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## Curriculum Vitae

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### EDUCATION

#### University of Georgia – Athens, GA

PhD candidate, Geography, 2015-Present

Advisor: Dr. Hilda Kurtz

Title: “(Im)possibilities of Critical Utopian Praxis: A Study of Worker-Owned Cooperatives in Cleveland, Ohio”

#### University of Georgia – Athens, GA

M.A, Geography, 2015

Advisor: Dr. Hilda Kurtz

Title: “The Practice of Supermarket Shopping: Assembling the Everyday within a Coercive Space”

#### University of North Carolina – Chapel Hill, NC

Bachelors of Arts, Philosophy, May 2011

Minor in Politics, Philosophy, and Economics (PPE)

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Worker cooperatives and alternative economies; Critical utopian praxis; Politics of everyday life; Relationship between theory and practice; Social and cultural theory; Inequality and social justice; Qualitative research design and methodology; Food systems of production and provisioning

### AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

2020 Future Faculty Fellowship, University of Georgia - Athens

2019 Outstanding Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia – Athens

2011 (\$350) Parr Center for Ethics Fellowship, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### Instructor of Record

2017, 2018, 2020 Introduction to Human Geography: People, Places, Culture (GEOG 1101)

2019, 2020 Introduction to Physical Geography Lab (GEOG 1111L)

#### Teaching Assistantships

2013-present Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia – Athens  
Cultural Geography of the United States (GEOG 1103)

Instructors: Dr. Joshua Barkan, Stan Hopkins

Introduction to Human Geography: People, Places, and Culture (GEOG 1101)

Instructors: Dr. Hilda Kurtz, Dr. Andrew Herod, Dr. Amy Ross

Honors section of Introduction of Human Geography (GEOG 2101H)

Instructor: Dr. Hilda Kurtz

### UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2020 Co-organizer, TA Café on Effective Teaching Strategies, University of Georgia

2020 Co-organizer, Student Teaching Symposium, University of Georgia

2018 – 2019 Co-chair, University of Georgia Geography Graduate Student Association

2017 Faculty Representative, University of Georgia Geography Graduate Student Association

- 2014 Volunteer, Annual Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers Conference
- 2013 - present Member, University of Georgia Geography Graduate Student Association

#### **PAPERS AND ACTIVITIES AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS**

- 2020 North American Cartographic Information Society, Annual Conference. Paper Presentation. *Mapping dispossession: Collaborative mapping around histories of racial exclusion*
- 2019 American Association of Geographers, National Conference. Paper Presentation. *The Presence of the Possible in Everyday Praxis: Supermarket Shopping as a Materially and Temporally Dislocated Process*
- 2018 American Association of Geographers, National Conference. Paper Presentation. *Researching Spatial Praxis: Using Walking Interviews to Weave Theory and Practice*
- 2017 American Association of Geographers, National Conference. Paper Presentation. *Discipline and Care in the Supermarket: Reading Foucault between the Aisles.*
- 2017 University of Georgia Geography Graduate Research Symposium. Paper Presentation. *Discipline and Capital: Power and the Supermarket*
- 2014 American Association of Geographers, Southeastern Regional Conference. Paper Presentation *Researching Geographies in Motion: Walking Interviews and Spatial Theory*

#### **INVITED PARTICIPATION AND LECTURES**

- 2019 Guest Lecture for Introduction to Human Geography  
“Brexit, Nationalism, and the Border of Northern Ireland”
- 2015 Guest Lecture for Introduction to Human Geography  
“The Social Production of Maps: Mapping, the Enlightenment, and Colonialism”
- 2015 Guest Lecture for Introduction to Cultural Geography  
“On the Possessive Investment in Whiteness”
- 2012 Judge, Nation High School Ethics Bowl. Hosted by the Parr Center for Ethics at the University of North Carolina – Chapel Hill

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- 2013- present Member, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers
- 2014- present Member, Association of American Geographers