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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION:

University of California at Los Angeles, CA

Sept. 1997 Ph.D. in United States History.

Fields: Women's History and History of the South.

Dissertation Title: "This Wonderful Dream Nation!': Black and White South Carolina Women and the Creation of the New South, 1898-1930."

Mary Wollstonecraft Dissertation Prize, Center for the Study of Women, University of California, Los Angeles.

Finalist, Lerner-Scott Prize, Organization of American Historians, Best Dissertation in Women's History.

June 1994 M.A. in United States History.

Duke University, Durham, NC

May, 1990 A.B. in History

Graduated Magna Cum Laude.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE

Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, Illinois

2003-present Lecturer

Courses: HIS 338: Women in American History; HIS 392: Problems in History: Gender and Race in American History; HIS 329: African American History from 1877; HIS 337: US South From 1877; HIS 214: US History to 1877; HIS 215: US History, from 1877

Women's Studies Affiliate Faculty

2007- Co-founder and Co-Director, Newberry Seminar on Women and Gender, Chicago, Illinois

Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois

2005 Lecturer

Course: HIS 271: The History of Modern Women

Roosevelt University, Chicago, Illinois

2003 Adjunct Professor

Course: HIS 326/426(graduate): History of Women of the South

Newberry Library, Chicago, Illinois

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2001-2002 Scholar-in Residence

Recipient of **Spencer Foundation Small Research Grant**, for “Southern Ladies, New Women: Southern Women at Northern Colleges, 1865-1920” (\$22,750)

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

1999-2000 One Year Full Time Visiting Assistant Professor (renewed for second year)

Courses: HIS 110: US History, -1820; HIS 111: US History, 1820-1920; HIS 112, US History, 1920-present; HIS 425/703: U.S. Women's History, to 1890; HIS 426/704: U.S. Women's History, 1890-present; HIS 300: Introduction to History Thinking; HIS 723 (Graduate): Literature of American History, 1900-present; HIS 553: American History 1878-1900; HIS 400 Junior Seminar: Articulating Gender

Service: Women's Studies Affiliate; Serve on Master's Theses and Doctoral Dissertation Committees; Supervise directed readings with graduate students.

1999 Adjunct Assistant Professor

Courses: HIS 111: US History, 1820-1920; HIS 112, 1920-present

Miami University, Oxford, Ohio

1996-98 Visiting Assistant Professor

Courses: HIS 111: US History, -1865; HIS 112: US History, 1865-Present; HIS 382: Women in American History

1997-98 One Year Full Time Visiting Assistant Professor, Miami Middletown Campus

Courses: HIS 111: US History, -1865; HIS 112: US History, 1865-Present ; HIS 382: Women in American History

Service: Supervised Independent Study; Coordinator, Southwest Ohio National History Day Contest; Black History Month Coordinating Committee; Brought guest speaker to campus for Black History and Women's History Months

University of California at Los Angeles, CA

1994-95 Teaching Assistant

Courses: HIS 156E: Social History of American Women, 1910-Present; HIS 6C: History of the American People, 1900-Present; HIS 148C: US History, 1945-Present

1994 Reader

Courses: HIS 150C: US Social History, 1860-Present; HIS 146B: Jacksonian America; HIS 152A: American Diplomatic History, -1900

1992-95 Research Assistant

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:

Southern Women at the Seven Sister Colleges: Feminist Values and Social Activism, 1875-1915
(University of Georgia Press, forthcoming, 2008).

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Co-editor (with Marjorie Spruill and Valinda Littlefield), *South Carolina Women: Their Lives and Times* (three volumes, University of Georgia Press, under contract, forthcoming 2009).

Southern Ladies, New Women: Race, Region and Clubwomen in South Carolina, 1890-1930 (University Press of Florida, 2004).

Editor and author of introduction, *Southern Women at Vassar: the Poppenheim Family Letters, 1882-1916* (University of South Carolina Press, 2002).

Articles:

“Sallie Chapin, the Woman’s Christian Temperance Union, and Reconciliation after the Civil War,” in *South Carolina Women: Their Lives and Times* (University of Georgia Press, forthcoming).

“Louisa B. Poppenheim and Marion B. Wilkinson: Leading South Carolina’s Federated Women’s Clubs into the Nation,” in *South Carolina Women: Their Lives and Times* (University of Georgia Press, forthcoming).

“Extending College Education to Southern Women: The Southern Association of College Women,” in *The Educational Work of Women’s Organizations, 1890-1960*, co-edited by Anne Meis Knupfer and Christine Woyshner (Palgave MacMillan, forthcoming).

“Job Market or Marriage Market?: Life Choices for Southern Women Educated at Northern Colleges, 1875-1915,” *History of Education Quarterly* 47 (May 2007): 149-172.

“Ye Gave Them a Stone”: African American Women’s Clubs, the Frederick Douglass Home, and the Black Mammy Monument,” *Journal of Women’s History* 17 (Spring 2005): 62-86.

“How Would I live without Loulie?": Mary and Louisa Poppenheim, Activist Sisters in Turn-of-the-Century South Carolina,” *Journal of Family History* 28 (October 2003): 561-577.

“The Shape of the Movement to Come: Women, Religion, and the Interracial Movement in 1920s South Carolina,” in “Warm Ashes”: *Issues in Southern History at the Dawn of the Twenty-First Century* (University of South Carolina Press, 2003), 201-223.

“Drilling Into Us the Rebel Tradition': The Contest Over Southern Identity in Black and White Women's Clubs, South Carolina, 1898-1930," *Journal of Southern History* 66 (August 2000), 525-562.

"The Colors of Social Welfare in the New South: Black and White Clubwomen in South Carolina, 1900-1930," in *Before the New Deal: Social Welfare in the South, 1830-1930* (Athens: University of Georgia Press, 1999), 160-80.

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"Sisters of the South: Louisa and Mary Poppenheim and the Formation of the Southern White Clubwoman," *Proceedings of the South Carolina Historical Association*, 1997, 77-95.

Encyclopedia Entries:

"Septima Clark," and "National Association of Colored Women," *Encyclopedia of African American History* (ABC-CLIO, forthcoming).

"Marion Birnie Wilkinson," and "Susie Dart Butler," *African American National Biography* (Oxford University Press, forthcoming).

"Cedar Hill," *Oxford University Press African American Studies Center Website* (www.oxfordaasc.com, forthcoming 2006).

"Mary Barnett and Louisa Bouknight Poppenheim," *The South Carolina Encyclopedia* (Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 2006), 742-743.

"Black Women and Philanthropy," *Black Women in America: An Historical Encyclopedia*, Second Edition (New York: Oxford University Press, 2004), vol. II, 474-483.

"Pattie Ruffner Jacobs," *American National Biography* (New York: Oxford University Press, 1998), XI, 794-5.

Book Reviews:

Review of Braided Relations, Entwined Lives: The Women of Charleston's Urban Slave Society, by Cynthia M. Kennedy, for *American Historical Review* (forthcoming).

Review of The Politics of Education in the New South: Women and Reform in Georgia, 1890-1930, by Rebecca Montgomery, for *H-SAWH* (September 2006).

Review of Torches of Light: Georgia Teachers and the Coming of the Modern South, by Ann Chirhart, for *Florida Historical Quarterly* 84 (2006), 466-468.

Review of Dangerous Liaisons: Sex and Love in the Segregated South, by Charles Frank Robinson II, for *H-SOUTH*, www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews, (September 2005).

Review of "Lives Full of Struggle and Triumph": Southern Women, Their Institutions, Their Communities, edited by Bruce L. Clayton and John A. Salmond, and Beyond Bondage: Free Women of Color in the Americas, edited by David Barry Gaspar and Darlene Clark Hine, for *South Carolina Historical Magazine* 106 (Oct. 2005): 275-79.

Review of Advancing Democracy: African Americans and the Struggle for Access and Equity in Higher Education in Texas, by Amilcar Shabazz, for *History of Education Quarterly* 45 (Summer, 2005), 327-329.

Review of The Reconstruction of White Southern Womanhood, by Jane Turner Censer, for *Journal of Southern History* 71 (Feb. 2005): 175-177.

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Review of This Business of Relief: Confronting Poverty in a Southern City, by Elna C. Green, for *Florida Historical Quarterly* 83 (2005), 356-58.

Review of Searching for their Places: Women in the South Across Four Centuries, edited by Thomas H. Appleton, Jr., and Angela Boswell, for *Journal of Southern History* 70 (August 2004), 642-44.

Review of Hope and Danger in the New South City: Working-Class Women and Urban Development in Atlanta, 1890-1940, by Georgina Hickey, for *Journal of American History* 90 (March 2004), 1483.

Review of The Veiled Garvey: The Life and Times of Amy Jacques Garvey, by Ula Yvette Taylor, for *H-Women*, [Www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews](http://www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews) (August 2003).

Review of Negotiating Boundaries of Southern Womanhood: Dealing with the Powers That Be, edited by Janet L. Coryell et al, for *Florida Historical Quarterly* 81 (Spring 2003), 465-7.

Review of Ida B. Wells-Barnett and American Reform, 1880-1930, by Patricia Schechter, for *H-South*, [Www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews](http://www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews) (March, 2002).

Review Essay of Scarlett Doesn't Live Here Anymore: Southern Women in the Civil Rights Era, by Laura F. Edwards, and Black Peril, White Virtue: Sexual Crime in Southern Rhodesia, 1902-1935, by Jock MacColloch, for *Journal of Women's History* 14 (Spring 2002), 174-182.

Review of Confederate Symbols in the Contemporary South, edited by J. Michael Martinez et al., for *Journal of Southern History* (February, 2002), 234-6.

Review of Parlor Ladies and Ebony Drudges: African American Women, Class and Work in a South Carolina Community, by Voloria Kibibbi Mack, in *Journal of American History* (December 2000), 1061-2.

Review of Beyond the Household: Women's Place in the Early South, 1700-1835, by Cynthia Kierner, for *H-South*, [Www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews](http://www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews) (March 2000).

Review of Gender, Race, and Politics in the Midwest: Black Club Women in Illinois, by Wanda A. Hendricks, in *Journal of American History* (December 1999), 1359-60.

Review of Women, Culture, and Community: Religion and Reform in Galveston, 1880-1920, by Elizabeth Hayes Turner, in *Journal of American History* (March 1999), 1618-19.

Review of The Power of Femininity in the New South: Women's Organizations and Politics in North Carolina, 1880-1930, by Anastasia Sims, in *Journal of Southern History* 65 (May 1999), 427-8.

PRIZES

- 2001** **A. Elizabeth Taylor Article Prize**, for best article in Southern women's history, Southern Association for Women Historians
- 1998** **Mary Wollstonecraft Dissertation Prize**, Center for the Study of Women, University of California, Los Angeles, CA
- 1998** **Finalist, Lerner-Scott Prize** for best Dissertation in Women's History, Organization of American Historians
- 1996-97** **Best Graduate Student Paper**, South Carolina Historical Association

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS:

- 2001-2002** **Spencer Foundation Small Research Grant**, for "Southern Ladies, New Women: Southern Women at Northern Colleges, 1865-1920" (\$22,750)
- 2000** **Taft Travel to Conference Award**, University of Cincinnati, OH
- 1999** **Archie K. Davis Fellow**, North Carolina Society, Chapel Hill, NC
- 1998** **Frank Sugeno Research Award**, Episcopal Women's History Project
- 1997-98** **Faculty Enrichment Grant**, Miami University, Middletown, OH
- 1996-97** **Dissertation Year Fellowship**, University of California at Los Angeles, CA
- 1996-97** **Starkoff Fellow**, American Jewish Archives, Cincinnati, OH
- 1996** **Women's Studies Research Grant**, Special Collections Library, Duke University, Durham, NC
- 1995-96** **Research Fellow**, Institute for Southern Studies, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
- 1995-96** **Research Grant**, Department of History, University of California at Los Angeles, CA
- 1995** **Travel Grant**, Graduate Division, University of California at Los Angeles, CA
- 1994** **Travel Grant**, Center for the Study of Women, University of California at Los Angeles, CA, Spring 1994 and Fall 1994

PAPER PRESENTATIONS:

Joan Marie Johnson

“No North, No South”: Touring the South for the WCTU,” **Southern Historical Association Meeting**, Richmond, VA, Nov. 2007.

Chair and Commentator for panel, “Southern Memory and Its Impact on Gender Politics,” **Missouri Conference on History**, St. Louis, MO, April 2007.

Commentator for panel, “Improving Their Lot: Education as a Vehicle for the Philanthropy of Women's Organizations,” **Seventh Southern Conference on Women's History**, Baltimore, MD, June 2006.

“Yankee Women”: Southern Women, Higher Education, and Gender Expectations” **Organization of American Historians Meeting**, Washington, DC, April, 2006.

“Job Market or Marriage Market?: Southern Women and Higher Education,” **Social Science History Association Meeting**, Chicago, IL, November, 2004.

“Improving Women’: Southern Women, Higher Education, and Gender Expectations,” **Women's and Gender Historians of the Midwest Conference**, Chicago, IL, June 2004.

“After College, What? for Southern Women Educated at Northern Colleges, 1875-1915,” **History of Education Meeting**, Evanston, IL, November 2003.

“Race, Gender, and the Politics of Education: Portia Washington Pittman's Year at Wellesley College,” **Association for the Study of African-American Life and History Conference**, Milwaukee, WI, September 2003.

“By Our People, For Our People’: African American Clubwomen and Contested Identity,” **American Historical Association Meeting**, Chicago, January 2003.

“Visibility and Invisibility: Southern African American Women at Northern Colleges in the late 19th and Early 20th Centuries,” **Berkshire Conference on the History of Women**, Storrs, CT, June 2002.

“Manufacturing the Mannish Woman: Debating Southern Womanhood in Print in Turn-of-the-Century Atlanta and Charleston,” **Southern Historical Association Meeting**, New Orleans, LA, Nov. 2001.

"A Journal By and For Southern Women: Defining the New Southern Woman in the *Keystone*, 1899-1914,” **Women in Print Conference**, Center for the History of Print Culture in Modern America, Madison, WI, Sept. 2001.

“Segregationist Women: Southern Clubwomen, Race, and Federation,” **Fifth Southern Conference on Women's History**, Richmond, VA, June 2000.

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"The Shape of the Movement to Come: Women, Religion, and the Interracial Movement in 1920s South Carolina," **The Citadel Conference on the South**, Charleston, SC, April 2000.

"May Lightening Strike: African American Women in Protest of the Black Mammy Monument," **Association for the Study of African-American Life and History Conference**, Detroit, MI, Oct. 1999.

"The Northern Education of Southern Ladies," **Women and Society Conference**, Marist College, Poughkeepsie, NY, June 1999.

"And I Would Be a Second Susan B. Anthony': Letters from Southern Women at Northern Colleges, 1881-1906," **Women's Studies Colloquium**, Miami University, Oxford, OH, October 1998.

"In the Land of Yankees: Southern Women and Northern Colleges, 1880-1910," **History of Education Society Meeting**, Chicago, IL, October 1998.

"Recognizing Sisterhood: Episcopal Women and the Interracial Movement in South Carolina, 1919-1950," **Southern Episcopal Church Women's History Meeting**, Hendersonville, NC, June 1998.

"'Less Said Soonest Mended': Southern White Women and the Segregation of the General Federation of Women's Clubs," **Ohio Academy of History**, Granville, OH, April 1998.

"African American Clubwomen, the Frederick Douglass Home, and the Black Mammy Monument," **Great Lakes American Studies Conference**, Oxford, OH, March 1998.

Session Chair, "Progressivism in Black and White: The Kentucky Case," **Fourth Southern Conference on Women's History**, Charleston, SC, June 1997.

"Claiming Citizenship in the New South: Black and White Women Reformers in South Carolina," **Organization of American Historians Meeting**, San Francisco, CA, April 1997.

"Knowing One's Place': The Southern Federation of Colored Women's Clubs and Black Southern Identity," **Oral History Association Meeting**, Philadelphia, PA, October 1996.

"Sisters of the South': Louisa and Mary Poppenheim and the Southern Clubwoman," **South Carolina Historical Association Meeting**, Spartanburg, SC, March, 1996.

"This Wonderful Dream Nation!': White Southern Women and the Creation of a Postbellum Southern Nation, 1898-1920," **Southern Historical Association Meeting**, New Orleans, LA, November, 1995.

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"As Southern Women': White South Carolina Club Women, the Lost Cause, Social Reform and the Rebuilding of the Southern Nation, 1898-1920," **Western Association of Women Historians Conference**, Pacific Grove, CA, June, 1995.

LECTURES:

"Race, Gender, and the Politics of Education: Portia Washington Pittman's Year at Wellesley College," **Evanston Public Library**, February, 2007.

"Margaret Mitchell and Scarlett O'Hara: Unconventional Southern Belles" **Evanston Public Library**, June 2006; Morton Grove Public Library, March 2007; Glenview Public Library, May 2007.

"Changing Gender Roles in the early 20th century," Guest Lecture, Psychology of Women, **Winthrop University**, March 2005.

"Southern Ladies, New Women: Black and White South Carolina Clubwomen at the Turn-of-the-Century," **Converse College, Spartanburg, SC, Winthrop University, Rock Hill, SC, and College of Charleston, SC**, March 2005.

"Gender Roles and Family Life in Slavery," Guest Lecture, History 329A, **Northeastern Illinois University**, Chicago, IL, November 2004.

"Rebels of a Different Sort: Turn-of-the-Century Southern College Women," **Northeastern Illinois University Women's History Month Panel**, Chicago, IL, March 2004.

"That's the sort of woman she should aim to be': on *Southern Women at Vassar: The Poppenheim Family Letters, 1882-1916*," **Duke University Archives**, Durham, NC, November 2002.

"Women's Lives: Southern Belles in the Land of Yankees," **Faculty Symposium**, Miami University, Middletown, OH, February 1998.

"How to Use Primary Sources and Incorporate the Internet into the Classroom and National History Day Projects," at Motivate Your Students Through Projects-Based Learning and Technology, **Continuing Education Workshop for Teachers**, Miami University, Middletown, OH, November, 1997.

MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE

Organization of American Historians; American Historical Association; Southern Historical Association; Southern Association for Women Historians; History of Education Society

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Southern Association for Women Historians: Co-Chair, Program Committee for 2009 meeting;
A. Elizabeth Taylor Article Prize Committee member; Graduate Committee member; Chair of
Membership Committee

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