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Education

University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA **2001-2009**

05/2009 **PhD** in History
Dissertation: "A Colonial Fountain of Youth: Imperialism and France's
Crisis of Depopulation, 1870-1940"
Thesis Director: Dr. Jennifer Sessions

12/2002 **MA** in History

Occidental College, Los Angeles, CA **1996-2000**

05/2000 **BA** in Diplomacy and World Affairs; Minor in French
1998-99 Junior year abroad at the Université de Haute Bretagne, Rennes II
All classes taken in French

Academic Employment

University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
2016-Present Associate Professor of History
2009-2016 Assistant Professor of History

Augustana College, Rock Island, IL
Spring, 2009 Visiting Instructor

University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
2007-2009 Coordinator of the History Writing Center
2002-05; 2006-09 Graduate Instructor
2001-02 Research Assistant

Publications

Books

Regeneration through Empire: French Pronatalists and Colonial Settlement in the Third Republic (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2015)

Family Formation and Demographic Policy in France, 1920-1980 (In Progress)

Articles

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "Luxury or Right? Artificial Insemination by Donor in 1970's France" *Nursing Clio* (April 9, 2020)

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "*Kinderreicher Familien* or *Famille Nombreuse*? Pronatalism in Interwar Alsace" *French History* Volume 34, Issue 1, March 2020, 63–81

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "Race, Migration, and Fears of Communism in 1948 Morocco" *Journal of Contemporary History* (published first online 2018)

Andersen, Margaret Cook, "Family Allowances and the Principle of Universalism in Post-War Morocco" *Europe Now* (published on-line March 1, 2018)
<https://www.europenowjournal.org/2018/02/28/family-allowances-and-the-principle-of-universalism-in-post-war-morocco/>

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "Histoire des politiques natalistes à Madagascar" *Africa4 : Regards croisés sur l'Afrique* published on-line by *Libération* July 27, 2016
<http://libeafrica4.blogs.liberation.fr/2016/07/27/histoire-des-politique-natalistes-dans-les-colonies-francaises/>

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "The *Office de la Famille Française*: Familialism and the National Revolution in 1940s Morocco" *French Politics, Culture, and Society* 34, no. 3 (Winter 2016): 44-62

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "French Settlers, Familial Suffrage, and Citizenship in 1920s Tunisia" *Journal of Family History* 37, no. 2 (April 2012): 213-31.

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "Creating French Settlements Overseas: Pronatalism and Colonial Medicine in Madagascar" *French Historical Studies* 33, no. 3 (Summer 2010): 417-44.

Andersen, Margaret Cook. "Barnave, Antoine"; "Grégoire, Henri"; "Haitian Revolution"; "Toussaint l'Ouverture, Pierre Dominique." In Gregory Fremont-Barnes edition *Encyclopedia of the Age of Political Revolutions and New Ideologies, 1760-1815* Oxford: Greenwood Press, 2007.

Book Reviews

Revue de *Gouverner les Mœurs: La Lutte contre l'avortement en France, 1890-1950* par Fabrice Cahen *Clio. Femmes, Genre, Histoire* 50 (December 2019)

Review of *Madeleine's Children: Family, Freedom, Secrets, and Lies in France's Indian Ocean Colonies* by Sue Peabody *English Historical Review* (April, 2019)

Review of *The Colonial Politics of Global Health: France and the United Nations in Postwar Africa* by Jessica Lynne Pearson *H-Diplo* (February 2019)

Review of *Citizenship and Antisemitism in French Colonial Algeria, 1870-1962* by Sophie B. Roberts *H-Diplo* (July, 2018)

Review of *Childbirth, Maternity, and Medical Pluralism in French Colonial Vietnam, 1880-1945* by Thuy Linh Nguyen *American Historical Review* Volume 123, issue 3 (June 2018): 931-932.

Review of *Medical Imperialism in French North Africa: Regenerating the Jewish Community in Colonial Tunis* by Richard C. Parks *H-France* Volume 17, (December 2017) No. 241.

Review of *A Frenchwoman's Imperial Story: Madame Luce in Nineteenth-Century Algeria* by Rebecca Rogers *H-France* Volume 14 (Summer 2014), No. 89.

Review of *Eyes to the South: French Anarchists and Algeria* by David Porter *African Conflict and Peacebuilding Review* Volume 3, issue 1 (2013).

Recent Awards

2018	American Philosophical Society, Franklin Research Grant
2018	University of Tennessee, Riggsby Research Funds
2017-18	University of Tennessee Humanities Center Fellowship
2017	University of Tennessee, Professional and Scholarly Development Award
2015	Quest Scholar of the Week, April 2015
2014	University of Tennessee, Professional Development Award
2012	National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Stipend
2010	University of Tennessee, Professional Development Award
2006	University of Iowa, Graduate College Summer Fellowship
2005-06	University of Iowa, T. Anne Cleary International Research Grant
2005-06	University of Iowa, Department of History, Laurence Lafore Fellowship
2005	Council for European Studies at Columbia University, Florence Gould pre-dissertation research grant
2005	University of Iowa, Stanley International Research Grant
2005	University of Iowa, Student Government, Research Travel Grant

Conferences and Invited Talks

05/2020	Presenter: "Infertility and Colonial Medicine in North Africa, 1920-1940" <i>French Colonial Historical Society</i> , Buffalo, NY (cancelled due to COVID-19)
03/2020	Presenter: "'Recuperating' Births for France: Fertility Medicine and Demography in Interwar France" <i>European Social Science History Conference</i> , Leiden, The Netherlands (cancelled due to COVID-19)
04/2019	Presenter and Panel Organizer: "'Thirsting for Motherhood': Fertility

- Treatments and the Female Body in Interwar France” *Society for French Historical Studies*, Indianapolis, IN
- 11/2018 Presenter: “International Adoption, Family Formation, and Alternative Paths to Motherhood in Post-War France” *Western Society for French History*, Portland, ME
- 01/2018 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “Claiming Family Benefits across Borders: Race and Algerian Migrants in Post-World War II Morocco” *American Historical Association*, Washington D.C.
- 10/2017 Presenter: “Gender and Family Policy in the Borderlands: the case of Alsace, 1919-45” *Western Society for French History*, Reno, NV
- 06/2017 Presenter: “Georges Marchal: Histoire d’un communiste présumé et la politique familiale au Maroc” *Société d’histoire coloniale française*, Aix-en-Provence, France
- 12/2016 Invited Talk: “The French Revolution” *Knoxville Rotary Club*
- 11/2016 Invited Panelist: “Roundtable on the Job Market - The Search Committee Perspective” *University of Iowa, Graduate History Society*, Iowa City, IA
- 11/2016 Presenter: “Family Allowances and Migration in the French Empire” *Western Society for French History*, Cedar Rapids, IA
- 11/2016 Commentator: Panel “Imperial Social Sciences: Ethnography, Anthropology, and Psychiatry in Colonial Rule” *Western Society for French History*, Cedar Rapids, IA
- 11/2016 Chair: Panel: “Political Transitions and New Perspectives in Twentieth-Century French West Africa” *Western Society for French History*, Cedar Rapids, IA
- 09/2016 Invited Talk: “Motherhood for the Nation: French Family Policy, Gender, and Reproduction in 1940’s Morocco” *Sewanee, University of the South*
- 05/2016 Presenter: “Compensating the Family, Honoring Mothers: French Family Policy in Morocco, 1940-1945” *French Colonial Historical Society*, Ottawa, ON, Canada
- 03/2016 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “Masculinity, Migration, and Family Policy in Colonial Morocco, 1940-1956” *Society for French Historical Studies*, Nashville, TN
- 03/2016 Commentator: Panel “Negotiating Violence in Twentieth-Century Algeria” *Society for French Historical Studies*, Nashville, TN
- 10/2015 Discussant. “Reflections on Charlie Hebdo” *Pi Delta Phi, University of Tennessee*, Knoxville, TN
- 09/2015 Invited Talk: “The Algerian Revolution: Terror, Torture, and the End of French Colonial Rule” *Haslam Scholars Lecture Series*, Knoxville, TN
- 09/2015 Presenter: “Human Rights in the Era of French Decolonization: The Use of Resettlement Camps in the Algerian War” *UT Conference: Disasters, Displacement and Human Rights*, Knoxville, TN
- 04/2015 Presenter: “Family Benefits across Borders: Algerian Migrants and Pronatalism in 1940s Morocco” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Colorado Springs, CO [conference missed due to family/medical reasons]
- 11/2014 Presenter: “The Privileged among Us: French Settler Objections to Family Benefits in 1940’s Morocco” *Western Society for French History, Annual Meeting*, San Antonio, TX

- 10/2014 Invited Talk: “Huguenots and the Wars of Religion in Sixteenth-Century France” *John Sevier Chapter of the Huguenot Society of Manakintown*, Knoxville, TN
- 04/2014 Presenter: “The National Revolution in Morocco: The *Office de la Famille Française* and Settler Family Policy” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Montréal, Canada
- 10/2013 Presenter: “Poverty as a Feminist Issue: Mme. Pégard, the ‘Surplus Woman’ and Colonial Emigration in Fin-de-Siècle France” *Western Society for French History, Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, GA
- 04/2013 Presenter: “Algeria and the Myth of the Prolific Settler in the Early Third Republic” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Cambridge, MA
- 04/2013 Chair: Panel entitled “Une Histoire Française? Pieds-Noirs, Harkis and the Fifth Republic” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Cambridge, MA
- 03/2012 Commentator: Panel entitled “French Imperialism and Historical Revisionism through Film” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Los Angeles, CA
- 03/2012 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “‘You’ll Make Your Home Where No Home Can Be’: Women and Colonial Emigration in the Third Republic.” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Los Angeles, CA
- 10/2011 Chair: Panel entitled “Decline and Fall.” *Southeast World History Association, Annual Meeting*, Maryville, TN
- 10/2011 Presenter: “Creating a ‘Labor Reservoir’: Pronatalism in Colonial Madagascar, 1898-1905.” *Southeast World History Association, Annual Meeting*, Maryville, TN
- 03/2011 Invited Presenter: “The Family Vote: Ideas of Citizenship in France and Tunisia after the Great War.” *Young Harris College History Conference*, Young Harris, GA
- 02/2011 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “Supporting the *Famille Nombreuse*: French Familialist Organizations in North Africa in the 1920s and 1930s.” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Charleston, SC
- 04/2010 Presenter: “Depopulation on either Side of the Mediterranean: French Pronatalists and the Ligue des Familles Nombreuses Françaises de l’Afrique du Nord.” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, Tempe, AZ
- 10/2009 Presenter: “Colonial Medicine and Population Growth in Madagascar, 1898-1905.” *Western Society for French History, Annual Meeting*, Boulder, CO
- 03/2009 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “Universal Suffrage Reconsidered: Metropolitan pronatalism and the establishment of familial suffrage in North Africa.” *Society for French Historical Studies, Annual Meeting*, St. Louis, MO
- 03/2008 Presenter: “French Depopulation from a Colonial Perspective: Dr. Ravelonahina’s Medical Thesis.” *James Jakobsen Graduate Conference*, Iowa City, IA
- 03/2007 Presenter: “Dr. René Ricoux and Pronatalist Visions of Colonial Algeria, 1880-1900.” *James Jakobsen Graduate Conference*, Iowa City, IA

- 10/2006 Presenter and Panel Organizer: “Depopulation, Masculinity, and Colonial Emigration in the Early Third Republic” *Western Society for French History, Annual Meeting*, Long Beach, CA
- 03/2006 Presenter: “A Colonial Fountain of Youth: Imperialism and France’s Crisis of Depopulation.” *Council for European Studies Annual International Conference*, Chicago, IL
- 03/2005 Presenter: “Feminism and France’s *Mission Civilisatrice*: The Militant Hubertine Auclert.” *Missouri Valley History Conference*, Omaha, NE

Teaching

University of Tennessee:

Undergraduate Courses:

History 299: France under Nazi Occupation: Collaboration, Resistance, and Daily Life

History 242: Development of Western Civilization, 1715-Present

History 319: Modern Europe, 1750-1914

History 320: Contemporary Europe, 1900-Present

History 336: Modern France

History 340: Modern European Revolutions: France and Russia

History 407 & 408: Honors Seminar

History 434: Modern European Imperialism

History 471: Europe’s Expansion Overseas

History 499: Senior Research Seminar: The Algerian Revolution

Graduate Courses:

History 510: Foundations of Graduate Study in History

History 532: Modern European Imperialism

History 532: Gender, Sexuality, and the Family in Modern Europe

History 632: Race and Empire in Modern European History

Augustana College:

Europe since 1900

University of Iowa:

Introduction to Western Civilization I

Introduction to Western Civilization II

Introduction to Western Civilization III

Progress and Enlightenment

The French Revolutionary Tradition

Modern European Imperialism

Languages

Fluent written and spoken French

Beginning Spanish

Professional Affiliations

American Historical Association
Council for European Studies
French Colonial Historical Society
Society for French Historical Studies
Southeast Chapter of the World History Association
Western Society for French History