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Education

Ph.D. in History, Georgetown University, 2013

M.A. in German and European Studies, Georgetown University, 2009

B.A. *cum laude* in History (Minor: German), The College of William & Mary, 2002

Professional Employment

Assistant Professor, Central European History and Associate Director Austrian Marshall Plan
Center for European Studies, University of New Orleans, 2017-

Postdoctoral Fellow in 18th-19th Century Europe, Utah State University, 2015-2016

Visiting Assistant Professor, Utah State University, 2013-2015

Visiting Appointments

Fulbright-Botstiber Visiting Professor of Austrian-American Studies, University of Innsbruck,
2016

Publications

“Environmental Consequences of the Peace: The Great War, Dammed Lakes, and Hydraulic History in the Eastern Alps.” *Environmental History* 20 (2015): 422-448.

“Catalyst for Transition: The Anschluss, Kaprun, and a Dual Energy Transition.” In “Energy (and) Colonialism, Energy (In)Dependence: Africa, Europe, Greenland, North America,” eds. Clapperton Chakanets Mavhunga and Helmuth Trischler. *RCC Perspectives*, no. 5 (2014): 43-51.

“On Water: Perceptions, Politics, Perils.” Editor with Agnes Kneitz, special issue, *RCC Perspectives* 2012, no. 2.

“Water as ‘White Coal’.” In “On Water: Perceptions, Politics, Perils,” eds. Agnes Kneitz and Marc Landry. *RCC Perspectives*, no. 2 (2012): 7-12.

“How Brown were the Conservationists? Naturism, Conservation, and National Socialism, 1900-1945.” *Contemporary European History* 19 (2010): 83-93.

Manuscripts in Progress

Peak Power: The Alps and Electrification in Europe (book manuscript in progress).

Public History Publications

Utah State University: The History of Water (outreach publication).

Grants, Awards, Honors

Fulbright-Botstiber Grant in Austrian-American Studies, University of Innsbruck, 2016
Keynote speaker, Department of History and Phi Alpha Theta Awards Ceremony, Utah State University, 2016
Postdoctoral Fellowship in 18th and 19th Century Europe, Utah State University, 2015-2016
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Life Members' Fellowship in Electrical History, 2011-2012
Royden B. Davis Teaching Fellowship, Georgetown University, 2010-2011
Scholar-in-Residence, Deutsches Museum, Munich, 2009
German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Research Grant, 2007-2008
German Historical Institute Archival Summer Seminar in Germany, 2006
History Graduate Scholarship, Georgetown University, 2005-2010
BMW Center for German & European Studies Scholarship, Georgetown University, 2004-2006
Fulbright Student Grant for Austria, 2002-2003

Presentations

Invited Presentations

“Peak Power: The Alps and Electrification in Europe.” Summit Meeting of the History Departments, University of Innsbruck, May 2016.

“‘White Coal’: The Alps and Power in Europe, 1870-1955.” Environmental History Seminar, University of Salzburg, Austria, May 2010.

“Europe’s ‘White Coal’: The Hydro-Electrification of the Alps, 1880-1955.” Rachel Carson Center Munich, March 2010.

“‘White Coal’: The Hydro-electrification of the Alps, 1880-1955.” Modern Europe Seminar, Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich, November 2009.

“Mining ‘White Coal’: The Hydro-Electrification of the Alps, 1870-1955.” Environmental History Seminar, Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich, February 2008.

Refereed Conference Presentations

“Peak Power: The Alps and Electrification in Europe.” International Conference “Mobilising and Using Energy, from Antiquity to the Present Time” organized by the French Network of Environmental Historians (RUCHE), Bordeaux-Montaigne University, September 2016.

“Constructing the Grid: German Rearmament and Popular Conceptions of Electrification, 1937-1945.” American Society for Environmental History, Washington, DC, March 2015.

“The Damming of the Alps: Environment and Energy in Europe, 1850-1945.” American Historical Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 2013.

“The Moderating Influence of National Socialism? The *Anschluss* and the Energy Development of Austria’s Hohe Tauern Range.” Joint Energy History Workshop of the Rachel Carson Center for Environment and Society and the University of Houston Center for Public History, “Energy Resources: Europe and its Former Colonies,” Rachel Carson Center, Munich, Germany, October 2012.

“Storing ‘Superpower’: Austria’s *Hohe Tauern* Works and the Making of the European Electricity Grid, 1920-1955.” American Society for Environmental History, Madison, Wisconsin, March 2012.

“‘White Coal’: Alpine Water and Power at the Turn of the Twentieth Century.” History of Energy Workshop, Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts, November 2011.

“‘White Coal’: Alpine Water and Power in Europe, 1880-1955.” Association for Environmental Studies and Sciences Annual Meeting, Burlington, VT, June 2011.

“Europe’s Battery: The Alps, Water, and Power in Europe, 1870-1955.” American Society for Environmental History, Phoenix, Arizona, April 2011.

“The Power of Alpine Lakes: The Construction of Bavaria’s *Walchenseekraftwerk*, 1904-1924.” German Studies Association, Oakland, California, October 2010.

“Storing Great (Water) Power: The *Hohe Tauern* Works and the European Energy System, 1920-1955.” Water History Conference, Delft, Netherlands, June 2010.

“‘White Coal’ in the Upper Danube Watershed: Hydroelectric Development in Alpine Bavaria, 1891-1924.” European Science Foundation Exploratory Workshop on Long Term Socio-Ecological Research of a European Watershed: Towards an Environmental History of the Danube’s Riverine Landscapes (ENVIRADANUBE), Vienna, Austria, February 2008.

Public History Presentations

“Mad King Ludwig of Bavaria.” Phi Alpha Theta “Fright Night,” Utah State University, October 2015.

Teaching

Courses Offered at the University of New Orleans

2018	Environmental History
2017-2018	World History since 1600
2017	History of the Habsburg Empire
2017	Postwar European History

Courses Offered at the University of Innsbruck

2016	New Approaches to Central European History
2016	Energy in the Fossil Fuel Age

2016 Global Environmental History (undergraduate lecture)

Courses Offered at Utah State University

2016 HIST 4290: Europe and the French Revolution, 1700-1815
2014-15 HIST 4330: History of Modern Germany
2013-16 HIST 3950: Energy in the Fossil Fuel Age
2013-16 HIST 1110: Nature and Power: Foundations of Modern Western Civilization
2013-14 HIST 3240: History of Modern Europe

Courses Offered at Georgetown University

2012 STIA 102: Introduction to Environmental Science (Lab Assistant)
2011 HIST 304: Energy in World History

Academic and Public History Employment

Research Associate, Rachel Carson Center, Munich, 2009-2010
Intern, German Historical Institute, Washington, DC, 2005

Professional and Institutional Service

Reader for *Environmental History*
Mentor, International Graduate School in Environmental History, European Society for Environmental History, 2015
Graduate Student Organization Representative, Georgetown University, 2010-2011
Graduate Studies Committee Representative, Georgetown University, 2006
Modern European History Area Representative, Georgetown University, 2006

Research Languages

German (speak, read, write)
French (speak, read)

Professional Associations

American Historical Association
American Society for Environmental History
European Society for Environmental History
German Studies Association