

TRINITY COLLEGE
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TO: The Trinity Community

FROM: Tim Cresswell
Dean of the Faculty and
Vice President for Academic Affairs

It is a pleasure to forward biographical information on new members of the Trinity College Faculty with full-time, multi-year positions:

CHRIS ARMEN – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Ph.D., Dartmouth College (1996)
M.S., Dartmouth College (1993)
B.S., University of Hartford (1990)

Positions Held: Senior Vice President, Operations, Legere Group, 2006-2018. Visiting Assistant Professor of Computer Science, Amherst College, 2005-2006. Assistant Professor of Computer Science, University of Hartford, 1995-1999.

Awards/Honors: University of Hartford course development grant, part of institution-wide NSF grant, 1998. Dartmouth College Fellowship, 1990-1995. NSF Undergraduate Research Fellowship, Cornell Theory Center, 1990.

Publications/Presentations: Armen, C., & Stein, C. "A 2-2/3 Superstring Approximation Algorithm." *Discrete Applied Mathematics* 88 (1998): 29-57. Armen, C., & Johnson, D. "Deterministic Leader Election on the Asynchronous QRQW PRAM." *Parallel Processing Letters* 6, no. 2 (1996): 247-250. Armen, C. "Bounds on the Separation of Two Parallel Disk Models." *Proceedings of the Workshop on I/O in Parallel and Distributed Systems* (May 1996): 122-127.

YOULANDA BABAPOOR – VISITING LECTURER IN THE AETNA QUANTITATIVE CENTER AND MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

M.A., Central Connecticut State University (2013)
B.A., Central Connecticut State University (2009)

Positions Held: Adjunct Faculty, Department of Mathematics, Central Connecticut State University, 2012-2018. Adjunct Faculty, Department of Mathematics, Tunxis Community College, 2012-2018. Teacher, Russian School of Mathematics, Wethersfield, CT, 2016-2018.

ARIANNE BAZILIO – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND CHEMISTRY

Ph.D., University of Massachusetts Amherst (2017)
M.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst (2013)
B.S., New York University (2009)

Positions Held: Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Texas at San Antonio, 2017-2018. Visiting Instructor, Department of Chemistry, Bates College,

2016-2017. Environmental Engineering Intern, Research & Regulatory Planning Section, Bureau of Wastewater Treatment, New York City Department of Environmental Protection, 2009-2010.
Awards/Honors: New England Water Works Association Joseph A. Murphy Scholarship, 2015. American Association of University Women International Fellowship, 2014. Bernard B. Berger Award for Academic Excellence and Commitment to Research in Environmental Engineering, University of Massachusetts Amherst, 2012.
Publications/Presentations: Bazilio, A.A., Kamniski, G.S., Larsen, Y., Mai, X., Tobiason, J.E. "Implementation of a Second-Stage Contactor for Manganese Removal." *Journal American Water Works Association* 108 (2016): E606-E614. Bazilio, A.; Ryan, A.; Welborn, J. "Science Café: An Affordable, Easy-to-Implement Model that Introduces Young Girls to STEM Related Topics, Careers and Role Models." *Science Scope* 40 (2016): 14-17. Bazilio, A., Dillingham, M.J, Ewing, H. "Relationship between Phosphorus and Metals in Lake Auburn." ACS Award for Research at an Undergraduate Institution: Symposium in honor of Maria Hepel, *American Chemical Society 253rd National Meeting*, San Francisco, California, April 2-6, 2017.

EL HACHEMI BOUALI – THOMAS MCKENNA MEREDITH '48 POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW IN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Ph.D., Michigan Technological University (2018)
M.S., Western Michigan University (2013)
B.S., Western Michigan University (2011)

Positions Held: NASA Earth and Space Science Fellow, Michigan Technological University, 2016-2018. Geological Mapping Technician, National Parks Service with GeoCorps and AmeriCorps, summers of 2015 and 2016. Graduate Research Assistant, Michigan Technological University, 2014-2016.

Awards/Honors: USSD Scholarship 1st Place Finalist, U.S. Society on Dams, 2018. Dean's Award for Outstanding Scholarship, Michigan Technological University, 2018. NASA Earth and Space Science Fellowship, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, 2016-2018.

Publications/Presentations: Bouali, E.H., Oommen, T., and Escobar-Wolf, R. "Mapping of Slow Landslides on the Palos Verdes Peninsula using the California Landslide Inventory and Persistent Scatterer Interferometry." *Landslides* 15, no. 3 (2018): 439-452. Bouali, E.H., Oommen, T., Vitton, S., Escobar-Wolf, R., and Brooks, C. "Rockfall Hazard Rating System: Benefits of Utilizing Remote Sensing." *Environmental and Engineering Geoscience* 23, no. 3 (2017):165-177. Bouali, E.H., Oommen, T., and Escobar-Wolf, R. "Interferometric Stacking toward Geohazard Identification and Geotechnical Asset Monitoring." *Infrastructure Systems* 22, no. 2 (2015): 05016001.

CLAYTON BYERS – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ENGINEERING

Ph.D., Princeton University (2018)
M.A., Princeton University (2015)
B.S., Washington State University (2009)

Positions Held: Faculty for Citizen Science, Bard College, July 2017-January 2018. Co-Founder & Vice President, Tendo Technologies, February 2017-Present. Project Manager, U.S. Air Force, July 2009-July 2013.

Awards/Honors: 1st place presentation - MAE Research Day, Princeton University, 2017. Engineering Council's Excellence in Teaching Award, Princeton University, 2017. The Luigi Crocco Award for Teaching Excellence, Princeton University, 2015.

Publications/Presentations: Byers, C. P., Fu, M. K., Fan, Y., & Hultmark, M. "Development of Instrumentation for Measurements of Two Components of Velocity with a Single Sensing Element." *Measurement Science and Technology* 29, no. 2 (2018): 025304. Byers, C. P., Hultmark, M., & George, W. K. "Two-Space, Two-Time Similarity Solution for Decaying Homogeneous Turbulence." *Physics of Fluids* 29, no. 2 (2017): 020710. Fu, M. K., Fan, Y., Byers, C. P., Chen, T. H., Arnold, C. B., & Hultmark, M. "Elastic Filament Velocimetry (EFV)." *Measurement Science and Technology* 28, no. 2 (2016): 025301.

HASAN CÖMERT – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS

Ph.D., University of Massachusetts Amherst (2011)
M.S., Middle East Technical University (2005)
B.S., Middle East Technical University (2002)

Positions Held: Assistant Professor Dr., Department of Economics, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, November 2011-June 2018. Dr. Research Assistant, Department of Economics, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, January-November 2011. Teaching and Research Assistant, Department of Economics and PERI, University of Massachusetts Amherst, 2009-2010.

Awards/Honors: Political Economy Research Institute Dissertation Fellowship, University of Massachusetts Amherst, Spring 2010. Solomon Barkin Ph.D. Thesis Award, Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst, December 2010. Turkish Higher Education Doctoral Scholarship, 2005-2009.

Publications/Presentations: Ahmet Benlialper and Hasan Cömert. "[Implicit Asymmetric Exchange Rate Peg under Inflation Targeting Regimes: The Case of Turkey](#)." *Cambridge Journal of Economics* 40, no. 6 (November 2016): 1553-1580. Hasan Cömert and Rex A. McKenzie, eds. *The Global South after the Crisis*. Northampton: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2016. Hasan Cömert. *Central Banks and Financial Markets: The Declining Power of US Monetary Policy*. Northampton: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2013.

DANIEL DOUGLAS – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES & SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH METHODS

Ph.D., The Graduate Center, CUNY (2017)
M.A., St. John's University (2008)
B.A., St. John's University (2005)

Positions Held: Senior Researcher, Rutgers University, 2016-2018. Project Manager, CUNY Academic Momentum Project, June 2010-January 2016. Adjunct Assistant Professor, Joseph S. Murphy Institute for Labor Studies, CUNY, September 2017-May 2018.

Awards/Honors: "Alternatives to Mathematics Placement: An Unprecedented Program." US Department of Education, First in the World Program. Co-PI with Heather McKay, \$200,000, 2015-present. "Highly Educated and Lowly Paid: An Examination of Employment in the Film and Television Industry." CUNY Professional Staff Congress Research Grant. Co-Investigator with Stanley Aronowitz and Sara Salman. 2015.

Publications/Presentations: Daniel Douglas and Paul Attewell. "School Mathematics as Gatekeeper." *The Sociological Quarterly* 58, no. 4 (2017): 648-669. A.W. Logue, Mari Watanabe-Rose and Daniel Douglas. "Should Students Assessed as Needing Remedial Mathematics Take College-Level Quantitative Courses Instead? A Randomized Controlled Trial." *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis* 38, no. 3 (2016): 578-598. Daniel Douglas and Paul Attewell. "The Bridge and the Troll Underneath: Summer Bridge Programs and Degree Completion." *American Journal of Education* 121, no. 1 (2014): 87-109.

KYLE EVANS – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS

Ph.D., University of Connecticut (2018)
M.S., University of Connecticut (2013)
B.S., Sacred Heart University (2011)

Positions Held: Instructor, Teaching Assistant, Research Assistant, University of Connecticut, 2011-2018.
Awards/Honors: Louis J. DeLuca Memorial Award for excellence in teaching, Mathematics Department, University of Connecticut, 2018.

Publications/Presentations: Casa, T. M., Evans, K., Firmender, J. M., & Colonnese, M. W. "[Why Should Students Write in Math Class?](#)" *Educational Leadership* 74, no. 5 (February 2017). "Mathematics and Global Citizenship: Planning for the Future." *Joint Mathematics Meetings*, San Diego, CA, January 2018. "Mathematics and Global Citizenship: Studying the Present to Plan for the Future." *LANGSA (Languages Graduate Student Association) Conference*, Storrs, CT, October 2017.

JULIE C. GAMBLE – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF URBAN STUDIES

Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley (2015)
M.C.P., University of California, Berkeley (2010)
B.A., Northwestern University (2006)

Positions Held: Postdoctoral Researcher, Global Shifts: Demography, Migration and Urbanization at the Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania, AY2017-2018. Professor of Social Sciences, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Universidad San Francisco de Quito, Ecuador, 2016-2018.

Awards/Honors: Principal Investigator, "Urban Informality, Feminist STS and Transit," Faculty Research Collaboration Grant, Universidad San Francisco de Quito, 2017-2018. Principal Investigator, "Is Informal Transit Land-Oriented?" Lincoln Institute for Land Policy, Program on Latin America and Caribbean, Universidad San Francisco de Quito, 2016-2018. American Dissertation Year Fellowship, American Association of University Women, 2014-2015.

Publications/Presentations: Gamble, J. "[Experimental Infrastructure: Experiences in Bicycling in Quito, Ecuador.](#)" *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research* (2017). Gamble, J., Snizek, B., Nielsen, T.S. "From People to Cycling Indicators: Documenting and Understanding the Urban Context of Cyclists' Experiences in Quito, Ecuador." *Journal of Transport Geography* 60 (2017): 167-177. "Sustainable Urbanism and Informal Transit in Quito." *Vanderbilt Institute on Environment and Energy*, Nashville, TN, April 25, 2018.

IAN K. HARNARINE – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF FILM STUDIES

M.F.A., NYU Tisch School of the Arts (2011)
M.S., University of Illinois at Chicago (2005)
B.S., York University (2002)

Positions Held: Head of Sound Department & Adjunct Instructor, Kanbar Institute of Film and Television, Graduate Division, NYU Tisch School of the Arts, 2007-2018. Adjunct Instructor, Department of Physics, New York University, College of Arts & Sciences, 2005-2018.

Awards/Honors: Best Live-Action Drama, Academy of Canadian Cinema & Television, 2012. 25 New Faces of Independent Film, *Filmmaker Magazine*, 2012. Best Short Film, Toronto International Film Festival, 2011.

Films: *Caroni* (Writer, Director, Producer), 2017. *Cosmology* (Writer, Director, Producer), 2017. *Doubles With Slight Pepper* (Writer, Director, Producer), 2011.

KYLE KNICKERBOCKER – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MUSIC

MSRA, University of Colorado Denver (2016)
B.S., University of California, San Diego (2008)

Positions Held: Visiting Assistant Professor, Jacobs School of Music, Indiana University, 2017-2018. Adjunct Professor, College of Arts and Media, CU Denver, 2015-2017. Adjunct Professor, Front Range Community College, 2017.

PETER KYLE – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF THEATER AND DANCE

M.F.A., University of Washington (1996)
B.A., Kenyon College (1990)

Positions Held: Visiting Assistant Professor of Dance, Bard College, 2012-2018. Visiting Assistant Professor of Dance, Marymount Manhattan College, 2005-2018. Guest Faculty in Dance, Sarah Lawrence College, 2009-2017.

Awards/Honors: Public Diplomacy Small Grant, U.S. Embassy, Ukraine, Co-recipient with Anton Ovchinnikov for yearlong project, *Dancing Through Translation*, 2017-2018. [crowdSEEN](#), short film, Official Selection 45th Annual Dance on Camera Festival, Lincoln Center, New York, NY, 2017. Fulbright Specialist Grant, National University of Life and Environmental Sciences, Kiev, Ukraine, 2016.

Creative Work: [Dancing Through Translation](#), 2017-present. [What For? Why Not?](#), Triskelion Arts, Brooklyn, NY, 2017. [Vigilance](#), Triskelion Arts, Brooklyn, NY, 2015.

DANIEL MARTIN – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS

Ph.D., University of Connecticut (2018)
M.A., Rhode Island College (2013)
B.A., Rhode Island College (2010)

Positions Held: Teaching Assistant, University of Connecticut, 2013-2018. Teaching Assistant, Rhode Island College, 2010-2013.

Awards/Honors: Louis J. DeLuca Memorial Award for excellence in teaching, Mathematics Department, University of Connecticut, 2018. Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Mathematics Department, University of Connecticut, 2018. Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, University of Connecticut, 2017.

Publications/Presentations: Huang, L. H., Martin, D., & Miao, P. "[Static Potentials and Area Minimizing Hypersurfaces.](#)" *Proceedings of the American Mathematical Society* 146, no. 6 (2018): 2647-2661.

JEFFREY NAFTZINGER – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, ALLAN K. SMITH CENTER FOR WRITING AND RHETORIC

Ph.D., Florida State University (Expected 2018)
M.A., Florida State University (2014)
B.A., Florida State University (2012)

Positions Held: Graduate Assistant Instructor, Florida State University, 2012-2018. Assistant Director, Williams Digital Studio, Florida State University, 2015-2016. Assistant Director, Johnston Digital Studio, Florida State University, 2013-2014.

Publications/Presentations: Jennifer Wells, Stephen McElroy, Andrew Burgess, Jeffrey Naftzinger, Rory Lee, Josh Mehler, Jason Custer, Aimee Jones, and Joe Ciri. "[A Space Defined: Four Years in the Life of the FSU Digital Studios.](#)" In *Sustainable Learning Spaces*, edited by Rusty Carpenter, Dickie Selfe, Shawn Apostel, and Kristi Apostel. Logan, UT: Computers and Composition Digital Press/Utah State University Press, 2015. "A Portrait of Everyday Writing: A Writer-Informed Approach." *Writing Through the Lifespan Conference*, Athens, OH, May 31, 2018. "A Tale of Two ePortfolios: Coding vs. Content Management." *Florida State University Digital Symposium*, Tallahassee, FL, February 28, 2018.

PATRICK O'BRIEN – POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW IN THE PUBLIC POLICY GRADUATE PROGRAM

Ph.D., Yale University (2018)
M.Phil., Yale University (2013)
M.A., Yale University (2012)
M.A., University of Illinois at Chicago (2011)
B.S., DePaul University (2004)

Awards/Honors: National Fellow, Miller Center, University of Virginia, 2016-2017. Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, 2015-2016. Institution for Social and Policy Studies Graduate Fellowship, Yale University, 2014-2015.

Publications/Presentations: "Maximizing Control: First Year Presidents and the Appointment and Agenda-Setting Powers." In *Crucible: The President's First Year*, edited by Michael Nelson, Jeffrey L. Chidester, and Stefanie Georgakis Abbott, 250-255. Philadelphia: University of Virginia Press, 2018. "A Theoretical Critique of the Unitary Executive Framework: Rethinking the First-Mover Advantage, Collective-Action Advantage, and Informational Advantage." *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 47, no. 1 (2017): 169-185.

REBECCA PAPPAS – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF THEATER AND DANCE

M.F.A., University of California-Los Angeles (2009)
B.A., Connecticut College (2001)

Positions Held: Guest Faculty, University of Indianapolis, Summer 2017-present. Assistant Professor of Dance, Ball State University, Fall 2014-Summer 2018. Adjunct Professor, Pasadena City College, Pasadena, CA, Fall 2011-Spring 2014.

Awards/Honors: Works on Water Residency/Underwater New York Resident Artist, 2018. Asylum Arts Small Grant, 2017-2018. Indiana Arts Commission Grantee, 2017-2018.

Creative Work: *Parade2017* (2015-present). *Couds and Claves/Plastic Flow* (2013-2016). *Birddance* (2014-2015).

GERARDO RUIZ SÁNCHEZ – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS

Ph.D., Yale University (2018)
M.Phil., Yale University (2014)
M.A., Yale University (2013)
M.A., Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (2010)
B.S., Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (2008)

Positions Held: Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, Yale University, 2013-2018. Economic Consultant, Análisis Estratégico Corporativo (ANESCO), Mexico City, 2008-2011.

Awards/Honors: Policy Fellow at the Institute for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, 2017. Yale University Dissertation Fellowship, 2016. Yale University Cowles Foundation Fellowship, 2011-2015.

GABRIELLA SOTO – POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW IN THE AMERICAN STUDIES GRADUATE PROGRAM

Ph.D., University of Arizona (2018)
M.A., University of Bristol (2011)
B.A., Wellesley College (2008)

Positions Held: Graduate Research Assistant, Drachman Institute, University of Arizona, Fall 2015-Spring 2017. Co-Editor-in-Chief, *Arizona Anthropologist* graduate student journal, University of Arizona, Fall 2013-Spring 2016. Graduate Research Assistant, Binational Migration Institute, University of Arizona, Fall 2012-present.

Awards/Honors: Dozier Paper Prize for “Object Afterlives and the Burden of History: Between “Trash” and “Heritage” in the Footsteps of Migrants,” School of Anthropology, University of Arizona, 2017. Traditions, Transitions and Treasures Funds, School of Anthropology, UA, 2017, 2016, 2015. William and Nancy Sullivan Scholarship Fund, School of Anthropology, UA, 2017, 2016.

Publications/Presentations: G. Soto. “[Object Afterlives and the Burden of History: Between ‘Trash’ and ‘Heritage’ in the Footsteps of Migrants.](#)” *American Anthropologist* (June 2018). L. Jensen, G. Miller, G. Soto. “Documentation and Condition Assessment: Compound A, Casa Grande Ruins National Monument.” Project No. UAZDS-410. Report prepared on behalf of Casa Grande Ruins National Monument, National Park Service. Drachman Institute, University of Arizona, 2017. G. Soto. “Place-Making in Non-Places: Migrant Graffiti in Rural Highway Box Culverts.” *Journal of Contemporary Archaeology* (2017): 174-195.

BENJAMIN J. TOSCANO – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY

Ph.D., University of South Carolina (2014)
B.S., University of Connecticut (2008)

Positions Held: Arnold O. Beckman Postdoctoral Fellow, BioSciences, Rice University, September 2015-June 2018. Postdoctoral Research Associate, BioSciences, Rice University, January 2015-September 2015. National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow, Department of Biological Sciences, University of South Carolina, September 2011-September 2014.

Awards/Honors: Don Abbott Postdoc Research Award, American Society of Naturalists, 2018. Arnold O. Beckman Postdoctoral Fellowship, Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation, 2015-2018. Eco-DAS XI (Ecological Dissertations in the Aquatic Sciences) Symposium Participant, National Science Foundation, 2014.

Publications/Presentations: B.J. Toscano, V. Hin and V.H.W. Rudolf. "Cannibalism and Intraguild Predation Community Dynamics: Coexistence, Competitive Exclusion, and the Loss of Alternative States." *American Naturalist* 190 (2017): 617-630. B.J. Toscano. "Prey Behavioral Reaction Norms: Response to Threat Predicts Susceptibility to Predation." *Animal Behaviour* 132 (2017): 147-153. B.J. Toscano, B.R. Rombado and V.H.W. Rudolf. "Deadly Competition and Life-Saving Predation: The Potential for Alternative Stable States in a Stage-Structured Predator-Prey System." *Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences* 283 (2016): 20161546.

SHUNYUAN ZHANG – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
AND WOMEN, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY

Ph.D., Emory University (2016)
M.A., Chinese University of Hong Kong (2008)
M.A., Shanghai International Studies University (2002)
B.A., Shanghai International Studies University (1999)

Positions Held: Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Emory University, 2017-2018. Researcher, Shunde Zhongdao Reform Research Institute, Foshan, Guangdong Province, P. R. China, 2016-2017.

Awards/Honors: Woodruff Library and Emory Writing Center Graduate Fellowship, 2015-2016. Kenneth W. Payne Student Paper Prize, 2015. Emory University Women's Club Memorial Fellowship, 2014-2015.

Publications/Presentations: "Debris and Desire: Negotiating Erotic Spaces in Kunming, China." Berkeley-Stanford Graduate Conference in Modern Chinese Humanities, Stanford, CA, April 17-18, 2015. "Searching for Transgendered Subjects in Southwest China: Rethinking Identity Categories in Ethnographic Encounters." *10th Biennial ACS Gender Studies/Women's Studies Conference*, Greenville, SC, April 4-5, 2014. "A Butlerian Performative Approach to Three Representations of Transgenderism in Mainland China." In *Sexualities and Gender Study No. 5*, edited by Fang Gang, 477-485. Taiwan: Wan You Publishing House, 2012.

It is a pleasure to forward biographical information on new visiting members of the Trinity College Faculty with full-time or part-time positions:

RIYAD ABUBAKER – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS

Ph.D., University of California, Riverside (2016)
M.A., University of California, Riverside (2014)
B.A., Birzeit University (2002)

Positions Held: Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, American University of Kuwait, 2016-2018. Lecturer/Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of California, Riverside, 2012-2016.

Awards/Honors: Graduate Dissertation Award, Graduate Division, University of California, Riverside, 2015-2016. Ph.D. Dean Fellowship, University of California, Riverside, 2011-2013. Full Ph.D. Scholarship, University of California, Riverside, 2014-2016.

Publications/Presentations: “Consumption and Money Uncertainty at the Zero Lower Bound.” *Economics Bulletin* 36, Issue 1 (March 2016): 449-463. “The Asymmetric Impact of Trade Openness on Output Volatility.” *Empirical Economics* 49, Issue 3 (November 2015): 881-887.

ELIZABETH ALLEN – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF HUMAN RIGHTS

Ph.D., University of Connecticut (2017)
M.S.W., University of Connecticut (1998)
B.A., Central Connecticut State University (1992)

Positions Held: Adjunct Professor, School of Social Work, University of Connecticut, 2013-Present. Therapist II, The Connection, Inc., Norwich, CT, October 2017-Present. Visiting Professor, Department of Social Work, University of Saint Joseph, West Hartford, CT, 2016-2017.

Publications/Presentations: Allen, E. “[Justice-Involved Women and Redemptive Narratives: How Identity and Marginalized Status Shape Community Reintegration.](#)” *Affilia: Journal of Women and Social Work* (April 18, 2018). Allen, E. “[Our Stories-Our Journey: An Empowerment Group Approach for Justice-Involved Women Using Pecha-Kucha.](#)” *Social Work with Groups* 41, no. 4 (2018): 336-349. Mogro-Wilson, C., Allen, E., & Cavallucci, C. “[A Brief High School Prevention Program to Decrease Alcohol Usage and Change Social Norms.](#)” *Social Work Research* 41, no. 1 (March 2017): 53-62.

YAEL DAI – VISITING LECTURER IN PSYCHOLOGY

M.S., University of Connecticut (2017)
B.A., Brandeis University (2013)

Positions Held: Graduate Student Researcher and Clinician, University of Connecticut, September 2015-present. Instructor of Record, University of Connecticut, Fall 2017. Clinical Research Coordinator, Massachusetts General Hospital, June 2013-June 2015.

Awards/Honors: Maurice J. Farber Graduate Fellowship, University of Connecticut, 2018. Charles “Skip” Lowe Fellowship, University of Connecticut, 2017. Summa Cum Laude, Brandeis University, 2013.

Publications/Presentations: Miller, L.E., Perkins, K.A., Dai, Y.G., & Fein, D.A. “Comparison of Parent Report and Direct Assessment of Child Skills in Toddlers.” *Research in Autism Spectrum*

Disorders 41 (2017): 57-65. Dai, Y., Brennan, L., Como, A., Hughes-Lika, J., Dumont-Mathieu, T., Rathwell, I., Minxhozi, O., Aliaj, B., & Fein, D. Poster: "A Video Parent-Training Program for Families of Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder in Albania." *International Neuropsychological Society*, Washington, DC, February 14-17, 2018. Dai Y., Burke, J.D., Naigles, L., Eigsti, I.M., & Fein, D.A. "Language Development in Dual Language Learners with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Other Developmental Delays." *International Meeting for Autism Research*, San Francisco, CA, May 11, 2017.

KAIDI CHEN – VISITING LECTURER IN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE STUDIES

M.A., University of Macau (2016)
B.A., Lanzhou University, China (2013)

Positions Held: Chinese Faculty, Intensive Summer Program, Middlebury Chinese School, Middlebury College, June-August 2018. Instructor of Chinese, Department of Modern and Classical Languages, Allegheny College, August 2016-May 2018. Teaching Assistant and Research Assistant, Faculty of Arts and Humanities, University of Macau, September 2013-May 2016.

Awards/Honors: ALEX Foundation Scholarship, AY2016-2017 & AY2017-2018. Postgraduate Studentship, University of Macau, AY2013-2014 & AY2014-2015. "Excellent Graduate" of Lanzhou University and "Excellent University Student" of Gansu, 2013.

Publications/Presentations: "The Pedagogy of Performing Another Culture: FACT and ACT," Duke Kunshan University, China, March 2018. "Multiple-languages Services and Single Language Services." In *Macau Language and Culture Research*, edited by Li Xiangyu, 64-80. Macau: Macau Polytechnic Institute Press, 2016. "Study of Folklores of Gannan Operas." *Shenzhen 7* (July 2012): 7-11.

LORI D. DIBELLA – VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC POLICY AND LAW

J.D., Western New England College School of Law (1996)
B.A., Mount Holyoke College (1993)

Positions Held: Assistant Attorney General, State of Connecticut Office of the Attorney General, 2003-present. Attorney, Halloran & Sage, L.L.P., 1999-2003. Attorney, Sandler & Daniels, P.C., 1997-1999.

Awards/Honors: Bronze Medal of Honor for Commendable Service, Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, 2013. Green Circle Award, Commissioner of the State of Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, 2011.

Publications/Presentations: "Air, Water and Federalism." Public Policy and Law Program, Trinity College, February 22, 2018. "Environmental Enforcement Actions." Henry C. Lee Institute of Forensic Science, University of New Haven, December 13, 2017. "Natural Resource Damages." Henry C. Lee Institute of Forensic Science, University of New Haven, September 18, 2017.

KAREN BUENAVISTA HANNA – ANN PLATO FELLOW IN AMERICAN STUDIES

Ph.D., University of California, Santa Barbara (Expected 2018)
M.A., University of California, Santa Barbara (2013)
M.S., Mercy College (2005)
B.A., Brown University (2003)

Positions Held: Teaching Assistant and Teaching Associate, Department of Feminist Studies and Department of Black Studies, University of California, 2011-2016. Pre-GED Literacy and Math Teacher, Brooklyn Public Library, 2009-2011. Public School Teacher, P.S. 86, P.S. 116, M.S. 381, New York City Department of Education, 2003-2008.

Awards/Honors: Mellon/ACLS Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2017-2018. Woodrow Wilson Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship in Women's Studies, 2017. Sociologists for Women in Society (SWS) Esther Ngan-ling Chow and Mareyjoyce Green Dissertation Award, 2016-2017.

Publications/Presentations: Hanna, Karen Buenavista and Marlo Buenavista Hanna. "Breaking Bones with My Mother." In *Pilipinx Radical Imagination Reader*, edited by Melissa-Ann Nievera-Lozano and Tony Santa Ana, 152-160. San Francisco: Pawa, Inc., 2018. Hanna, Karen B. "A Call for Healing: Transphobia, Homophobia, and Historical Trauma in Filipina/o/x Activist Organizations." *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy* 32, no. 3 (Summer 2017): 696-714. Hanna, Karen B. "Community and Grassroots Activism." *Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Gender and Sexuality Studies*, edited by Nancy Naples, 1-5. Hoboken: Wiley-Blackwell, May 2016.

SEAN M. FITZPATRICK – PROFESSOR OF THE PRACTICE IN PUBLIC POLICY

J.D., Harvard Law School (1985)
B.A., Amherst College (1981)

Positions Held: Director of Development Services, City of Hartford, 2016-2018. Chief of Staff to the Chairman, Port Authority of New York & New Jersey, New York, NY, 2014-2016. Lecturer in Law, University of Connecticut School of Law, Hartford, 2002-2011.

Awards/Honors: Adviser on the American Law Institute's Restatement of the Law of Liability Insurance, 2010 to present. Director, Connecticut Main Street Center, 2018 to present. Recipient of the Professional Liability Underwriting Society's 2010 Founders Award for spearheading the development of a new curriculum for the Society's Registered Professional Liability Underwriter ("RPLU") designation.

Publications/Presentations: "The Small Laws: Eliot Spitzer and the Way to Insurance Market Reform," 74 *Fordham Law Review* 3041 (2006). "Fear is the Key: Explaining Insurance Underwriting Cycles," 34 *The Brief* 26 (2005). "Fear is the Key: A Behavioral Guide to Underwriting Cycles," 10 *Connecticut Insurance Law Journal* 255 (2004).

ANNE KOHLER - VISITING LECTURER IN ANTHROPOLOGY

M.A., University of Connecticut (2015)
B.A., Hampshire College (2012)

Positions Held: Graduate Assistant, University of Connecticut, 2013-2017. Instructor, Medical Anthropology and Global Health, Pre-College Summer Program, University of Connecticut, 2017. Research Assistant, Institute for Community Research, Hartford, 2014.

Awards/Honors: University of Connecticut Doctoral Dissertation Writing Grant, 2018. Ruth Landes Memorial Research Fund Individual Grant, The Reed Foundation, 2017. National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, Division of Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences, 2017.

Publications/Presentations: “Interrogating Culture: Religion and Disability in Clinical Settings.” Massachusetts General Hospital Genetics Conference, Boston, MA, Spring 2018.

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Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley (2018)

B.A., Duke University (2008)

Awards/Honors: Digital Humanities Summer Institute at the University of Victoria Tuition Scholarship, University of California, Berkeley, 2018 (deferred). Grant-in-Aid, Early Modern Manuscripts Online: New Directions in Research Symposium, Folger Institute, Folger Shakespeare Library, 2017. Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, University of California, Berkeley, 2016.

Publications/Presentations: “‘Apprehended for arrival here’: Travel Bans, Home, and Identity in *The Comedy of Errors*.” *Shakespeare Association of America Annual Meeting*, Los Angeles, CA, March 28-31, 2018. “*The Tempest* as Metadramatic Romance.” *Shakespeare Association of America Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, GA, April 5-8, 2017. “‘Nor the time nor place’: Storytelling in *Cymbeline*.” *New Approaches to Early Modern Literature and Culture Symposium*, Lewiston, ME, September 26, 2016.

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M.F.A., Hunter College (1991)

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Positions Held: Part-time Adjunct Faculty, Department of Fine Arts, Central Connecticut State University, 1998-1999, 2001. Part-time, Adjunct Faculty, Department of Fine Arts, University of Connecticut, 1998. Visiting Assistant Professor of Fine Arts, Trinity College, 1993-1995.

Exhibitions: Group: “NBOSS Invitational.” North Bennington Sculpture Park, North Bennington, VT, 2018. Group: “SculptureNow.” Edith Wharton Estate: The Mount, Lenox, MA, 2017. Solo: “Gather: Sculpture by Jacqueline Metheny.” 709 Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA, 2016.

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Ph.D., University of Missouri (2018)

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Positions Held: Research Experience for Undergraduates Program Supervisor, University of Missouri, 2017. Graduate Head Teaching Assistant, University of Missouri, 2014-2017. Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Missouri, 2012-2014.

Awards/Honors: Teaching Assistant Choice Award, University of Missouri, 2017 & 2012. Harry E. Hammond Teaching Award, Department of Physics & Astronomy, University of Missouri, 2014. Honors Convocation, Missouri Southern State University, 2012.

Publications/Presentations: Poster: "Intergalactic Extinction." *8th Meeting on Cosmic Dust*, Chiba Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan, August 17-21, 2015.

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Ph.D., SUNY Stony Brook (2018)
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Positions Held: Dissertation Fellow, Program in African and African Diaspora Studies, Boston College, 2017-2018. Turner Fellow, Stony Brook University, 2012-2017.

Awards/Honors: Dissertation Fellow, Boston College, Program in African and African Diaspora Studies, Boston College, 2017. Tinker Field Research Grant, Tinker Foundation, 2014. Provost's Development Fund Award, University of Pittsburgh, 2010.

Publications/Presentations: "'Melancholy Monarchists and Tortured Republicans': The Aftermath of Emancipation in Rio de Janeiro." Works in Progress Lecture Series, Program in African and African Diaspora Studies, Boston College, Boston, MA, February 2018. "'The Force of Public Opinion': History, Antislavery and the Debate over Indemnification in 1880s Rio." Dialogues and Challenges in the Study of the African Diaspora in Latin America, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, April 2017. "Rebellion from Afar: Challenging Spanish Imperialism and Cuban Slavery in New York City, 1868-1873." Graduate Conference in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY, April 2014.

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Ph.D., Yale University (Expected 2018)
M.Phil., Yale University (2011)
M.A., Yale University (2010)
M.A., Courtauld Institute of Art (2007)
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Positions Held: Adjunct Faculty Member, Art & Art History Department, University of Connecticut, January-June 2018. Guest Curator, Rare Book Room and Exhibition Gallery, Yale Law School Library, 2016-2017. Guest Curator, Manuscripts Department, J. Paul Getty Museum, 2015.

Awards/Honors: Recognition of Excellence in Teaching, University of Connecticut, May 2018. University Dissertation Fellowship, Yale Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, 2015-2016. Elected by Yale History of Art to represent the Department at annual Institute of Fine Arts (NYU)-Frick Collection Symposium, 2014.

Publications/Presentations: Michael Widener and Christopher Platts. *Representing the Law in the Most Serene Republic: Images of Authority from Renaissance Venice*, exh. cat. New Haven: Law Library, Yale Law School, 2016. Valentina Balzarotti, Ilaria Giuliano, David Lucidi, Rossella Monopoli, Hiroko Nagai, Caterina Pascale Guidotti Magnani, Tommaso Pasquali, Christopher Platts, Sergio Ramiro Ramirez, Francesco Traversi, Federica Volpera. "Perchè Morandi Oggi?" In *Giorgio Morandi, Roberto Longhi: opere, lettere, scritti*, edited by Maria Cristina Bandera, 78-86. Cinisello Balsamo: Silvana, 2014. Seven catalog entries, in *Florence at the Dawn of the Renaissance: Painting and Illumination, 1300-1350*, edited by Christine Sciacca. Los Angeles: J. Paul Getty Museum, 2012.

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M.M., The Hartt School, University of Hartford (2016)
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Positions Held: Artistic Director and Co-Founder, Connecticut Summerfest, 2015-present. Director of
Woodwind Studies, MusicMakers International Academy, Manchester, CT, 2016-present.
Composition Recordings: Coro Volante. “Merfolk.” *New Choral Voices*, Vol. 2. ar-00040. 2018.
Members of the Brno Filharmonie. “Aboard the Phantom Train.” *Pierrot Ensemble Series*, Vol. 1.
ar-00035. 2017. Apple Orange Pair. “Amber Veil.” *Seeds*. Independent Release. 2013.

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Ph.D., Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (1999)
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Positions Held: Associate Professor, Arts and Humanities Department, Universitat Oberta de Catalunya,
1998-present. Visiting Scholar, Duke University (1996); Visiting Professor, University of British
Columbia (2007), Brown University (2010), and Università Ca’Foscari-Venezia (2012). Director
of the Institució de les Lletres Catalanes, 2004-2006.
Awards/Honors: Vice-president of the Catalan PEN Center, 2018-present. Fulbright Visiting Scholar at the
Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago, 2017. Ministerio de
Ciencia e Innovación grant for a research stay at the Unit of Culture Research, University of Tel
Aviv, 2010.
Publications/Presentations: Jaume Subirana. *Construir con palabras. Escritores, literatura e identitat en
Cataluña (1859-2019)*. Ediciones Cátedra, 2018. Enric Bou, Jaume Subirana, eds. *The Barcelona
Reader. Cultural Readings of a City*. Liverpool UP, 2017. Josep-Anton Fernández, Jaume
Subirana, eds. *Funcions del passat en la cultura catalana contemporània: institucionalització,
representacions i identitat*. Punctum, 2015.

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Ph.D., Fudan University (2007)
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Positions Held: Assistant (2007-2013) and Associate Professor (2013-present), Fudan University. U.S.
Department of State, SUSI scholar, summer 2018. National Humanities Center, Fellow, Luce
China Program, 2014-2015.
Awards/Honors: The Social Science Fund of the Ministry of Education of China, 2016. The Social Science
Fund of Shanghai Municipal Government, 2016. National Humanities Center Fellowship, 2014-
2015.
Publications/Presentations: Tu, Yichao. “Religion and Contemporary Diplomacy: History, Ideas and
Practice.” *The Journal of International Studies*, no. 5 (2017). Tu, Yichao & Luo, Yiqing, trans.
God and Gold: Britain, America, and the Making of the Modern World, by Walter Russell Mead.
Social Sciences Academic Press, 2017, 2014. Tu, Yichao. *American Evangelicals and*

International Relations: A Case Study of Rev. Billy Graham. Shanghai People's Publishing House, 2010.

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Ph.D., The Graduate Center, CUNY (2016)
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Positions Held: Lecturer, University of Michigan, 2017-2018. Teaching Fellow, Queens College (CUNY), 2014-2016.

Awards/Honors: Award for Excellence in Teaching (part-time faculty), Queens College (CUNY), 2016. Prize, Best Dissertation in Victorian Studies, English Department, CUNY Graduate Center, 2016. Lynn Kadison Dissertation Year Fellowship, English Department, CUNY Graduate Center, 2015-2016.

Publications/Presentations: "[Practicing Canon-Formation in the Digital Classroom](#)." *Nineteenth Century Gender Studies* (Summer 2016). "'What are they to do with their lives?': Anglican Sisterhoods and Useful Angels in Three Novels by Charlotte Mary Yonge." *Nineteenth-Century Contexts* 37, no. 2 (Spring 2015): 147-163. "Now You See It: Concealing and Revealing Pregnant Bodies in *Wuthering Heights* and *The Clever Woman of the Family*." *Victorian Network* 6, no. 1 (Summer 2015): 32-53.

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Ph.D., Univ. California-Los Angeles (Expected 2018)
M.A., Univ. California-Los Angeles (2013)
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Awards/Honors: Port of Los Angeles Fellowship, Port of Los Angeles, 2016-2017. Eugene V. Cota-Robles Fellowship, UCLA Graduate Division, 2011-2016. Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, 2007-2009.

Publications/Presentations: Yen, Emily H.A. "In Defense of Housing Book Review." *City and Community* 16, no. 3 (2017): 347-348. Yen, Emily H.A. "Book Review: *Solidarity Forever? Race, Gender, and Unionism in the Ports of Southern California*, by Jake Alimahomed-Wilson." *Labor Studies* 42, no. 4 (2017): 411-41. Bauman, Kyra, Wangmeng Ren, and Emily Yen. "Invisible Lujiazui: Revealing the Faces of Workers Behind Hidden Power Structures." *Urban China* 72 (2015): 78-85.