes Back: Reconsidering British Reactions to the Macartney Embassy in Britain’s Road to War with Qing China, 1792-1804*

- Awards Received: F. Ray Wilson II Award for Best Undergraduate Honors Thesis in the Humanities
- Evaluation: Outstanding (reserved for top 5% of all Honors theses)
- Committee: Dr. Daniel Barish (Director), Dr. Joseph Stubenrauch, Dr. Jennifer Hargrave (Department of English), and Dr. Daniel Watkins

Articles

Under review as of May 2021: “Lord Macartney’s Short Negotiations: Revisiting ‘The Precedent of 1792’ in Early Sino-British Relations”

Conference Participation

October 2021: Conference on Faith and History Annual Conference, Waco, TX

Presentation: “Crippled Gallants, Heathenish Liquors, and Foreign Witches: Gendering Tea Addicts and Enablers in England’s Religious and Anti-Consumerist Literature, 1655-1756”

- Panel title and Chair TBD

July 2021: University of Manchester Symposium, Manchester, UK

Presentation: “‘Aggressively Overreacting’ or ‘Establishing the Rectitude’?: Reviewing Lord Macartney’s Diplomatic Performance in John Barrow’s *Travels in China* (1804)”

- Symposium topic: *Travel in a Modernizing World, 1700-1840*
- Organizer: Dr. Sonia Favi (Department of East Asian Studies, University of Manchester)

June 2021: Britain and the World Annual Conference, Plymouth, UK

Presentation: “‘The Rude Concussions of Modern Times’: Mobilizing Free Trade, Opium, and Imperial Christianity for Britain’s Information War in Canton, 1834-1836”

- Panel: *Careering and Commerce in Mid Nineteenth-Century East Asia*
- Chair: TBD
- Conference themes: port cities; movements of people, ideas, and commodities

January 2020: Phi Alpha Theta Biennial National Convention, San Antonio, TX

Presentation: “But the Empire Didn’t Strike Back: The Macartney Embassy in London Periodicals, 1792-1794”

- Panel: Modern Chinese History

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- Chair: Dr. Debra Mulligan (Department of History, Roger Williams University)

Panels/Roundtables

“Applying to Graduate School,” HIS 2395 (Historiography), Baylor University, November 2020

“Thinking about Graduate School,” Phi Alpha Theta-sponsored panel, Baylor University, September 2020

Relevant Professional Experience

Graduate Assistant, Baylor Institute for Oral History, August 2020-present

Graduate Assistant, HIS 1300 (United States in Global Perspectives), Baylor University, August 2020-December 2020

- Professor: Dr. Lauren Poor

Professional Memberships

Britain and the World: February 2021-Present

Phi Alpha Theta: March 2019-Present

Relevant Honors and Awards

F. Ray Wilson II Award for Best Undergraduate Honors Thesis in the Humanities, Awarded by Baylor University Honors Program and Provost’s Office: April 2021 (nominees for this award encompassed all Honors thesis submissions during the 2020 calendar year)

Graduate Fellowship, Department of History, Baylor University: August 2020-Present

Guittard-Verlander-Voegtle Endowed Scholarship, Department of History, Baylor University: 2019-2020 Academic Year

Extracurricular Service

Baylor Graduate Student Association: History Department Representative, 2021-2022 Academic Year

Baylor Anglican Student Ministries: President, 2020-Present; Vice President, 2018-2019

Baylor Phi Alpha Theta: Social Secretary, 2019-Present

Estella Maxey Waco Afterschool Program: Mentor, 2017-2018

Selected Coursework

HIS 5348: The British Empire, Spring 2021

HIS 5393: Major Issues in Modern China, Spring 2021

HIS 5370: Graduate Research and Writing, Spring 2021

HIS 5369: The Historian’s Craft, Fall 2020

HIS 5320: Women and Religion in England: 1350-1700, Fall 2020

HIS 5360: Women, Gender, and Sexuality in American Religious History, Fall 2020

HIS 4340: Atlantic World History: 1450-1800, Spring 2020

HIS 4341: Tudor-Stuart Britain, Spring 2020

HIS 4346: Britain in the Twentieth Century, Spring 2020

HIS 4366: The Early Republic, Fall 2019

HIS 4365: Early American Legal History, Fall 2019

HIS 4305: Modern China, Spring 2019

HIS 4363: The American Revolution, Spring 2019

HIS 4333: The French Revolution and Napoleon, Fall 2018