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EDUCATION

2010 Ph.D (D.Phil) Economics, Nuffield College, Oxford
2000 Master of Arts, Economics, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada
1997 Bachelor of Arts, Economics (First Class Honours)
University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Economic History, Economic Growth and Development,
Technological Change, Sustainability, Public Policy

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2013 Arts Advanced Course Abroad Research Program Award
2011 – 2013 UBC – Mix Funds for Interdisciplinary Homelessness Dialogues and “Teach-in”
2011 - 2012 UBC Faculty of Arts-Community Learning Initiative Course Development Funds
2004-2005: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (Canada) Doctoral Fellowship
2003-2004 Nuffield College Studentship (Oxford, United Kingdom)

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

D.Phil Thesis *Enclosure and Agricultural Development in Scotland*
M.A. Thesis (2000) *Enclosures in Scotland: Evidence from the Old Statistical Account*
Co-author (1999) Seth Klein and Catherine Walshe (Douglas) *A Tale of Two Provinces: A Comparative Study of Economic and Social Conditions in British Columbia and Alberta* (Vancouver: Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives).

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Teaching:

2000 – Present

Lecturer:

Department of Economics, University of British Columbia
Economics 234 - The Wealth and Poverty of Nations (2004-2011)
Economics 313 - Economics of Marxism (2000-2001)
Economics 317 – Poverty and Inequality (2011 – Present)
Economics 334 - Economic History of Modern Europe (2005-Present)
Economics 335 – Fertility, Families and Human Migration (2008-Present)
Economics 336 - Economic History of Canada (2000-2001; 2006-2007; 2010 - Present)
Economics 339 - Economics of Technological Change (2000-2001; 2008-Present)
Economics 490 – Seminar in Applied Economics (2008 – Present)
Economics 492A – The Economics of Sustainability: Community, Markets and Technology (Current 2013)

2003 - 2004

Tutor:

Department of Economics and Department of Modern History,
University of Oxford
Economic Approaches to History (2003-2004)
Economics for Non-Economists (2004)

- 2001 – 2002 Teaching Assistant:
Nuffield College, University of Oxford (2001-2002)
Quantitative Methods in Economic History
- 1998-2000 Department of Economics, University of British Columbia (1998-2000)
Economic History of Modern Europe
Economic History of Canada

Professional Development and Administration :

- 2013 - Present Co-Facilitator, CTLT Teaching for Hearts and Minds Community of Practice
2012 – Present Member, Vancouver Rent Bank Advisory Board
August 2012 CTLT Institute 2012 (Centre for Teaching, Learning and Technology)
2011 - Member, CTLT Interdisciplinary Teaching Community of Practice
2011 - Member, CTLT Aboriginal Issues in the Classroom Community of Practice
2003-2004 Conference Coordinator: Professors A.B. Atkinson and Duncan Gallie, Nuffield College, European Union CHANGEQUAL Network
2002 – 2004 Research Assistant: Professors R.C. Allen, Nuffield College, Oxford and I. Key, Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario (2002-2004)
2002 – 2003 Co-Convenor: Oxford Economic and Social History Workshop (2002-2003)
1999 - 2000 Co-Convenor: University of British Columbia Economic Policy Discussion Group
1998 Summer Internship: BC Office of the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives

CONFERENCES AND SEMINAR PAPERS

Teaching and Community Engagement:

- 2012 Co-ordinator, *Navigating Borders: A Conference on Migration and Global Poverty* (sponsored by the B.C. Council for International Cooperation and a coalition of community organizations and academic institutions, UBC Robson Square, Vancouver, B.C.)
2011 Co-ordinator, *Food for All: A Conference on Food Security and Global Poverty* (sponsored by the B.C. Council for International Cooperation and a coalition of community organizations and academic institutions, UBC, Vancouver, B.C.)
2010 Co-Coordinator, *Steps to Overcome Poverty: A Conference on Global Poverty* (sponsored by the B.C. Council for International Cooperation and a coalition of community organizations and academic institutions, Vancouver Community College, Vancouver, B.C.)

Research:

- Evaluation of the Vancouver Rent Bank Program* – with Dr. Nisha Malhotra
2012 – ongoing

Enclosure in Scotland, 1793-1843:

- July, 2006 TARGET Initiative on the New Economy, Student Workshop, Vancouver

Enclosure and Agricultural Development in Scotland:

- September, 2005 Economic History Association Conference, Poster Session, Toronto, Canada
July, 2005 TARGET Initiative on the New Economy, Student Workshop, Vancouver, Canada
April, 2005 Canadian Network for Economic History Conference, Kingston, Canada
April 2004 British Agricultural History Association Annual Meetings, New Researcher Session, Edinburgh, Scotland
April, 2004 Economic History Society Annual Conference, New Researcher Session University of London, Royal Holloway
March, 2004 Cambridge Economic History Seminar, Cambridge, U.K.
November, 2003 Economic and Social History Graduate Workshop, Nuffield College, Oxford
October, 2003 Initiative on the New Economy Meetings, Nuffield College, Oxford

Enclosure in Scotland

June, 2002

Economic and Social History Graduate Workshop, Nuffield College, Oxford

Enclosure in Scotland: Evidence from the Old Statistical Account

October, 2001

Canadian Network for Economic History (CNEH) Annual Conference,
Graduate Students' Session, Stratford, Ontario

ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS

Member, Economic History Society (2003 -)

Member, Economic History Association (2004 -)

CITIZENSHIP

Canada and United Kingdom