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APPOINTMENTS

- 2000-present Assistant to Full Professor of History (tenured in 2006), Western Illinois University, Macomb, IL
- 2014-present Research Associate, Society, Work and Development Institute (SWOP), University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2011 Visiting Scholar, Institute for the Study of Societal Issues, University of California, Berkeley (summer)
- 2009 Visiting Research Fellow, Centre for Sociological Research, University of Johannesburg, South Africa (summer)
- 2007 Associate Director, Culture & Society in Africa Program, Associated Colleges of the Midwest (ACM) & Visiting Professor of History, University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania (spring semester)
- 1998-2000 Visiting Assistant Professor, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 1998 Lecturer, Western Maryland (now McDaniel) College, Westminster, MD
- 1997 Visiting Assistant Professor, Washington College, Chestertown, MD
- 1996 Instructor, Georgetown University, Washington, DC

EDUCATION

- 1997 Ph.D. in History, with distinction, Georgetown University, Washington, DC
- 1991 B.A. in History, Columbia University, New York City, NY

BOOKS

Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2018.

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, co-edited with David Struthers and Kenyon Zimmer. London: Pluto Press, 2017. French translation, Paris: Éditions Hors d'atteinte, forthcoming in 2020.

Wobblies on the Waterfront: Interracial Unionism in Progressive-Era Philadelphia. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2007.

Ben Fletcher: The Life and Times of a Black Wobbly, including Fellow Worker Fletcher's Writings and Speeches, editor. Chicago: Charles H. Kerr, 2007.

SCHOLARLY ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

“Durban Dockers, Labour Internationalism, and Pan-Africanism,” in *Choke Points: Logistics Workers and Solidarity Movements Disrupting the Global Capitalist Supply Chain*, Jake Alimahomed-Wilson and Immanuel Ness, editors. London: Pluto Press, 2018.

“Hooks Down! Anti-Apartheid Activism and Solidarity Among Maritime Unions in Australia and the United States,” co-authored with Peter Limb, *Labor History* 58:3 (2017): 303-326.

“Trade, services, transport,” co-authored with Jennifer Hart, in *Handbook: The Global History of Work*, Karin Hofmeester and Marcel van der Linden, editors. Munich: Walter de Gruyter Publishers, 2017.

“Dockworkers in America,” *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History* (2017): americanhistory.oxfordre.com/view/10.1093/acrefore/9780199329175.001.0001/acrefore-9780199329175-e-467

“An Injury To One Is An Injury To All: San Francisco longshore workers and the fight against apartheid,” *Journal of Civil and Human Rights* 1:2 (2015): 158-181.

“No Justice, No Ships Get Loaded: Political Boycotts on the Durban and San Francisco Bay Waterfronts,” *International Review of Social History* 58:2 (2013): 185-217.

“The Tip of the Spear: How Longshore Workers in the San Francisco Bay Area Survived the Container Revolution,” *Employee Responsibilities and Rights Journal* 25:3 (2013): 201-216.

“The Ships Must Sail on Time: the histories of longshore workers and why their unions still matter,” *International Labor and Working-Class History* 83 (2013): 210-225.

“Searching for Detroit,” roundtable on *Searching for Sugarman*, in *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* 14:4 (2013): 476-481.

“No jobs on the waterfront: the end of the industrial city,” symposium on *The Wire*, in *Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas* 10:1 (2013): 11-20.

“Crossing the Color Lines, Crossing the Continents: Comparing the Racial Politics of the IWW in South Africa and the United States, 1905-1925” co-authored with Lucien van der Walt, *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* 12:1 (2011): 69-96.

“A Tale of Two Towns: Globalization and Rural American Deindustrialization,” *Working USA: The Journal of Labor and Society* 12:4 (2009): 539-562.

“International Film, US Cities: Teaching Urban America Using International Movies,” special issue on “Teaching the City,” *Transformations: The Journal of Inclusive Scholarship and Pedagogy* 19:1 (2008): 166-176.

“Philadelphia’s Lords of the Docks: Interracial Unionism Wobbly-Style,” *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era* 6:3 (2007): 310-338.

“Quakertown Blues: Philadelphia’s Longshoremen and the Decline of the IWW,” *Left History* 8:2 (2003): 39-72.

CURRENT PROJECTS

Chicago Race Riot of 1919 Commemoration Project (CRR19): Directing a public art project to commemorate those killed, thus far with support of Bronzeville Historical Society, Chicago Teachers Union (CTU), Center for African American History at Northwestern University, and Newberry Library. Public launch on July 27, 2019 in Bronzeville, Chicago

Book chapter: “Durban dockworkers, Direct Action, and Labor Internationalism,” in a book honoring Portuguese dockers, edited by Raquel Varela

Book chapter: “Keir Hardie, Eugene Debs, and the Transatlantic Connection,” Edinburgh: Keir Hardie Society and Luath Press, forthcoming in 2019

Book chapter: “Strange bedfellows but not for long: The Industrial Workers of the World and Communist International,” in *The Internationalisation of the Labour Questions, 1919-2019*, ed. by Stefano Bellucci and Holger Weiss, Palgrave, forthcoming in 2019

Review of Ralph Callebert, *On Durban’s Docks: Zulu Workers, Rural Households, Global Labor* (Rochester: University of Rochester Press, 2017) for *Journal of African History*

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, Department of History, University of California-Irvine, January 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, co-sponsored by Departments of Global Studies, History, Labor Studies, and Program on Global Studies, University of California-Riverside, January 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, co-sponsored by Luskin Center for History and Policy and Institute for Research on Labor and Employment, UCLA, January 2019

“Forging Global Solidarity: Dockworkers and Black Internationalism,” *Our Daily Work/Our Daily Lives*, co-sponsored by African Studies Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, February 2019

“Stumbling Blocks of US History: *Stolpersteine* and Chicago remembrance culture,” co-authoring with Sara Hall, “Stones of contention—provocation or mainstream ritual? The role of the *Stolpersteine* project in contemporary remembrance conflicts,” co-hosted by the Centre for Contemporary History Potsdam and the Coordination Office *Stolpersteine* Berlin, Berlin, Germany, February 2019

“The Red Summer of 1919, the Centennial” Black History Month presentations, Western Illinois Correctional Centers, Mt. Sterling and Clayton, IL, February 2019

“Chicago Race Riot of 1919” and “Modern South African History,” DuPage Valley (IL) Social Studies Conference, March 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, Co-sponsored by Department of History, American Culture Center, Ethnic Studies Library, and Institute for Research on Labor and Employment, University of California-Berkeley, March 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, Co-sponsored by Departments of History and Race & Resistance Studies as well as Labor Archives and Research Center, San Francisco State University, Berkeley, CA, March 2019

Public Talk, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, sponsored by Shaping SF, San Francisco, CA, March 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, sponsored by African American Museum and Library, Oakland, CA, March 2019

Book launch, *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, sponsored by Local 10, International Longshore & Warehouse Union, San Francisco, CA, March 2019

“Using Public Art to Fight Racism: The Chicago Race Riot of 1919 Commemoration Project,” Unitarian Universal Fellowship, Macomb, IL, March 2019

“Out with the Old (Left) and in with the New: When San Francisco’s longshore union hosted the Trips Festival in 1966,” Organization of American Historians, Philadelphia, PA, April 2019

“The Chicago Race Riot of 1919 Commemoration Project,” Ethical Humanist Society, Chicago, IL, April 2019

IISH Seminar on *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, International Institute of Social History, Amsterdam, Netherlands, May 2019

Collaborative Research Group Seminar on *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, African Studies Centre, University of Leiden, Netherlands, May 2019

Organisation and Employment Relations Research Centre Seminar on *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, Work, University of Sheffield, England, May 2019

Global and Transnational History, Seminar on *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, May 2019

Centre on Labour and Global Production Seminar on *Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*, Queen Mary University of London, England, May 2019

“*Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*: Author meets critics,” Labor and Working-Class History Association, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, May 2019

“*Dockworker Power: Race and Activism in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area*: Author meets critics,” Southern African Historical Society, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa, June 2019

Article: “Why He Didn’t Play Peoria: Paul Robeson’s canceled concert and civil rights unionism in the early Cold War”

Article: “San Francisco 1966: When America’s most radical union hosted the Trips Festival”

Article: “Building Working Class Institutions: Comparing Black Migrant Experiences on the Durban and San Francisco Docks”

Encyclopedia entry: “Lee Saunders” for BlackPast: blackpast.org

Long Format Non-Fiction Essay: “A German POW in Postwar Chicago”

AWARDS, GRANTS & WORKSHOPS

Faculty Summer Stipend, WIU Foundation, 2001, 2010, and 2019

Howard D. and Marjorie I. Brooks Fund for Progressive Thought, University of Illinois Press, 2018

Germany Residency in American History, Organization of American Historians and University of Tübingen, 2018

Curriculum Enhancement for Puerto Rico, US Department of Education Title VI Grant, WIU, 2017

President’s Excellence in Diversity Award (for Teaching), WIU, 2014

Professional Achievement Awards, WIU, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, and 2018

Faculty Study Abroad Fellowship (to South Africa), WIU, 2012-14

Invited participant, "Working on Globalisation: Work and Transport in Global History after 1945," Work and the Human Life Cycle in Global History, International Research Centre, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany, 2013

Invited participant, "Change and the Heartland Curriculum Writing Retreat: Making the Connection between the Heartland of USA and European Union," Environmental Change Institute and European Union Center, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, 2012

Faculty Mentoring Grant (to work with Dr. Peter Alexander, University of Johannesburg, South Africa), College of Arts & Sciences, WIU, 2008-2010

Group Study Exchange program to Northern Thailand, Rotary International, 2008

Invited participant, Op-Ed Writing Workshop for Labor Historians, Center for the Study of Work, Labor and Democracy at the University of California at Santa Barbara, 2008

University Research Council Grant, WIU, 2004-2005

National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute, The Civil Rights Movement: History & Consequences, Du Bois Institute, Harvard University, 2000

University Scholarships, Georgetown University, 1992-1996

University Fellowship, Georgetown University, 1993-1994

TEACHING

Undergraduate: Introduction to US History; Urban America; America in Transition: 1877-1914; African American History; History of the Civil Rights Movement; Technology, Culture, and Society; Seminar on US Social Movements & Transnational History; Historical Research Methods; Capstone Research Seminar; Honors Seminar on the Global Anti-Apartheid Movement; US Labor History; History of US Social Movements; Group Diversity

Graduate: Seminars on: Comparative US-South African History; U.S. Political Economy of the 1970s; Social Movements in the San Francisco Bay Area, and; Globalization & US Labor

GRADUATE STUDENTS ADVISED

Outside reader (International Mention), Brendan J. von Briesen, "Service-Sector Guilds and the Challenge of Liberalization: The organization of maritime-cargo handling in Barcelona, c. 1760-1840," Ph.D., University of Barcelona, Spain, 2017

Adviser, Joseph Heiberger, "The Fighting Irish: Chicago Irish Rise within the American System," M.A., WIU, 2016

Adviser, Lindsay Hiltunen, "Cultural Memory and the Power of Place: One Hundred Years of Remembering the Italian Hall Tragedy and the 1913-1914 Michigan Copper Strike," M.A., WIU, 2014

Reader, Nathan Doyle, "LBJ and the Media in Vietnam, 1964: A Policy Ignored," M.A., WIU, 2013

Reader, Michael Lowe, "Antiwar Protests at UW-Madison and SIU-Carbondale: Institutional Changes at Two Very Different Midwestern Universities," M.A., WIU, 2012

Reader, Leevia Barnett, "Civil Rights from Macomb to Peoria to Nashville: Reverend Cordy Tindell (C.T.) Vivian and the Communities that Cultivated His Growth as a Prominent Civil Rights Activist," M.A., WIU, 2011

Adviser, Daniel McIntosh, "Adventures in Nation Building: the CIA's Role in Coups during the 1950s," M.A., WIU, 2004

COMMENTARIES, OPINION ESSAYS & BLOG POSTS

"Europe and the Sea (Europe und das Meer): A review of an exhibit at the German Historical Museum," *Global Maritime History*, October 8, 2018: globalmaritimehistory.com/europe-and-the-sea-europa-und-das-meer/

"Harry Bridges," Labor Song of the Month, Higgins Labor Center, University of Notre Dame, September 3, 2018. Reposted at *Labor History Online*: socialconcerns.nd.edu/labor-song-month#Sep%202018

"A tribute to Ron Dellums, radical," *Africa Is A Country*, August 6, 2018. Reposted at *History News Network*, *Portside*, and *Stansbury Forum*: africasacountry.com/2018/08/a-tribute-to-ron-dellums-the-radical

"Black Lives Mattered in this long-forgotten interracial union," *Fifth Estate*, #401 (July 2018): fifthestate.org

"How a German art project can be a model to commemorate the Chicago Race Riot of 1919," *Chicago Union Teacher*, June 2018: ctunet.com/media/chicago-union-teacher/2018-06/how-a-german-art-project-can-be-a-model-to-commemorate-the-chicago-race-riot-of-1919

"Don't Like War? Then Don't Work! Remembering When Dockworkers Shut Down the Ports on May Day," *In These Times*, April 26, 2018. Reposted at *Jacobin*: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/21091/ILWU-war-Iraq-Afghanistan-work-stoppage-dockworkers-apartheid-May-Day

“The Other Revolutionaries,” co-authored with Lucien van der Walt, *Review of African Political Economy*, March 29, 2018: roape.net/2018/03/29/the-other-revolutionaries/

“Tanzania, Black Power, and the Uncertain Future of Pan-Africanism, 1964–1974,” *Africa Is A Country*, March 9, 2018: africasacountry.com/2018/03/tanzania-black-power-and-the-uncertain-future-of-pan-africanism/

“Please don’t forget about the (dock)workers,” *Global Maritime History*, March 8, 2018: globalmaritimehistory.com/please-dont-forget-dockworkers/

“Strike!!! Strike!!! Strike!!! On this day in 1941 Dutch workers Said No to the Nazi Persecution of Dutch Jews,” *History News Network*, February 25, 2018: historynewsnetwork.org/article/168353

“A German Art Project Reveals How America Could Confront Its Racist History,” *Washington Post*, February 6, 2018. Reposted at *History News Network*: wapo.st/2s7IYY2?tid=ss_mail&utm_term=.52348cb8964b

“A Truly Global Union: The IWW,” co-authored with David Struthers and Kenyon Zimmer, Pluto Press, December 4, 2017: plutobooks.com/blog/wobblies-global-union-iww/

“Middle class is disappearing at WIU, too,” *Peoria Journal-Star*, November 10, 2017: pjstar.com/opinion/20171110/spotlight-middle-class-is-disappearing-at-wiu-too

“The Wobblies: A Radical World History,” Pluto Press, November 7, 2017. Reposted at *Stansbury Forum*: plutobooks.com/blog/wobblies-radical-world-history-iww/

“Wobblies—A new history of a radical union that profoundly impacted Southern African politics,” co-authored with Lucien van der Walt, *Africa Is A Country*, October 21, 2017: africasacountry.com/2017/10/wobblies-a-new-history-of-a-radical-union-that-profoundly-impacted-southern-african-politics/

“These Dockworkers Just Showed the Labor Movement How to Shut Down Fascists,” *In These Times*, August 29, 2017. Reposted at *Portside* and *Salon*: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/20465/ILWU-Dockworkers-fascists

“Think *Dunkirk* Is Epic? Check Out the Soviet War Memorial in Berlin’s Treptower Park,” *History News Network*, August 13, 2017: historynewsnetwork.org/article/166622. Revised as “Check out the Soviet War Memorial in Berlin’s Treptower Park. It’s epic!” May 21, 2018, *Fotostrasse*: fotostrasse.com/soviet-war-memorial-treptower-park/#.WwWmkKkh3OR

“She Battled the Capitalists Tooth and Nail,” *Jacobin*, August 10, 2017. Reposted at *Portside*: jacobinmag.com/2017/08/ella-reeve-mother-bloor-communist-party-unions-soviet-union

“Peter Waterman, an Internationalist to the End,” *Review of African Political Economy*, July 10, 2017: roape.net/2017/07/12/peter-waterman-internationalist-end/

“Revolutionaries Lived in San Francisco But Wore No Flowers in Their Hair,” *BeyondChron*, January 31, 2017: beyondchron.org/revolutionaries-lived-san-francisco-wore-no-flowers-hair/

“Want to Stop Trump? Take a Page From These Dockworkers, and Stop Work,” *In These Times*, January 23, 2017. Reposted at *Portside*: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/19835/want_to_stop_trump_take_a_page_from_these_dockworkers_and_stop_work

“Remember the Massacre at Wounded Knee,” *Jacobin*, December 29, 2016: jacobinmag.com/2016/12/wounded-knee-massacre-lakota-us-army/

“Here’s What to Tell People Who Love to Remind Blacks that the Democratic Party Was Proslavery in the 19th Century,” *History News Network*, December 27, 2016: historynewsnetwork.org/article/164673

“Outselling the Beatles in 1966: LA’s forgotten musical genius,” *Boom: A Journal of California*, December 22, 2016: boomcalifornia.com/2016/12/22/outselling-the-beatles-in-1966-las-forgotten-musical-genius/

“Where Has All the Loving Gone? A Review of the New Film, *Loving*,” African American Intellectual History Society, November 27, 2016. Reposted at *Mixed Race Studies* and *Ordinary Philosophy*: aaihs.org/where-has-all-the-loving-gone-a-review-of-the-new-loving-film/

“The Secret Struggle Against Apartheid,” *Jacobin*, September 29, 2016. Reposted at *Black Agenda Report*, *History News Network*, *Portside*, and *Stansbury Forum*: jacobinmag.com/2016/09/south-africa-apartheid-anc-london-recruits-ycl/

“Paul Robeson, Black Dockworkers, and Labor-Left Pan-Africanism,” African American Intellectual History Society, July 26, 2016. Reposted at *LaborOnline*: aaihs.org/paul-robeson-black-dockworkers-and-labor-left-pan-africanism/

“Should Hillary Move Left?” *History News Network*, July 24, 2016: historynewsnetwork.org/article/163426

“What If *The Wire*’s Omar Little Was More like Woody Guthrie’s Pretty Boy Floyd?” *Counterpunch*, July 14, 2016: counterpunch.org/2016/07/14/what-if-the-wires-omar-little-was-more-like-woody-guthries-pretty-boy-floyd/

“Fellow Workers: Read this book!” Review of Anatole Dolgoff, *Left of the Left: My Memories of Sam Dolgoff* (AK Press, 2016), *Stansbury Forum*, July 4, 2016. Reposted at *LaborOnline* and in *Anarcho-Syndicalist Review* and *Industrial Worker*: stansburyforum.com/fellow-workers-read-this-book/

“The Law That Changed the American Workplace,” *TIME*, June 24, 2016: time.com/4376857/flsa-history/

“MLK was assassinated on this day—while fighting for unions,” *In These Times*, April 4, 2016. Reposted at History News Network: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/19018/martin-luther-king-unions-labor-poor-peoples-campaign-assassination-memphis

“Martin Luther King, Jr. wanted workers to be in unions and You Should, too!” WIUM (NPR), Macomb, IL, January 18, 2016: tspr.org/post/mlk-wanted-workers-be-unions-and-youshould-too#stream/0

“A New Documentary Explores the Anti-Apartheid Activists in South Africa You Never Learned About,” *In These Times*, January 13, 2016: inthesetimes.com/article/18767/london-recruits

“St. Francis Square: Union-Built, Integrated, Affordable Housing in San Francisco,” *JSTOR Daily*, January 2, 2016. Reposted at *History News Network*, *Places Journal*, *Popular Resistance*, and *Portside* and in print by ILWU Local 23: daily.jstor.org/st-francis-square-affordable-housing-san-francisco/

“Who Built the Golden Gate? New Book Tells Bridge Workers’ Stories,” *In These Times*, December 9, 2015. Reposted at *BeyondChron*: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/18662/who_built_the_golden_gate_bridge_new_book_tells_bri_dge_workers_stories

“Hooks Down! Anti-Apartheid Activism and Solidarity among Maritime Unions in the United States and Australia,” co-author Peter Limb, *Review of African Political Economy*, December 3, 2015: roape.net/2015/12/03/hooksdowns/

“When America Was Overcome with Anti-Japanese Xenophobia during WWII, One Union Fought Back,” *In These Times*, November 23, 2015. Reposted at History News Network, Portside, *Grand Prairie Union News*, and Transport Workers Solidarity Committee and in print by ILWU Local 23: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/18631/japanese-internment-world-war-ii-ilwu-labor-unions

“George Houser, US ally of Southern African liberation struggles, is no more,” *Africa Is A Country*, September 30, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*: africasacountry.com/2015/09/george-houser-us-ally-of-southern-african-liberation-struggles-is-no-more/

“In the bike lane,” *The Macopolitan*, September 2015.

“Lessons that can be learnt from dockworkers who helped bring apartheid to its knees,” *The Conversation* (Africa, Australia, and US editions), August 18, 2015. Reposted at AllAfrica.com and History News Network. View at: theconversation.com/lessons-that-can-be-learnt-from-dockworkers-who-helped-bring-apartheid-to-its-knees-46209

“Dylann Roof and the South African Flag,” *We’re History*, August 17, 2015: werehistory.org/roof-south-african-flag/

“After the Confederate Flags Come Down, Everything Named After Nathan Bedford Forrest Should Be Next,” *In These Times*, July 5, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*: inthesetimes.com/article/18164/nathan-bedford-forrest-monuments-park-black-lives-matter

“Happy Independence Day! Pass the tortillas, por favor!” *Belt Magazine*, July 2, 2015: beltmag.com/happy-independence-day-pass-the-tortillas-por-favor/

“Dylan Roof’s Rhodesian, South African Flags Symbolized White Supremacy. So Does The Confederate Flag,” *In These Times*, June 24, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*: inthesetimes.com/article/18107/what-do-rhodesia-apartheid-era-south-africa-and-the-confederacy-have-in-com

“This Small Town Shows Why The Trans-Pacific Partnership Could Be A Disaster For American Workers,” *In These Times*, June 5, 2015. Reposted at *Bill Moyers*, *Daily Kos*, *Truthout*, and *History News Network* and in print in *The Labor Paper* (Peoria, IL). Published in *The Age of Inequality* (Chicago: In These Times, 2017): inthesetimes.com/working/entry/18016/trans_pacific_partnership_jobs_workers

“On May Day, Longshore Workers Stop Work to Protest Police Brutality,” *In These Times*, April 30, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/17894/may_day_police_brutality

“From Sharpeville to San Francisco and back again,” *Mail & Guardian* (Johannesburg, South Africa), March 21, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*: mg.co.za/article/2015-03-21-from-sharpeville-to-san-francisco-and-back-again

“Why Jesus ‘Chuy’ Garcia Should Look to Anton Cermak’s Chicago Mayoral Campaign for Inspiration,” *In These Times*, March 18, 2015. Reposted at *History News Network*, Stansbury Forum, and Portside: inthesetimes.com/article/17768/chuy_garcia_anton_cermak

“Obama Takes A Page From FDR’s Playbook,” *TIME*, February 23, 2015: time.com/3719435/obama-fdr-dockworkers-strike/

“Australia and U.S. Labor: Transnational influences and historical comparisons,” co-authored with Shelton Stromquist, *LABOR online*, January 30, 2015: lawcha.org/wordpress/2015/01/30/australia-u-s-labor-transnational-influences-historical-comparisons/

“In the Bike Lane,” *The Macopolitan*, December 2014.

“An Injury To One Is An Injury To All” poster, co-created by Justin “Blanco” Mugits, *Celebrate People’s History*: justseeds.org/product/ilwu-and-the-anti-apartheid-struggle/

“The Right’s Working-Class Philosopher (Eric Hoffer),” *Jacobin*, September 2, 2014. Reposted at: *LABOR online*, *People’s World*, and Shaping San Francisco’s Digital Archive: jacobinmag.com/2014/09/the-rights-working-class-philosopher/

“Bay Area Longshore Workers Led the Local Fight Against Apartheid,” *BeyondChron*, December 11, 2013: beyondchron.org/news/index.php?itemid=12153#more

“Don’t Weaken Fair Labor Standards,” *Miami Herald*, November 14, 2013. Reposted at Farmworker Justice: farmworkerjustice.org/press/miami-herald-oped-don%E2%80%99t-weaken-fair-labor-standards

“‘An Irresistible Force’: Longshore unions and the fight for freedom and justice in Palestine,” *Briarpatch*, November/December 2013: briarpatchmagazine.com/articles/view/an-irresistible-force

“Happy (100th) Birthday, Local 8!” co-authored by Tukufu Zuberi, *Huffington Post*, May 28, 2013: huffingtonpost.com/dr-tukufu-zuberi/happy-100th-birthday-loc_a_b_3328399.html

“Composting,” Green Lifestyles, *McDonough County Voice*, March 2, 2013.

“Leo Robinson: leader of the ILWU anti-apartheid struggle,” *ILWU Dispatcher*, January 2013: ilwu.org/?p=4395

“Behind the Longshoremen’s Strike Threat,” *The Progressive*, December 29, 2012: progressive.org/behind-longshoremen-strike-threat

“Brandworkers Fanning the Flames, Wobbly-style,” *LABOR online*, November 24, 2012: lawcha.org/wordpress/2012/11/24/brandworkers-fanning-the-flames-wobbly-style-by-peter-cole-3/

“San Francisco’s LaborFest Looks to Occupy The Past, Present and Future,” *In These Times*, July 5, 2012: inthesetimes.com/working/entry/13484/san_franciscos_laborfest_looks_to_occupy_the_past_present_and_future/

“Bike Commuting in Macomb,” Green Lifestyles, *McDonough County Voice*, July 2, 2012.

“Bay Area’s History of General Strikes,” *San Francisco Chronicle*, November 2, 2011: sfgate.com/cgi-bin/article.cgi?f=/c/a/2011/11/02/ED3B1LP5BH.DTL

“Oakland’s Second General Strike: OWS and Unions Join Hands,” *Counterpunch*, November 2, 2011: counterpunch.org/2011/11/02/oaklands-second-general-strike/

“Which Side Are You On? Or, Why the Occupy Wall Street Movement Matters,” WIU, *Western Courier*, Macomb, IL, October 21, 2011.

“Join labor’s march in Chicago on April 9th if you believe in democracy!” WIUM, National Public Radio affiliate, Macomb, IL, April 8, 2011.

“The Economic Component of Human Rights,” *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, December 11, 2008.

“The New Green Frontier,” *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, October 5, 2008.

“Don’t let companies intimidate employees who want unions,” *Peoria Journal-Star*, August 31, 2008.

“Longshore Union Strikes Against War,” *Seattle Post-Intelligencer*, April 30, 2008.

“I.W.W. Local 8” poster, co-created by Marc Nelson, *Celebrate People’s History* series: justseeds.org/celebrate_peoples_history/02local8.html

“Ben Fletcher, Local 8, and Me,” *Industrial Worker*, November 2007.

“Philadelphia’s Lords of the Docks: Black and White Longshoremen Unite and Fight!” New York Labor History News Service, September 2004.

“Storm Rising: Why the West Coast Labor Battle Should Not Be Overlooked,” WIUM, National Public Radio affiliate, October 4, 2002.

“Distance between workplaces, homes hurts Boise,” *Idaho Statesman*, March 26, 2000.

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Nicholas Grant, *Winning our freedoms together: African Americans and apartheid, 1945–1960* (University of North Carolina Press, 2017), *Choice: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries* (2018)

Seth Markle, *A Motorcycle on Hell Run: Tanzania, Black Power, and the Uncertain Future of Pan-Africanism, 1964–1974* (East Lansing: Michigan State University Press, 2017), *Black Perspectives*: aaihs.org/black-power-meets-pan-africanism-in-dar-es-salaam-tanzania/ (2017)

James Wolfinger, *Running the Rails: Capital and Labor in the Philadelphia Transit Industry* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2016), *Journal of American History* (2017)

Julian Brown, *The Road to Soweto: Resistance and the Uprising of 16 June 1976* (Johannesburg: Jacana Media, 2016), *South African Historical Journal* (2017)

Jake Alimahomed-Wilson, *Solidarity Forever? Race, Gender, and Unionism in the Ports of Southern California* (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2016), *Choice: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries* (2016)

John S. Saul and Patrick Bond, *South Africa—The Present as History: From Mrs Ples to Mandela and Marikana* (Suffolk, UK and Johannesburg: James Currey and Jacana, 2014), *Canadian Journal of African Studies/La Revue Canadienne des Études Africaines* (2015)

Eric Chester, *The Wobblies in their Heyday: The Rise and Destruction of the Industrial Workers of the World during the World War I Era* (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2014), book symposium in *Anarcho-Syndicalism Review* (2015)

John S. Ahlquist & Margaret Levi, *In the Interest of Others: Organizations and Social Activism* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2013), *International Review of Social History* (2014)

Symphony Way Pavement Dwellers, *No Land! No House! No Vote! Voices from Symphony Way* (Oxford: Pambazuka Press, 2011), *Ecquid Novi: African Journalism Studies* (2013)

Harvey Schwartz, *Solidarity Stories: An Oral History of the ILWU* (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 2009), *Labor History* (2012)

David A. Zonderman, *Uneasy Allies: Working For Labor Reform in Nineteenth-Century Boston* (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 2011), *American Historical Review* (2012)

Pamela E. Brooks, *Boycotts, Buses, And Passes: Black Women's Resistance in the U.S. South and South Africa* (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 2008), *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* (2010)

James Wolfinger, *Philadelphia Divided: Race and Politics in the City of Brotherly Love* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2007), *Labor History* (2010)

Jeffrey A. Johnson, “*They Are All Red Out Here*”: *Socialist Politics in the Pacific Northwest 1895-1925* (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2008), *Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas* (2010)

Steven Ashby and C. J. Hawking, *Staley: The Fight for a New American Labor Movement* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2009), *Journal of Illinois History* (2009)

Majka Burghardt, *Vertical Ethiopia: Climbing Toward Possibility in the Horn of Africa*, photography by Gabe Rogel (Addis Ababa: Shama, 2008), *American Alpine Journal* (2009)

Seattle Civil Rights and Labor History website, *Journal of American History* (2009)

Marian Mollin, *Radical Pacifism in Modern America: Egalitarianism and Protest* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2006), *Journal for the Study of Radicalism* (2009)

Steven D. Gish, *Alfred B. Xuma: African, American, South African* (New York: NYU Press, 2000), *Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies* (2008)

Richard A. Greenwald, *The Triangle Fire, the Protocols of Peace, and Industrial Democracy in Progressive Era New York* (Philadelphia: Temple University Press, 2005), *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era* (2007)

Gerald Horne, *Red Seas: Ferdinand Smith and Radical Black Sailors in the United States and Jamaica* (New York: New York University Press, 2005), *H-Caribbean* (2007)

Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum, *Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas* (2007)

Peter M. Ascoli, *Julius Rosenwald: The Man Who Built Sears, Roebuck and Advanced the Cause of Black Education in the American South* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2006), *Journal of Illinois History* (2006)

Georg Leidenberger, *Chicago's Progressive Alliance: Labor and the Bid for Public Streetcars* (Dekalb: Northern Illinois University Press, 2006), *Journal of Illinois History* (2006)

Paul Buhle and Nicole Schulman, eds. *Wobblies! A Graphic History of the Industrial Workers of the World* (New York: Verso, 2005), *LAWCHA: Newsletter of the Labor and Working-Class History Association* (2006)

Ellen Doree Rosen, *A Wobbly Life: IWW Organizer E. F. Doree* (Detroit: Wayne State University Press, 2004), *Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas* (2006)

The Chicago Diaries of John M. Wing, 1865-1866, edited by Robert Williams, forward by Paul F. Gehl, essay by Richard A. Scharzlose (Carbondale: Southern Illinois University Press and Caxton Club of Chicago, 2002) and Louise de Koven Bowen, *Growing Up with a City*, Introduction by Maureen A. Flanagan (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2002), *Journal of the Illinois State Historical Society* (2004)

Donna J. Rilling, *Making Houses, Crafting Capitalism: Builders in Philadelphia, 1790-1850* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2001), *International Labor and Working Class History* (2003)

Greg Hall, *Harvest Wobblies: The Industrial Workers of the World and Agricultural Laborers in the American West, 1905-1930* (Corvallis: Oregon State University Press, 2001), *Labor History* (2002)

Reuben Ellis, *Vertical Margins: Mountaineering and the Landscapes of Neoimperialism* (Madison: The University of Wisconsin Press, 2001), *American Alpine Journal* (2002)

Bruce Nelson, *Divided We Stand: American Workers and the Struggle for Black Equality* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2001), *History: Reviews of New Books* (2001)

Vernon Briggs, *Immigration and American Unionism*, (Ithaca: Industrial and Labor Relations Press, 2001), *History: Reviews of New Books* (2001)

Howard Kimeldorf, *Battling for American Labor: Wobblies, Craft Workers, and the Making of the Union Movement* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1999), *Industrial and Labor Relations Review* (2000)

Calvin Winslow, ed. *Waterfront Workers: New Perspectives on Race & Class* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1998), *H-Labor* (1999)

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

“Challenging Amnesia: Modeling A German Art Project To Remember the Chicago Race Riot of 1919,” Society of US Intellectual History, 2018, Chicago, IL

“Maritime unions and the global struggle against apartheid in the long 1960s,” University of Augsburg, Germany, 2018

“Dockworkers, global solidarity, and the struggle against apartheid since the 1960s,” University of Bielefeld, Germany, 2018

“The Split between the Industrial Workers of the World (IWW) and Red International of Labor Unions (RILU),” European Social Science History Conference, Belfast, Northern Ireland, 2018

“Striking a blow against apartheid: How union dockworkers in San Francisco supported the struggle,” Keynote: Anti-Apartheid Activism and the Labor Movement, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, 2017

“Building Working Class Institutions: Comparing Black Migrant Experiences on the Durban and San Francisco Docks,” African Studies Association, Chicago, IL, 2017

“Arriving on the Waterfront: Comparing Black Migration from Rural KwaZulu to Durban and the US South to the San Francisco Bay Area,” European Conference on African Studies, Basel, Switzerland, 2017

“Black Dockworkers by the Bay: Working Class Intellectuals and the Struggle Against Apartheid,” African American Intellectual History Society, Nashville, TN, 2017

“Durban Dockworkers and the Struggle Against Apartheid,” Baraza, African Studies Program, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, 2016

“New Perspectives on American Socialism” (roundtable), Organization of American Historians, Providence, RI, 2016

“Containing The Box: How Dockworkers in the San Francisco Bay Area and Durban Responded to the Challenges of Containerization,” European Social Science History Conference, Valencia, Spain, 2016

“Decasualisation on the waterfront: explaining the divergence of Durban and San Francisco dockers,” Department of Sociology and Society, Work and Development Institute (SWOP), University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, 2016

“Against Apartheid, For Civil Rights: Dockworkers and the History of Social Movements in Durban and San Francisco,” Labour Studies Seminar, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa, 2016

“A History of Dockers, Social Movements, and Transnational Solidarity in Durban and San Francisco,” Centre for Civil Society, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa, 2016

“Dockers and Transnational Solidarity: Case studies from Durban and San Francisco,” European Labour History Network, Turin, Italy, 2015

“Transnational Solidarity: Political Boycotts on the Durban & San Francisco Bay Waterfronts,” co-sponsored by Departments of American Culture & Literature and History, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 2015

“On the Waterfront in Durban and San Francisco: Longshoremen and Social Movement Unionism, 1934-1994,” Our Daily Work/Our Daily Lives, co-sponsored by African Studies Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, 2015

“Hooks Down! Anti-Apartheid Activism and Solidarity among Maritime Unions in Australia and the United States,” co-authored with Peter Limb, Australian-US Comparative and Transnational Labour History Conference, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia, 2015

“On the Durban Waterfront: Dockworker militancy in the struggle against apartheid,” African Studies Association, Indianapolis, IN, 2014

“Working Containers or Getting Worked by Them: how longshore workers in the San Francisco Bay Area and Durban responded to the challenges of containerization,” at “Working on Globalisation: Work and Transport in Global History after 1945,” Work and the Human Life Cycle in Global History, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany, 2013

“Anti-Apartheid Activism on the San Francisco Waterfront: Writing Labor into the Modern World’s Greatest Transnational Struggle,” Center for Transnational American Studies, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark, 2013

“Hooks Down! Political Boycotts on the Durban and San Francisco Bay Waterfronts,” Southern African Historical Society, Gaborone, Botswana, 2013

“From the hook to the box: How longshore unions in the San Francisco Bay Area and Durban survived the container,” Newberry Library Seminar in Labor History, Chicago, IL, 2013

“What 21st century activists can learn from an interracial, multiethnic union of early 20th century Philadelphia dockworkers,” panel on “Philly Workers Rising Up,” National Lawyers Guild, Philadelphia, PA, 2011

“No Justice, No Ships Get Loaded: Political Strikes on the Durban and San Francisco Bay Waterfronts,” Race, Radicalism, and Repression on the Pacific Coast and Beyond Conference, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, 2011

“Dockers matter/Dock matters: labour and race relations in Durban and the San Francisco Bay Area, 1960s and 1970s,” History Seminar, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, 2010

“On and Off the Waterfront: dockers, labor unions, and race relations in Durban and Oakland during the 1960s and 1970s,” Northeastern Workshop on Southern Africa, Burlington, VT, 2010

“*The Wire* on the Waterfront: Race, Unions, and the Downfall of Baltimore’s Working Class,” American Studies Association, Washington, DC, 2009

“The Buffalo Are Strong: First Thoughts on Dock Workers in Durban and Oakland, 1929-2009,” Invited Seminar Paper, Centre for Sociological Research, University of Johannesburg, 2009

“A Tale of Two Towns: Globalization and Rural Deindustrialization in the United States,” Newberry Library Rural History Seminar, Chicago, IL, 2009

“Service Learning, FYE and US History: student research and the republication of Reinhold Pabel’s *Enemies Are Human*,” WIU Annual Faculty Research Symposium, Macomb, IL, 2008

“Workers of the Waterfront Unite! Philadelphia’s Long-Forgotten Wobblies,” Keynote address, Pennsylvania Historical Association, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA, 2008

“Neither Color, Nor Nationality: the IWW organizes across the color line in South Africa and the United States,” co-author with Lucien van der Walt, Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Birmingham, AL, 2008

“Crossing the Colour Lines, Crossing the Continents: the racial politics of the transnational IWW in South Africa and the US, 1905-1925,” co-authored by Lucien van der Walt, Labour Crossings: World, Work and History, Johannesburg, South Africa, 2008

“Runaway: The Experiences of Two Rural US Communities with Globalization,” Pacific Northwest Labor History /Labor and Working Class History Association, Vancouver, Canada, 2008

“Tanzania within a Cosmopolitan Point of View: Colonial and Postcolonial History in M.G. Vassanji’s *Book of Secrets*,” co-authored by Heather Brady, African Literature Association, Macomb, IL, 2008

“Race, Class, and Power in Early 20th Century America: The IWW on the Philadelphia Waterfront,” South African and Contemporary History Seminar, University of Western Cape, South Africa, 2007

“Interracial Unionism in the US in the era of Segregation,” Sociology Seminar Series, University of Johannesburg, South Africa, 2007

Panelist, Roundtable on Peter Linebaugh and Marcus Rediker's *The Many Headed-Hydra: Sailors, Slaves, Commoners and the Hidden History of the Revolutionary Atlantic*, Social Science History Association, Baltimore, MD, 2003

Panelist, "Learning Our Past, Securing Our Future: Using Technology to Impact High School History Teaching," American Historical Association, Chicago, IL, 2003

"From the Emerald City to Quakertown: Longshoremen, Ideology, and the Fall of the IWW," Pacific Northwest Labor History Association, Tacoma, WA, 2000

"The Struggle for Interracial Unionism: The Rise and Fall of the IWW in Philadelphia, 1913-1927," Idaho State History Conference, Boise, ID, 2000

"Quakertown Blues: The Rise and Fall of Interracial Unionism," University of Houston Workshop for Young Scholars on the Black Urban Experience, Houston, TX, 1998

"The Waterfront of Brotherly Love," North American Labor History Conference, Detroit, MI, 1997

"Wobblies on the Waterfront: Race, Ethnicity, and the IWW in Philadelphia," Southern Labor Studies, Williamsburg, VA, 1997

"Wobblies Take the Docks," Pennsylvania State University Labor History Seminar, University Park, PA, 1997

"On the Philadelphia Waterfront: Race, Ethnicity & Syndicalism," Social Science History Association, New Orleans, LA, 1997

"Another Philadelphia Story: Race & Class along the Philadelphia Waterfront," Pennsylvania History Association, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA, 1996

"Another Philadelphia Story: Race & Class along the Philadelphia Waterfront," Race, Ethnicity, and Power in Maritime America, Mystic, CT, 1995

CHAIRS & COMMENTS AT CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

Comment: "Wobblies of the World," European Social Science History Conference, Belfast, Northern Ireland, 2018

Comment: "Creative Dissent: Radical Pedagogies in Twentieth Century Grassroots Movements," American Studies Association, Chicago, IL, 2017

Comment, James R. Barrett, "Blue-Collar Cosmopolitans: Toward a History of Working-Class Sophistication in the Industrial Era," Newberry Library Seminar on Labor History, Chicago, IL, 2016

Comment, "Labour and Port Infrastructure in the Global South in Historical Perspective," European Social Science History Conference, Valencia, Spain, 2016

Comment, "'This Dastardly Act': San Francisco's 1916 Preparedness Day Bombing," Newberry Library Seminar in Labor History, Chicago, IL, 2015

Comment, "Labor, Radicalism, and the State," Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL, 2013

Chair, "Obstacles to regionalism," Southern African Historical Society, Gaborone, Botswana, 2013

Chair, "Transnational experiences in Southern African colonial and post-colonial history," Southern African Historical Society, Gaborone, Botswana, 2013

Comment, "Global Radicalism and the 'One Big Union': Transnational Histories of the Industrial Workers of the World," American Historical Association, Chicago, IL, 2012

Comment, Margaret Garb, "'Nothing but Union Men:' A Black and White Workers Alliance in Industrializing Chicago," Newberry Library Labor History Seminar, Chicago, IL, 2011

Comment, "Race, Labor, and Urban Politics," Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL, 2010

Chair, "Problematising Class History," "Comprehending Class" conference, Centre for Sociological Research, University of Johannesburg, Johannesburg, South Africa, 2009

Chair, "Probing the Boundaries of the State, Economy, and Development," Southern Africa Historical Society, Pretoria, South Africa, 2009

Chair, "IWW in the Progressive Era," Labor and Working Class History Association, Chicago, IL, 2009

Chair, "Race, Labor and the City: Crises Old and New," Labor and Working Class History Association, Chicago, IL, 2009

Comment, James R. Barrett, "Rethinking the Popular Front," Newberry Library Labor History Seminar, Chicago, IL, 2009

Chair, Roundtable for Colleen O'Neill's *Working the Navajo Way*, Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL, 2007

Chair, "Labor in a Globalizing Era," Blackburn College Labor Studies Symposium, Carlinville, IL, 2005

Comment, "Labor History," Mid-America History Conference, Southwest Missouri State University, Springfield, MO, 2004

Comment, "New Perspectives on Labor and Working Class History in the American Midwest," Great Lakes Labor History Seminar, Newberry Library, Chicago, IL, 2004

Comment, "Working Class Internationalism and Anti-War Activism, 1914-1929," North American Labor History Conference, Detroit, MI, 2003

Chair, Roundtable on Marcus Rediker and Peter Linebaugh's *The Many Headed-Hydra: Sailors, Slaves, Commoners and the Hidden History of the Revolutionary Atlantic*, Social Science History Association, Baltimore, MD, 2003

Chair, "Brothers & Sisters: Class Solidarity, Racial Division, and Gender," North American Labor History Conference, Detroit, MI, 2002

Comment, "Class, Violence, and Politics: Racial Unity, Racial Conflict," North American Labor History Conference, Detroit, MI, 1999

Chair, "Biography as History," Western Conference of the Asian Studies Association, Boise, 1999

PRESENTATIONS TO GENERAL AUDIENCES

"Doing Public History: Or how I stumbled upon a German art project, became inspired by it, and now lead an effort to commemorate the Chicago Race Riot of 1919 using a modified version of it," Department of History Faculty Colloquium, WIU, Macomb, IL 2018

"Jewish Americans and social justice," Interfaith Alliance, Macomb, IL, 2018

"*Wobblies of the World: A Global History*," with Singeklub Leipzig, sponsored by Leipzig IWW, Leipzig, Germany, 2018

"The Internationalism of the IWW," May Day, Historical Society of Forest Park, Forest Park, IL, 2018

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, with contributors Marjorie Murphy and David Struthers, sponsored by Ireland IWW, Connolly Books, Dublin, Ireland, 2018

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, with Mark Bergfeld (Queen Mary University of London) and contributor David Struthers, Housmans Bookshop, London, England, 2018

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, Unitarian Universal Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2018

Discussion of *When We Were Kings*, Black History Month, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2018

"Muhammad Ali: Pan-African Radical," Black History Month presentations, Western Illinois Correctional Centers, Mt. Sterling and Clayton, IL, 2018

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, College of Complexes, Meeting #3,461, Chicago, IL, 2018. View at: [youtube.com/watch?v=NaGFWrun844](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NaGFWrun844)

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, with Fran Shor (Wayne State University), Source Books, Detroit, MI, 2017

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, with contributors Bucky Halker, Tariq Khan, and David Struthers, co-sponsored by Illinois Labor History Society and *In These Times*, Chicago, IL, 2017

“IWW Local 8: Philadelphia’s Interracial Longshore Union,” 4th Annual Cleveland LaborFest, Cleveland, OH, 2017

Wobblies of the World: A Global History of the IWW, with Michelle Chen (City University of New York and *The Nation*). Co-sponsored by Cornell University’s Worker Institute, Brandworkers, New York City branch of the IWW, Tamiment Library & Robert Wagner Archives, and New York Labor History Association, New York City, NY, 2017

“History of South Africa,” Food & Culture Club, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2017

“The Chicago Race Riot of 1919,” Western Illinois Correctional Center, Mt. Sterling and Clayton, IL, 2017

“In search of the (white) working class,” Panel on “Election 2016,” WIU Department of History and Phi Alpha Theta, Macomb, IL, 2016

“Automation Is Here to Liberate Us,” Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2016

“Dockworkers and struggles for social justice around the globe,” Expanding Cultural Diversity Project, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2016

“Wobblies on the Waterfront: The rise and fall of an interracial union,” IWW Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany 2016

“The Long Lasting Effects of Apartheid,” Political Economy of International Development (IS 3200), University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, 2016

“Ike, Elvis, and Lucy: Using Popular Culture to Understand the Postwar USA,” Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, December 2015

“Wobblies on the Waterfront: The rise and fall of Philadelphia's first interracial waterfront union,” in support of *Tides of Freedom* exhibit, Independence Seaport Museum, Philadelphia, PA, 2015

“There Is Power in a Union: a short history of industrial America and the labor movement,” 3-class sessions, Learning Is Forever (LIFE), Macomb, IL, 2015

“Marcus Garvey and his (continuing) importance to the African American Experience,” Western Illinois Correctional Center, Mt. Sterling and Clayton, IL, 2015

“The Box: How containers revolutionized the (San Francisco) waterfront....and the global economy,” Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2014
Panelist, “Student Athletes, Unions and NCAA,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2014

“Martin Luther King, Jr. and the March on Washington,” Western Illinois Correctional Center, Mt. Sterling and Clayton, IL, 2014

“Striking A Blow Against Apartheid: The Political Activism of San Francisco Longshore Workers,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2013

“The ‘Hidden History’ of the March on Washington for Jobs & Freedom, on its 50th Anniversary,” Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2013

“Striking Apartheid,” Labor Day Association, Boonville, IN, 2013

“Fighting Apartheid: The Political Activism of San Francisco Longshore Workers,” 1st Annual Peeling the Lid Back From History Lecture, College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL, 2013

“The Hidden History of the IWW's Local 8: Organizing Insights from the Multiracial Union that Controlled the Philadelphia Docks,” hosted by Brandworkers, Industrial Workers of the World (NYC), Focus on the Food Chain, and Laundry Workers Center, New York City, NY 2012

“From the bottom up: Why candidates should be talking more about climate change, the new Jim Crow, and the Occupy movement,” 2012 Presidential Election: Three WIU Historians Provide a Perspective, Macomb, IL, 2012

“Hooks Down! How longshore workers in San Francisco battled apartheid in South Africa,” Laborfest, also sponsored by International Longshore & Warehouse Union Local 10 and Shaping SF, San Francisco, CA, 2012

Invited lecture, “No Justice, No Ships Get Unloaded: Striking apartheid in San Francisco & against Mugabe’s regime in Durban,” in “Nelson Mandela and the Anti-Apartheid Movement,” Prof. Prexy Nesbitt, Columbia College, Chicago, twice: Spring and Fall, 2012

“The Chickens Come Home to Roost: The Deep Roots of Today’s Economic Mess,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2012

“Striking a Blow Against Apartheid: how the San Francisco longshore union boycotted South African Cargo in 1984,” Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2011

“Ben Fletcher and the Legacy of IWW MTWIU Local 8,” sponsored by the SF Bay area IWW, Niebly-Proctor Marxist Library, Oakland, CA, 2011

“Ben Fletcher: the WWI era’s most important, if forgotten, African American Labor Leader,” SF LaborFest co-sponsored by International Longshore & Warehouse Union Local 10, Local 10 Hall, San Francisco, CA, 2011

“Ben Fletcher: Philly’s greatest (African American) labor leader,” sponsored by the IWW, Bindlestiff Books, Philadelphia, PA, 2011

“What's the Word from Johannesburg? The Anti-Apartheid Movement in the United States.” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2011

“Wisconsin: Why & What We Can Do About it,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2011. View at: youtube.com/watch?v=6WAKDv4cZI8

“The (New) South Rises Again: Comparing the histories of Atlanta and Birmingham,” U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2010

“A musical journey: from the Americas to Africa and back again (with a nod to the UK),” Listening Party, Malpass Library, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2010

“The Labor Movement: the folks who brought you the weekend,” Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2010

Panelist, *No Impact Man*, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2010

“Philadelphia: The City of Brotherly Love...and Hate,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2009

“Safari Njema: Travels in Kenya & Tanzania,” Armchair Travelers for LIFE, Macomb, IL, 2009

“Bread and Roses? How workers fought on May Day but got Labor Day,” Unitarian Universality Fellowship, Macomb, IL, 2009

“The United States and South Africa: Two Histories More Common than You Think,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2009

“New Orleans: The Most Unique and American of Cities,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2009

“Ben Fletcher: America’s Foremost Black Labor Leader in the Progressive Era,” Black History Month, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2009

“Teddy Roosevelt: America’s First Conservation President,” Davenport Community School District, Davenport, IA, 2009

Invited guest lecture, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, Graduate seminar on U.S. labor history, Prof. Rosemary Feurer, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL, 2008

“Radicalism and Race on the Philadelphia Waterfront,” Albright College, Reading, PA, 2008

“Bombs and Banners: The Origins of Labor Day & Why It Still Matters,” 1st Annual Labor Day speaker, Monmouth College, Monmouth, IL, 2008

Book talks, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, LaborFest 2008, Modern Times Bookstore, San Francisco, CA and Transport Workers Solidarity Committee, Oakland, CA, 2008

“Lessons of Philadelphia’s Wobblies for Today,” Dissent in American Teach-In, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, 2008

Book talks, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, Temple Book Club, Temple University Library and Bindlestiff Books/Studio 34, Philadelphia, PA, 2008

Panelist, “The noose as an American nightmare,” MLK, Jr. Community Center, Rock Island, IL, 2008 and African American Studies Dept., WIU, Macomb, IL, 2007

“Suburbs & Climate Change,” Focus the Nation, Global Warming Solutions: A National Teach-In, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2008

Book talk, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, Harry Bridges Center for Labor Studies, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, 2008

Invited lecture, “Blacks, The Left, and the Left Coast,” History of Blacks in the West, Prof. Quintard Taylor, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, 2008

Book talk, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, Tamiment Library & Wagner Archives, New York University, New York, NY, 2008

“Organizing Wobbly Unions, Past & Present,” Bluestockings Bookstore, New York, NY, 2008

“International Brownbag: Tanzania,” presented with Heather Brady, Monmouth College, Monmouth, IL, 2007

“Environmental Issues in Tanzania: Reflections of a Short-time Expat,” Environmental Sustainability Brownbag, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2007

Book talk, *Wobblies on the Waterfront*, New Copperfield’s Books, Macomb, IL, 2007

“A History of American Urban Development,” 2 invited lectures, African Urban Development, University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, 2007

“Finding Nowhere, U.S.A.: Utopian Novels of the Gilded Age,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2006

Panelist, “Political Corruption and Reform,” Campus Dialogues, University Theme Committee, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2006

“*Fast Food Nation*, fast food architecture,” Campus Dialogues, University Theme Committee, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2006

Panelist, “Don’t Forget the War in Iraq,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2005

Panelist, “*The Corporation: Profits at Any Cost?*” Business Ethics Day, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2005

Panelist, “Hurricane Katrina: the Environment, Poverty and Race Politics in 21st Century America,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2005

“*Fast Food Nation* from the perspective of a historian,” First Year Experience summer reading, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2005

“Local 8, the IWW’s interracial experiment,” IWW Centenary Conference, Chicago, IL, 2005

“The White City: Using Chicago’s Legendary Fair to Explore Gilded Age America,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2005

“We don’t torture people in America,” Amnesty International Local 296 annual fundraiser, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2005

“‘Raise More Hell and Less Corn!’ The rise and fall of the Populists and why we should care,” U.S. Department of Education Institute for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2005

“Crisis in Gilded Age Illinois: Pullman, Debs, and Altgeld in the Pullman boycott of 1894,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2004

“U.S. Complicity in Worldwide Hunger,” Oxfam Hunger Banquet, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2004

“Seeing Red: From Haymarket to HUAC,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2004

“Roots: The Conservation Movement in Early 20th Century America,” Department of Biology Biweekly Seminar, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2004

Amnesty International, “The Universal Declaration of Human Rights and Social Justice,” “Now is the Time...Social Justice,” University Theme, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2004

“Labor History: Now is the Time, Social Justice,” University Theme, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2003

“The Other Appalachia,” Business Ethics Day, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2003

“Labor Rights as Human Rights, International Human Rights Day,” event sponsored by Amnesty International Local 296, Macomb, IL, 2003

Gallery Talk & Walk of Kenneth Holder’s *Lewis and Clark Trail Project*, University Art Gallery, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2003

“War in Iraq and Aftermath: forum on the war and post-Saddam Iraq,” WIU, Macomb, IL, 2003

“Building a Society of Fear: The Bush Administration’s Assault on Privacy and Other Civil Liberties,” Western Civil Liberties Union panel discussion, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2003

“Using Movies to Teach About Important Issues: *Matewan* and the Issues of Race, Labor, and Violence,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2003

“Acid Rock & the Age of Aquarius: Using Popular Culture to Understand the 1960s,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2003

“Promoting the Public Good and Preserving Private Welfare: Toward an Understanding of the Progressive Movement, 1900-1920,” Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2002

“Ike, Elvis, and the Beaver: Using Popular Culture to Understand the 1950s Teaching American History, U.S. Department of Education Grant for High School History Teachers, Macomb, IL, 2002

“Terrorism in Gilded Age America,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2001

“‘United We Stand’: Interracial Unionism on the Philadelphia Waterfront,” University Research/Grants Seminar Series, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2001

“Solidarity Forever: The History of the Industrial Workers of the World,” WIU Annual History Conference, Macomb, IL, 2001

Introduction to *Freedom Song*, Associated Students of History, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2001

Introduction to *Fat Man and Little Boy*, Associated Students of History, WIU, Macomb, IL, 2000

“History of the Farm Workers Movement,” speech sponsored by Idaho Progressive Student Alliance, in conjunction with premier of film “Voices from the Field,” Boise, ID, 2000

“The Final Days of Martin Luther King, Jr.,” in conjunction with exhibit, “The Struggle for Civil Rights at Home and Beyond,” Idaho Black History Museum, Boise, ID, 2000

“The Struggle for Interracial Unionism,” for Phi Alpha Theta, Boise State University, ID, 1999

“I Have Many Dreams: King on Race, War, and Poverty,” Martin Luther King, Jr./Human Rights Annual Celebration, Boise State University, Boise, ID, 1999

“The Conspiracy to Repress Working People,” speech and discussion of film *Matewan*, Boise State University Sociology Club, Boise, ID, 1998

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (select, at WIU)

President's Faculty Roundtable, 2018-19

College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Representative, Search Committee for Provost, 2017-18

Department Personnel Committee, 2006-19 (chair, 2016-17, 2008-9)

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (department), 2016-19 (chair, 2017-18)

Scholarship & Recruitment Committee (department), 2016-18, 2013-14

Academic Integrity Committee (department), 2016-17 (chair)

Search Committees (department): Chair, 2017 (chair), 2011-12 (chair) and 2008-9; Latin America; U.S. History, post-1945; U.S. West/Illinois; U.S. Diplomatic/Military; Minority Dissertation Fellowship

Graduate Committee (department), 2011-15

Chair's Advisory Committee (department), 2014-15

Library Committee (department), 2010-11 (chair), 2008-9, 2002-6 (chair), 2001-2

College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Representative, Search Committee for President of WIU, 2010

College Personnel Committee, 2008-9

Expanding Cultural Diversity Project, 2013-18

University Sustainability Committee, 2008-14; Transportation Subcommittee, 2008-13 (chair)

WIU Affirmative Action Administrative Internship Committee, 2009-12

First Year Experience Committee (university); Chair of Peer Mentor Subcommittee, 2005-6; FYE Dean's Council, 2004-2006; Presenter, FYE Faculty Training, 2005; Subcommittee on Faculty Training/Workshop, 2005; Chair, Subcommittee on Co-Curricular Events, 2004-5; FYE Faculty Pilot Committee, Honors College, 2004-5

House of Delegates, University Professionals of Illinois, 2003-19; Co-Chair, Education and Social Committee, University Professionals of Illinois, 2009-11; Department Representative, UPI, 2000-6

Faculty mentor, 2009-10, 2008-9, 2006-7, 2005-6, 2003-4

Faculty Advisor to Veggie Club, Campus Greens, Cycling Club, Flatlander Rock Climbers

Co-organizer, *Starving the Beast*, Expanding Cultural Diversity Project, WIU, 2017

Organizer, Dr. Martha Biondi, "The Black Revolution on Campus," WIU, 2014

Organizer, Prexy Nesbitt, "Footsoldiering for peace: from Martin Luther King, Jr. to Nelson Mandela and Samora Machel," WIU, 2012

Organizer, screening of *COINTELPRO 101* with co-producer Claude Marks, Freedom Archives (San Francisco), WIU, Macomb, IL 2011

Co-Organizer, centennial exhibit of 1908 Springfield Race Riot (Lincoln Museum and Archives) and guest lecture by Dr. Sundiata Cha-Jua (University of Illinois), WIU, 2008

Co-Organizer, Western Illinois African Film Festival, Monmouth College and WIU, October-November 2006

Co-Organizer, Eyes Wide Open: The Human Cost of War to Illinois, national sponsor: American Friends Service Committee, 2006

Organizer, *The Real Dirt on Farmer John*, in association with Campus Greens & Earth Day, 2006

Organizer of "Globalization, NAFTA and Maquiladoras: Jobs for the Poor or a Race to the Bottom?" presentation by Marco Negrete Jiménez, UNAM, 2005, WIU

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Co-editor, Wildcat Series, Pluto Press (London, England), 2017-present

Member, Herbert Gutman Dissertation Prize Committee, Labor and Working Class History Association, 2017-2019

Co-Coordinator, Labor History Seminar, Newberry Library, Chicago, IL, 2017-present

Manuscript reviewer, books: University of Illinois Press, 2013-14, 2011, 2010, 2008

Manuscript reviewer, articles: *International Review of Social History*, 2018; *South African Historical Journal*, 2017; *International Labor & Working Class History*, 2014, 2017; *Journal of Contemporary History*, 2017; *Labor: Studies in Working-Class History*, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017; *Mobility in History*, 2016; *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*, 2015; *Critical Historical Studies*, 2014; *Journal of American History*, 2012-13; *South African Review of Sociology*, 2010; *Labor History*, 2008; *Journal of Gilded Age and Progressive Era*, 2008

External reviewer: Promotion, School of Management, Information Technology and Governance, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, 2017; Promotion, Social Sciences Department, Purdue University Northwest, 2017; Promotion, Social Sciences Department, Purdue University North Central, 2016; Promotion & Tenure, Department of History, Roosevelt University, 2011

Member, Conseil scientifique/Scientific Committee, Réseaux et solidarités internationales face à la répression dans les ports et en mer - Troisième Journées Jules Durand/International networks

and solidarity in the face of repression in ports and at sea, 3rd Jules Durand conference, Université du Havre, France, 2016

Museum consultant, “Tides of Freedom: African Presence on the Delaware River,” Independence Seaport Museum, Philadelphia, PA, 2013

Program evaluator for Humanities Iowa, Quad Cities Area Labor-Management Council’s series on history of labor relations in the Quad Cities, Iowa and Illinois, 2005-2006

Consultant, Harry Bridges Educational Project, 2001

Museum consultant and author of exhibit brochure, “The Struggle for Civil Rights at Home and Beyond,” NEH-funded exhibit, Idaho Black History Museum, Boise, ID, 1999-2000

INTERVIEWS, PODCASTS & OTHER MEDIA APPEARANCES

“The Industrial Workers of the World in the US, 1905-1918,” *Working Class History* podcast, May 23, 2018: soundcloud.com/workingclasshistory/iww-peter-cole-interview

Arvind Dilawar, “The Supreme Court Could Make Unions a Lot More Radical,” *Talk Poverty*, May 9, 2018: talkpoverty.org/2018/05/09/supreme-court-make-unions-lot-radical/

“Labor History Today,” *Union City Radio*, WPFW 89.3 FM (Washington, DC), April 22, 2018: stitcher.com/podcast/union-city-radio/e/54192970

“Interview about *Wobblies of the World*,” Indymedia On Air, KPFK 90.7 FM (Los Angeles, CA), March 7, 2018: kpfk.org/on-air/indy-media-on-air/

“Hardest working cities in the U.S.,” Ask the Experts, *Wallethub*, February 26, 2018: wallethub.com/edu/hardest-working-cities-in-america/10424/

“Wobblies of the World, Unite: An Interview with Peter Cole,” by Arvind Dilawar for *Jacobin*, December 18, 2017: jacobinmag.com/2017/12/wobblies-of-the-world-peter-cole-iww

“The Revolutionary Global History of the IWW,” *It’s Going Down* podcast, December 17, 2017: itsgoingdown.org/revolutionary-global-history-iww-peter-cole/

“Peter Cole on the History of the IWW and *Wobblies of the World*,” *Radio Dispatch*, November 27, 2017: theradiodispatch.com/show/peter-cole-on-the-history-of-the-iww/

“*Wobblies of the World*, Then and Now,” *Belabored* #138, November 3, 2017: dissentmagazine.org/blog/belabored-podcast-138-wobblies-world-now-peter-cole

Wobblies of the World interview, “World Labor Hour,” WEFT 90.1 FM (Champaign, IL) October 28, 2017: new.weft.org/publicaffairs/laborhour.html

“It’s About Justice,” WRUW 91.1 FM (Cleveland, OH), September 30, 2017:
wruw.org/program/its-about-justice

Wobblies of the World interview, *New Syndicalist*, June 20, 2017:
newsyndicalist.org/2017/06/20/wobblies-of-the-world-interview/

“Here’s Why We Get Overtime Pay,” *CNN Money*, May 12, 2017:
money.cnn.com/video/news/2017/05/12/overtime-pay.cnnmoney/

“Interchange,” WFHB (Bloomington, IN), February 7, 2017: wfhb.org/news/interchange-the-authoritarian-creep/

“Zur Geschichte der Industrial Workers of the World (IWW) in Philadelphia: Mark Richter im Gespräch mit dem Historiker Peter Cole” (“History of the Industrial Workers of the World (IWW) in Philadelphia: Mark Richter talking to the historian Peter Cole”), *Sozial Geschichte Online (Social History Online)* 19 (2016), pp. 199–214: sozialgeschichteonline.wordpress.com

“On FDR and Clinton,” *Radio Dispatch*, August 1, 2016: theradiodispatch.com/show/peter-cole-on-fdr-and-clinton/

“On WWII and the present,” *Radio Dispatch*, December 2, 2015: theradiodispatch.com/show/radiodispatch-peter-cole-on-wwii-and-the-present/;

“African and American Ports–Solidarities in Durban and San Francisco,” *Africa Past and Present* #91, April 28, 2015: afripod.aodl.org/2015/04/afripod-91/

On impacts of Trans-Pacific Partnership, “Global Business,” China Central Television America/CCTV, 2015

WIUM (Macomb, IL), 2007, 2009, 2011

WGEM-TV (Quincy, IL), 2011

Introductory remarks for *Faces of America*, parts 1 and 2, aired on west-central Illinois PBS affiliates, July 16 and 23, 2010

Interviewed about *Wobblies on the Waterfront*: “Wakeup Call” and “Building Bridges,” WBAI (New York City), 2008; “A Part of the Union,” KSER (Everett/Seattle, WA), 2008; “Heartland Labor Forum,” KKFI (Kansas City, MO), 2008; “Illinois Labor Hour,” WEFT (Champaign, IL), 2008; “Talking History,” www.talkinghistory.org (SUNY-Albany), 2008; “Labor Express,” WLWU (Chicago, IL), 2007

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

African American Intellectual History Society

African Studies Association (USA)

American Association of University Professors

Illinois Labor History Society

Labor and Working Class History Association

Organization of American Historians

Safundi: The Journal of South African and American Studies

Southern Africa Historical Society

University Professionals of Illinois, Local 4100 of American Federation of Teachers