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EDUCATION

- 02/2017 **Brandeis University**, Waltham, MA
- Ph.D., History (M.A. 05/2009)
- 05/2007 **Case Western Reserve University**, Cleveland, OH
- B.A., History and International Studies

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017-2018 **Visiting Assistant Professor of History at Boston College**, Chestnut Hill, MA
- Taught courses on modern Chinese and East Asian history; classroom instruction and activities; guided student research; organized events
- 2015-2017 **Adjunct Assistant Professor of History, CUNY-Brooklyn College**, Brooklyn, NY
- Taught introductory courses to diverse groups of students including first-generation college students, non-traditional students, and high school students
- 2014-2015 **Senior Co-Director, Brandeis University Writing Center**, Waltham, MA
- Responsible for budget analysis, hiring, training, leadership, scheduling, operations management, program evaluation, website development
- 2006-2007 **Research Assistant, CWRU Center for Research on Tibet**, Cleveland, OH
- Database management, interview transcription and editing

EDITING

- Tonio Andrade and Xing Hang (Editors), *Sea Rovers, Silk, and Samurai: Maritime East Asia in Global History, 1550–1700* (University of Hawaii Press, 2016)
- Goldstein, Melvyn, *A History of Modern Tibet, Volume II: The Calm Before the Storm, 1951-1955* (University of California Press, 2009)
- Sun, Ken C., several articles on transnational migration which have appeared in *Global Networks*, *Journal of Marriage and Family*, *International Migration Review*, and *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*

SKILLS AND LANGUAGES

- Proficient in MS Office including Excel (advanced statistical functions), Access, database management, Stata, HTML, XML, C++, Adobe Acrobat
- Languages: Mandarin Chinese (fluent speaking, advanced reading proficiency); French (proficient speaking, reading, writing); Japanese, Korean (reading proficiency)

PUBLICATIONS

- “Jesuit and Protestant Encounters in Jiangnan: Contest and Cooperation in China’s Lower Yangzi Region,” in Jorge Cañizares-Esguerra, Robert Aleksander Maryks and Ronnie Po-Chia Hsia (eds.), *Encounters between Jesuits and Protestants in Asia and the Americas* (Brill, 2018), 117-136.
- “Reform and Closing Up: Thought Reform and the Institutional Reorganization of Shanghai’s Universities,” *Twentieth-Century China* (Vol. 43, no. 2, May 2018), pp. 139-162
- “State and Smuggling in Modern China: The Case of Guangzhouwan/Zhanjiang,” *Cross-Currents: East Asian History and Culture Review* (No. 25, December 2017), pp. 108-139
- “A French University in China? The Forgotten History of Zhendan University (*L’Université l’Aurore*, 震旦大學 *Zhendan daxue*),” *Outre-Mers, Revue d’histoire* (Nº. 394-395, 1^{ere} semester 2017), pp. 85-103
- Participant in Syndicate Network Review Forum devoted to Albert Wu, *From Christ to Confucius : German missionaries, Chinese Christians, and the globalization of Christianity, 1860-1950* (Yale University Press, 2016)
<https://syndicate.network/symposia/theology/from-christ-to-confucius/>
- “A review of Chinese University of Hong Kong, Universities Service Centre (香港中文大學中國研究服務中心) (Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong S.A.R., China),”
Dissertationreviews.com “Fresh from the Archives” (November 10, 2015)
<http://dissertationreviews.org/archives/12480>
- “A review of The Shanghai Municipal Archives, Bund Location (上海市档案馆外滩新馆),”
Dissertationreviews.com “Fresh from the Archives” (April 15, 2013)
<http://dissertationreviews.org/archives/2471>