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### EDUCATION

- 2011**                      **Ph.D., History, Rutgers University**                      **New Brunswick, NJ**  
**Dissertation: *Fluid Mobility: Global Maritime Networks and the Dutch Empire, 1918-1942***  
Committee: Bonnie Smith (chair), Michael Adas, Matt Matsuda, Frances Gouda.  
Fields: Global and Comparative, Modern Europe
- 1999**                      **B.A., Historical Studies, Bard College**                      **Annandale-on-Hudson, NY**  
**Thesis: *The 1915 International Women's Congress at The Hague***  
Awarded the Marc Bloch Prize and Gender Studies Prize

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2013-Present**                      **Assistant Professor, History Department,**  
**University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA**
- Courses:                      World History I                      World History II  
Southeast Asia and the West                      Gender in the Hist. of Sci/Med/Tech  
History of Science and Technology
- 2011-2013**                      **Assistant Teaching Professor, Department of History & Politics,**  
**Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA**
- Courses:                      Themes in World Civilization II                      Themes in World Civilization III  
The World and China                      East Asia in Modern Times  
Migration in the Maritime World                      Technology in Historical Perspective  
Gender and Technology                      Consumer Culture, Fashion, and Identity

### PUBLICATIONS

- “Karen Blixen,” *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*, 2008.  
“‘A Dark State of Affairs’: Hajj Networks, Pan-Islamism, and Dutch Colonial Surveillance During the Interwar Period,” article forthcoming in *Journal of Social History* (Summer, 2014).  
“Fluid Mobility: Global Maritime Networks and Modern Dutch Imperialism,” book manuscript in preparation.

### PRESENTATIONS

- “Roundtable: Gender and Commodities in World History,” World History Association Annual Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota, June 2013.  
“Policing Communism: Ships, Seamen, and Transoceanic Politics,” Other Lives, Other Voices: Bonnie Smith and the Mirror of History, New Brunswick, NJ, March 2013.  
“History and Geography: Navigating New Theoretical Waters,” Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, New York, NY, February 2012.  
“Red Characters: Dutch Fears of Chinese Influence in Southeast Asia, 1926-36,” Mid-Atlantic World History Association, New Brunswick, NJ, November 2011.  
“International Maritime Culture, 1920-1940,” European Social Science History Conference (ESSHC), Amsterdam, The Netherlands, March 2006.  
“The Voyage of Your Dreams: Cruising through the Dutch East Indies,” Society for the History of Technology (SHOT), Annual Meeting, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, October 2004.

### FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- Fulbright IIE, The Netherlands, 2006-2007  
Leiden University Exchange Program, Visiting Researcher, 2005-2006

### MEMBERSHIPS

- World History Association  
American Historical Association  
Netherlands-America Foundation Mentor