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Education:

2015-Present University of Colorado, Boulder
MA Cultural Anthropology 2017
PhD Anthropology ongoing

2008-2012 Augustana College
BA in Cultural Anthropology. Cum laude

Academic Honors:

Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant 2019
Phi Beta Kappa member
Alpha Kappa Delta member: Sociology honor society

Grants:

Cartwright Award 2019
Anthropology Department Pre-Dissertation Grant 2017
Beverly Sears Grant 2017, 2021
Frances Leon Quintana scholarship 2017

Research Experience:

2022
Dissertation research, Thimphu Bhutan

Summer 2017
Preliminary field-site review, Central Bhutan

Summer of 2011-Spring of 2012
Senior Inquiry: Food and Identity of Burmese Refugee Communities

Teaching Experience

2022-Present Royal Thimphu College Instructor
Writing Ethnography
Ethnography of Bhutan

2018-2021 Front Range Community College Assistant Instructor
Introduction to Cultural Anthropology.

2016-2021 CU Boulder Teaching Assistant
Culture, Gender and Film
Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
Archaeology of Human History
Introduction to Non-western Cultures: Tibet

2015-2017 NCAA Athletics department tutor
University of Colorado Boulder

2012
Independent study of anthropological pedagogy.

Conference Presentations:

“Framework of Values, Affect, and Care in Gross National Happiness” International Conference on Values, Center for Bhutan Studies, Thimphu Bhutan. April 2020 (Cancelled)

“Gross National Happiness, Good Governance, and Care of the Other” International Society of Bhutan Studies Conference, Oxford England. January 2019

“Between Two Bellicose Neighbors: Bhutan, a Border Dispute and the Silence of What Comes Next” Anthropology Graduate Student Conference, Boulder CO. October 2017

“A History of Gross National Happiness, and its Contemporary Usage” Himalayan Studies Conference, Boulder CO. September 2017

“What Do Anthropologists Make? Generative Refusals and Ethnographically Informed Epistemologies” Anthropology Graduate Student Conference, Boulder CO. October 2016

"Tradition through Choice: Food Acquisition Among International Refugees in Midwest America" CSAS regional conference, Toledo OH. April 2012

Professional Experience:

2011
Anthropological advisor to the Renew Moline and DH Consulting QCA