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### EDUCATION

2015- Present University of Maine, Orono

Ph.D. in History

Advisor: Dr. Liam Riordan

Dissertation: "Bound by Print: The Baptist Borderlands of Northern New England and the Canadian Maritimes, 1760-1840"

Dissertation prospectus approved, November 21, 2019

Comprehensive exams passed, January 30, 2018

2012-2015 University of Maine, Orono

M.A. in History

Advisor: Dr. Liam Riordan

Thesis: "Jonathan Fisher of Blue Hill, Maine: One Thread in the Web of Early American Education, 1780-1830"

2009-2012 University of California, San Diego

B.A. in History

Colloquium: "Anti-Colonialism in the Gospels of Mark, Luke and John"

### PUBLICATIONS

2020 "Committees, Churches, and Classrooms: Influential Women in Early Nineteenth Century Mount Desert Island" in *Chebacco*, Mount Desert Island Historical Society.

2019 "'He Has Abundantly Poured Out His Holy Spirit in Eden and Mount Desert': The Baptist Connection on Mount Desert Island, 1790-1840" in *Chebacco*, Mount Desert Island Historical Society

2018 Entries for "Joseph Shanahan," "George McCready Price," and Charles Phillips," *The World's Greatest Religious Leaders: How Religious Figures Helped Shape World History*, ABC-Clio

## **GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

- 2020-2021      New England-Atlantic Provinces-Québec Fellowships  
Fellowship awarded to University of Maine graduate student engaged in cross-border research
- 2019-2020      University of Maine Canadian-American Center Fellowship  
Fellowship awarded to University of Maine graduate students whose research focuses on Canada or Canadian-American relations
- 2018              Dunn Research Grant  
Research grant awarded to University of Maine history graduate students to or travel to archives and libraries that house material not available on the the University of Maine campus.
- 2018              Bowen Scholarship in Canadian History  
Scholarship awarded to support the research of those who are pursuing a graduate degree in History with a focus on Canadian History at the University of Maine.
- 2013-2018      University of Maine, Graduate Assistant Tuition Scholarship  
Teaching assistantship awarded by the University of Maine Graduate School and History Department
- 2015-2016      Mildred Thayer Scholarship  
\$500 scholarship awarded by individual churches associated with the United Church of Christ to college students with good scholastic standing and who have contributed to the community
- 2015              Acadia Centre for Baptist and Anabaptist Studies Travel Grant  
Travel grant offered by the Acadia Centre for Baptist and Anabaptist Studies at Acadia University (Wolfville, Nova Scotia) to conduct research in their archives

## **CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS**

- 2020              “Creating a Virtual Tour of Your Town”. Maine Archives & Museum Annual Meeting and Conference. Virtual Conference, October 2020.
- 2020              ““Blessing of Peace to Our American Continent”:The Baptist Theological Borderlands of Maine and the Canadian Maritimes, 1760-1840”. American Society of Church History Annual Meeting, New York City, New York, January 2020.

- 2019 ““Blessing of Peace to Our American Continent”: The Baptist Borderlands of Maine and the Canadian Maritimes, 1790-1840”. Association for Canadian Studies in the United States Biennial Conference, Montréal, Québec, November 2019.
- 2019 “Influential Women in Early 19th-Century Mount Desert Island”. Spring 2019 New England Historical Association Conference, Portland, Maine, April 2019.
- 2018 “Changing Perspectives of Northeast Borderlands History: Religious History and Identity”. 37th Mid-Atlantic-New England Council for Canadian Studies Biennial Conference, Lake Placid, New York, October 2018.

### **INVITED TALKS**

- 2020 “In God We Trust: Maine Religion in the Early Republic”, Brewer [Maine] Public Library, May 13th.
- “Committees, Churches, and Classrooms: Influential Women in Early Nineteenth Century Mount Desert Island”, Mount Desert Island [Maine] Historical Society, April 30th.
- 2018 “Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Religious and Educational Sources for Personal and Public Projects”, Ellsworth [Maine] Historical Society, August 6th.
- “Using Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Religious and Educational Sources in Genealogy” Penobscot County Genealogical Society in Bangor, Maine, April 18th.
- 2016 “The History of the First Congregational Church of Brewer, UCC”, Brewer [Maine] Historical Society, July 18th.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Instructor, Husson University, Bangor, Maine

HY 111: United States History I (Fall 2019- Fall 2020)

HY 211: American National Government (Spring 2019-Fall 2019)

Instructor, University of Maine, Orono

HTY 104: American History from the Civil War to the Present (Spring-Summer 2019)

Teaching Assistant, University of Maine, Orono

CAN 101: Introduction to Canadian Studies (Fall 2018)

HTY 103: American History to the Civil War (Spring 2014-Spring 2017)

HTY 104: American History from the Civil War to the Present (Fall 2014-Spring 2018)

HTY 105: History of Ancient and Medieval Europe (Fall 2016)

HTY 106: European History from 1750 to the Present (Fall 2013)

HTY 427: The Vikings! (Fall 2017)

## **PUBLIC HISTORY EXPERIENCE**

2018-2020 Brewer Historical Society, Vice President

2016-2020 Town of Hampden, Historic Preservation Commission, Chairperson

2018-2019 Internship, Visiting Scholar

Mount Desert Island Historical Society

Duties: Write two articles about the religious history and women's history of Mount Desert Island for the society's academic journal *Chebacco*

2018-2019 Project Manager

Castine Historical Society and the Town of Castine

Duties: Organize the content and format for an award-winning digital walking tour application for the town of Castine, Maine

2017 Internship

Castine Historical Society

Duties: Processed and organized society collections, researched and developed a proposal for a tour web and native-based app, and conducted public walking tours

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

2019 Maine Statehood and Bicentennial Conference Lead Conference Staff

Duties: Helped organize and staff a three-day conference with seven panels

2016 University of Maine-University of New Brunswick 17th Annual Graduate Student Conference

Duties: Co-organizer of a two-day conference with twenty presenters

2014-2016 History Graduate Student Association  
Treasurer and Vice President  
Duties: Developed workshops and advocated for policies pertinent to student development, maintained club funding, and collaborated with Undergraduate History Club

2014-2020 Maine State National History Day  
Duties: Offered aid to students in grades 6-12 prior to the annual statewide history contest, served as a judge, and organized a scavenger hunt for participants

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

2015-2018 First Congregational Church of Brewer, UCC  
Church Historian and Archivist  
Duties: Organize and digitize church documents and artifacts dating back to 1795

### **NONACADEMIC WRITING**

2016-2019 HotHardware.com Technical Editor  
Write and publish at least five articles a week related to news, products, and developments in the technology economy