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Academic Rank

Assistant Professor in Sociology
 Graduate Faculty Appointment in Population Studies

Education

Degree	Institution	Date Degree Granted
BA	Victoria University of Wellington History and Economics	1995
BSc	Victoria University of Wellington Mathematics and Statistics	1998
BA(Hons)	Victoria University of Wellington History and Economics (First Class Honours)	1999
MA	University of Minnesota History	2003
Ph.D.	University of Minnesota History Advisor: Steven Ruggles Dissertation title: Her real sphere? Married women's labor force participation in the United States, 1860-1940	2007

Positions/Employment

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Assistant Professor, Sociology	2010 – 2019 2016 –
Assistant Professor, Population Studies	2015 – 2016
Assistant Professor, History	2010 – 2015
Victoria University of Wellington Lecturer, History [equivalent to tenure track Assistant Professor]	2007 – 2011 2007 – 2011
Research Assistant, Minnesota Population Center	2001 – 2007
Instructor, Institute for Global Studies	2004 – 2004
Research Assistant, Health Services Research Centre Victoria University of Wellington	1997 – 2000
Analyst, Ministry of Health, New Zealand	1996 – 1997

Current Membership in Professional Organizations: American Sociological Association, New Zealand Historical Association, Population Association of America, Social Science History Association.

HONORS AND AWARDS FOR RESEARCH/CREATIVE WORK, TEACHING, PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT, AND SERVICE

External Sources

- 2010 *Australian Economic History Review* prize for best paper at Australia-Pacific Economic & Business History Conference
- 2008 Nevins Prize finalist for best dissertation in American economic history
- 2000 Fulbright Graduate Student Award, New Zealand to United States
- 1999 F. P. Wilson Prize in New Zealand History
- 1999 Freemasons Scholarship
- 1999 Victoria University of Wellington Graduate Scholarship
- 1998 Health Research Council Summer Studentship
- 1995 Alexander Crawford Scholarship [for 4 best students entering final year of BA at Victoria University]

RESEARCH, SCHOLARSHIP, AND CREATIVE WORK

Grants and Contracts

External Sources

Received at the University of Minnesota

Co-investigator

PI: Martha Bailey (Michigan)

NIA R01AG057704

Longitudinal and Intergenerational Determinants of Aging and Mortality (2018-2020)

Direct costs: \$1.2 million

Co-investigator

PI: David Rehkopf (Stanford)

NIA R01AG059791

The Long-term health effects of the New Deal: An 80 year follow-up of 4 cohorts (2018-2023)

Direct costs: \$2.2 million

Co-Principal Investigator

Co-PI: John Robert Warren

NIA R21AG054824

The Effects of Education on Mortality: Evidence from a Large Representative Sample of American Twins. (2017-2019)

Direct costs: \$342,339

Principal Investigator

National Science Foundation Digging Into Data contest. SMA/SBE 1209078

Mining Microdata: Economic Opportunity and Spatial Mobility in Britain, Canada and the United States, 1850-1911 (2011-2016)

Direct costs: \$82,779

Principal Investigator
NICHD R01HD060676

Baseline Microdata for Analysis of U.S. Demographic Change (2009-2015)
Direct costs: \$2,210,916

Principal Investigator

University of Chicago Libraries Robert L. Platzman Memorial Fellowship
Making marriage work: Insights from the Ernest W. Burgess papers (2012)
Direct costs: \$1,750

Received at the University of Minnesota – Student Grants

Economic History Association Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (2005)
Jerome Joss Research Grant, Center for Jewish Studies, University of Minnesota (2006)
Charles Christenson Library Acquisition Award, History Department, University of Minnesota (2006)
Business History Conference Alfred D. Chandler travel grant (2006)
Hagley Library Grant-in-Aid (2005)
Social Science History Association Rockefeller Travel Award (2005)
American Historical Association Beveridge Research Grant (2005)
Alfred D. Chandler Travelling Fellowship, Harvard Business School (2004)
Economic History Association Pre-Dissertation Grant (2003)
Business History Conference Alfred D. Chandler travel grant (2001)

Received at Other Institutions

Associate Investigator

PI: Les Oxley, University of Canterbury

Royal Society of New Zealand Marsden Fund

The long and the short and the tall: measuring health and wellbeing in New Zealand (2009-2012)
\$324,444 (NZD)

Principal Investigator

Health Research Council of New Zealand Emerging Researchers Grant HRC 08/231

Stature and body mass of the New Zealand population, 1850-2008 (2008-2011)

\$150,000 (NZD)

University Sources

Received at the University of Minnesota

- 2018 CLA LATIS Academic Innovation Grant: Citizen Science for Social Science Students (\$9,016)
- 2015 Zooniverse @ UMN grant for Measuring the ANZACs: In-kind support for multi-year project to undertake a complete transcription of 140,000 New Zealand soldiers' personnel files using crowd-sourced transcription methods. [Funding from NEH/NSF to Zooniverse]

- 2015 Grant-in-Aid of Research, Artistry, and Scholarship, Office of the Vice President for Research: Adding measures of early-life conditions to the Iowa Women’s Health Study (\$34,000)
- 2012 Grant-in-Aid of Research, Artistry, and Scholarship, Office of the Vice President for Research: Early life conditions, adult health, and mortality in the past (\$33,591)
- 2011 Institute for Advanced Study: Embodying abundance and scarcity in Minnesota, 1830-1930 (joint research with Christopher M. Isett, J. Michael Oakes, John Himes) (\$12,000)
- 2005 University of Minnesota Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, 2005
- 2000 University of Minnesota History Department Harriet Rislove Schoonover Scholarship,

Received at Victoria University of Wellington

- 2009 Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences: Birth and adult health in historical perspective (joint research with Pamela Wood) (\$4,985 NZD)
- 2009 University Research Fund: Social and economic transitions of American families, 1920-1935 (\$20,793 NZD)
- 2008 University Research Fund: American earnings and living standards in the 19th century (\$29,000 NZD)
- 2007 Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences: Measuring World War II Recruits (\$4,988 NZD)
- 2007 New Researchers Grant: Antipodeans Abroad: New Zealanders in the United States, 1850-1930 (\$5000 NZD)

Publications

Unless otherwise noted for multi-author articles, the order of authorship was determined alphabetically and my contribution was roughly proportionate.

Refereed Journal Articles

1. J. David Hacker and Evan Roberts (2019 forthcoming) “Fertility decline in the United States, 1850-1940: New Evidence from Complete-Count Datasets.” *Annales de Démographie Historique*, 2019/2.
2. Nick Wilson, George Thomson, Jennifer A Summers, Glyn Harper, John Horrocks, and Evan Roberts (2018) “The health impacts of the First World War for New Zealand: A summary and a remaining research agenda.” *Australia and New Zealand Journal of Public Health*, 42(6): 516-20.
<https://doi.org/10.1111/1753-6405.12837>
(NW wrote first draft, I made substantial revisions. Last author position reflects second most important contribution)
3. Evan Roberts. (2018) “Across the Atlantic and Back: Tracing the lives of Norwegian-American migrants, 1850-1930”. *Journal of Migration History* 4(2): 289-313.
<https://doi.org/10.1163/23519924-00402004>
4. Niharika Patel, Anna Prizment, Bharat Thyagarajan, Evan Roberts, Heather H. Nelson, Timothy R. Church, and DeAnn Lazovich (2018), “Urban versus Rural Residency and Allergy Prevalence among Adult Women: Iowa Women's Health Study” *Annals of Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology*. 120(6): 654-660. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.anai.2018.03.029>
(NP conducted most analyses and wrote draft which I reviewed several times. I provided data for one

section, advised on analyses, and wrote paragraphs describing data collection and analysis)

5. Steven Ruggles, Catherine Fitch, and Evan Roberts (2018). “Historical Census Record Linkage.” *Annual Review of Sociology*. 44: 19-37.
<https://www.annualreviews.org/doi/abs/10.1146/annurev-soc-073117-041447>
(SR was first author by invitation of journal editors. Other authors alphabetical)
6. Myron Gutmann, Emily K. Merchant, and Evan Roberts (2018). “Big data in economic history.” *Journal of Economic History*, 78(1): 268-299. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0022050718000177>
7. J. David Hacker and Evan Roberts (2017). “The impact of kin availability, parental religiosity, and nativity on fertility differentials in the late nineteenth-century United States.” *Demographic Research*, Volume 37, Article 34, pp.1049-1080.
<https://www.demographic-research.org/volumes/vol37/34/37-34.pdf>
8. Evan Roberts and John Robert Warren (2017). “Family structure and childhood anthropometry in Saint Paul, Minnesota in 1918.” *History of the Family*, 22(2-3): 58-90.
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/1081602X.2016.1224729>
9. Evan Roberts (2016). “Household budget studies in the British dominions, 1873-1939”. *Rivista di Storia Economica*, 32(2): 249-269.
10. Kris Inwood, Les Oxley and Evan Roberts (2015). “Physical growth and ethnic inequality in New Zealand prisons, c.1840-1975”. *History of the Family*, 20(2): 249-269.
[DOI: 10.1080/1081602X.2015.1006653](https://doi.org/10.1080/1081602X.2015.1006653)
11. Peter Baskerville, Lisa Dillon, Kris Inwood, Evan Roberts, Steven Ruggles, Kevin Schürer, and Rob Warren (2014) “Economic Opportunity and Spatial Mobility in Canada, Great Britain, and the United States, 1850-1881” *Proceedings of the IEEE Big Data Humanities Workshop*.
DOI: [10.1109/BigData.2014.7004446](https://doi.org/10.1109/BigData.2014.7004446). [Link to PDF](#).
12. Alexander Maxwell and Evan Roberts (2014). “The Whāngaroā Incident, 16 July 1824: A European-Māori Encounter and its Many Incarnations.” *Journal of Pacific History*, 49(1): 50-75.
<http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/00223344.2013.869845#.U6MJxZSwIxx>
13. Evan Roberts and Pamela Wood (2014) “Birth weight and adult health in historical perspective: New evidence from a New Zealand cohort, 1907-1922.” *Social Science and Medicine*, 107(April): 154-161. <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0277953614001191>
doi: 10.1016/j.socscimed.2014.02.015 <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4208829/>
14. Sharleen Forbes, Corin Higgs, James Keating and Evan Roberts. (2012). “From Prescriptivism to Positivism: The development of the Consumer Price Index in New Zealand.” *New Zealand Economic Papers*, 46(1): 57-77. <http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/00779954.2011.645222>
15. Andre Alves and Evan Roberts. (2012). “Rosie the Riveters’ Job Market: Advertising for Women Workers in World War II Los Angeles.” *Labor: Studies in Working Class History of the Americas*, 9(3): 53-68. <http://labor.dukejournals.org/content/9/3/53.abstract>
16. Steven Ruggles, Evan Roberts, Sula Sarkar, and Matthew Sobek. (2011). “The North Atlantic Population Project: Progress and Prospects.” *Historical Methods*, 44(1): 1-6.

<http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/pdf/10.1080/01615440.2010.515377>

17. Kris Inwood and Evan Roberts (2010) “Longitudinal studies of human growth and health: A review of recent historical research” *Journal of Economic Surveys*, 24(5): 801-840.
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1467-6419.2010.00643.x/full>
18. Kris Inwood, Les Oxley, and Evan Roberts (2010) “Physical stature and its interpretation in nineteenth century New Zealand” *Australian Economic History Review* 50(3): 262-283.
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1467-8446.2010.00305.x/full>
19. Evan Roberts (2009) “Her Real Sphere: Married Women’s Labor Force Participation in the United States, 1860-1940” *Journal of Economic History*, 69(2): 554-558.
<http://journals.cambridge.org/action/displayAbstract?aid=5594124>
20. Lisa Dillon and Evan Roberts (2006) “Introduction: *History & Computing* Special Issue on Longitudinal and Cross-Sectional Historical Data: Intersections and Opportunities.” *History & Computing* 14(1/2): 1-8. Guest editor for *History & Computing* 14(1/2) with Lisa Y. Dillon.
<http://www.eupublishing.com/toc/hac/14/1-2>
21. Evan Roberts, Jacqueline Cumming and Katherine Nelson (2005) “A Review of Economic Evaluations of Community Mental Health Care.” *Medical Care Research and Review* 62(5): 503-43.
<http://mcr.sagepub.com/content/62/5/503.short>
(I undertook literature review and performed majority of research and writing)
22. Evan Roberts (2003) “‘Don’t Sell Things, Sell Effects’: Overseas influences in New Zealand department stores, 1909-1956.” *Business History Review* 77 (Summer): 265-89.
<http://www.jstor.org/stable/30041146>
23. Evan Roberts, Steven Ruggles, Lisa Dillon, Ólöf Garðarsdóttir, Jan Oldervoll, Gunnar Thorvaldsen and Matthew Woollard (2002) “The North Atlantic Population Project: An Overview.” *Historical Methods* 36(2, Part 2): 80-88.
http://www.nappdata.org/napp/resources/publications_pdf/hm2003a.pdf
24. Evan Roberts, Matthew Woollard, Chad Ronnander, Lisa Dillon, and Gunnar Thorvaldsen (2002) “Occupational Classification in the North Atlantic Population Project.” *Historical Methods* 36(2, Part 2): 89-96.
http://www.nappdata.org/napp/resources/publications_pdf/hm2003b.pdf
25. Evan Roberts (2002) “Gender in Store: The Politics of Salespeople’s Working Hours, and Retail Unions in New Zealand and the United States, 1930-1960.” *Labour History* (83): 107-30.
<http://www.jstor.org/stable/27516885>
26. Pauline Norris and Evan Roberts (2002) “Growth in Prescribing of new Anti-depressants in New Zealand 1993-1997, Including Comparisons with the Nordic Countries.” *Journal of Social and Administrative Pharmacy* 19(1): 8-14.
27. Evan Roberts and Pauline Norris (2001) “Regional variation in anti-depressant dispensings in New Zealand: 1993-1997.” *New Zealand Medical Journal* 114(1125): 27-29.
<http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/114-1125/>
28. Evan Roberts and Pauline Norris (2001) “Growth and change in the prescribing of anti-depressants in New Zealand: 1993-1997.” *New Zealand Medical Journal* 114(1125): 25-26.
<http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/114-1125/>

Non-refereed Book Chapters and Journal Articles

1. Evan Roberts, “Measuring the ANZACs: Exploring the lives of World War I soldiers in a citizen science project” in Christopher J. Young (ed), *Quick Hits: Teaching with the Digital Humanities*. (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2019 forthcoming).
2. Dennis Ahlburg and Evan Roberts, “The ‘crisis in the humanities’: fact or fiction?”, in Dennis Ahlburg (ed), *The Changing Face of Higher Education: Is there An International Crisis in the Humanities?* (London: Routledge, 2018): 222-254.
3. Evan Roberts, “Measuring the Anzacs.” *History Teacher Aotearoa. Kaiako tāhuhu kōrero*. 1(4) February 2017, pp.7-11.
4. Evan Roberts, “Engaging citizen scientists to expand the data infrastructure for historical demography”. In Matthijs, K., Hin, S., Matsuo, H. and Kok, J. (eds.) 2016. *The future of historical demography. Upside down and inside out*. Leuven / Den Haag: Acco Publishers: 96-98. ISBN 9789462927223.
5. Lisa Dillon and Evan Roberts. “Population data advocacy matters: a view from Canada and New Zealand.” In Matthijs, K., Hin, S., Matsuo, H. and Kok, J. (eds.) 2016. *The future of historical demography. Upside down and inside out*. Leuven / Den Haag: Acco Publishers: 122-126. ISBN 9789462927223.
6. Evan Roberts, “Moving around the city: Residential and economic mobility in Chicago, 1925-1930” in Peter Baskerville and Kris Inwood (eds), *Lives in Transition*. (Montréal: McGill-Queens University Press, 2015): 238-259.
7. Evan Roberts, “Making Weights: Household Budget Studies in New Zealand, 1893-1937” in Sharleen Forbes and Antong Victorio (eds), *The New Zealand Consumer Price Index at 100: History and Interpretation*. (Wellington: Victoria University Press, 2014): 96-117.
8. Sharleen Forbes, Corin Higgs, James Keating and Evan Roberts. “The development of the Consumer Price Index in New Zealand,” in Sharleen Forbes and Antong Victorio (eds), *The New Zealand Consumer Price Index at 100: History and Interpretation*. (Wellington: Victoria University Press, 2014): 1-25.
9. Evan Roberts, “The peripatetic career of Wherahiko Rawei: Māori culture on the global Chautauqua circuit, 1893-1927” in Tom Wright (ed) *The Cosmpolitan Lyceum* (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 2013): 203-222.

Reviews of Books

1. Pat Hudson and Mina Ishizu, *History by Numbers*. EH.Net (May 2017) ([link](#))
2. Cybele Locke, *Workers in the Margins: Union Radicals in Post-War New Zealand*. In *Labour History* No. 105, November 2013, pp.265-267.
3. Paul H. Ryscavage, *Norman B. Ream: Forgotten Master of Markets*. In *Journal of Economic History*, 73(2), June 2013, pp.605-606.

4. Robert Carriker, *Urban Farming in the West: A New Deal Experiment in Subsistence Homesteads*. H-Urban (January 2013). ([link](#))
5. Stephen R.H. Jones, *Doing Well and Doing Good: Ross & Glendining — Scottish Enterprise in New Zealand*. EH.NET (October 2010) ([link](#))
6. Paul Goldsmith. *We Won, You Lost, Eat That!: A Political History of Tax in New Zealand since 1840*. *Australian Economic History Review*, 50(1) 2010: 106-107. ([link](#))
7. Ian Pool, Arunachalam Dharmalingam, Janet Sceats. *The New Zealand Family from 1840: A Demographic History*. *Journal of Social History*, 42(4) 2009: 1060-1062. ([link](#))
8. Xiaolan Bao. *Holding Up More than Half the Sky: Chinese Women Garment Workers in New York City, 1948-92*. H-Business, November 2007. ([link](#))
9. Gordon Boyce, *Over Half-a-Million Careful Owners: A 75-year History of PSIS, 1928-2003*. In *Enterprise & Society*. 7(3) 2006: 618-620. ([link](#))
10. Alan Atkinson, *The Europeans in Australia: A History. Volume Two: Democracy*. In *History: Reviews of New Books*. 34(1) 2005: 19.
11. Daniel Thomas Cook, *The Commodification of Childhood: The Children's Clothing Industry and the Rise of the Child Consumer*. In *Enterprise & Society*, 6(2) 2005: 330-332. ([link](#))
12. Grant Fleming, David Merrett and Simon Ville, *The Big End of Town: Big Business and Corporate Leadership in Twentieth Century Australia*. In *Business History Review*, 79(1) 2005: 190-192. ([link](#))
13. Giselle Byrnes, *The Waitangi Tribunal and New Zealand History*. In *History: Reviews of New Books*. 33(1) 2005: 79.
14. John Benson and Laura Ugolini (eds), *A Nation of Shopkeepers*. In *Enterprise & Society*, 5(1) 2004: 140-142. ([link](#))
15. Julia Millen, *Kirkcaldie & Stains: A Wellington Story*. In *History Now*, 8(2) 2002.
16. "A Ramble Through the Millennium," *The Dominion*, Wellington, 1 January 2000: 7.

Evaluation reports

1. Tim Maling, Victoria Andersen, Jackie Cumming, Pauline Norris and Evan Roberts (2000), *Evaluation of the ACE-Inhibitor Reference Pricing Initiative*, Report to Pharmac (New Zealand Pharmaceutical Management Agency), Wellington School of Medicine, Wellington.
2. Jacky Burgon, Clare Dominick, Di Dunkin, Ian Hodges, Evan Roberts and Melissa Weenink (1997), *Evaluation of the Family Service Centres* (3 volumes), Ministry of Health, Wellington.

Presentations, Posters, and Exhibits

Invited Presentations at Professional Meetings, Conferences, etc.

1. "Childhood growth faltering in the United States, 1912-2014." Stunting: Past, Present and Future" conference. London School of Economics and Political Science. 7-8 September 2017
2. "Did the mortality risk of being overweight change in the twentieth century? Evidence from New Zealand soldiers of the world wars." Department of Family and Consumer Sciences, University of Utah, 7 March 2017

3. "Record linkage with complete-count historical census data". Data Linkage: Techniques, Challenges and Applications workshop, Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences, University of Cambridge, 12-16 September 2016.
4. "Measuring the ANZACs". Day of Digital Humanities, Carleton College, Northfield (MN), 2 May 2016 (Invited keynote).
5. "Measuring the ANZACs: An American-New Zealand Public History Project". ANZAC Lecture at Georgetown University Center for Australian, New Zealand and Pacific Studies, 27 April 2016 (Invited keynote).
6. "Measuring the ANZACs: Crowd-sourcing the transcription of structured data from messy records". Seminar to Center for History and New Media, George Mason University, 29 March 2016. Macalester College Digital Liberal Arts Initiative, 17 May 2016.
7. "Budget studies in the United States and British dominions." International Institute for Social History Workshop on Family Budget Studies. Amsterdam, 12 February 2016.
8. "The North Atlantic Population Project: Big microdata for big questions in social history." Big Questions, Big Data conference, International Institute of Social History, Amsterdam, 5-6 November 2015
9. "The North Atlantic Population Project as a Platform for Trans-Atlantic Migration Research." Scandinavia and Atlantic Migration 1850-1950 workshop, Utstein Monastery, Norway, 8-9 June 2015. (Invited keynote)
10. "Economic Opportunity and Spatial Mobility in Canada, Great Britain, and the United States, 1850-1881" University of Colorado History department, 24 April 2015
11. "Teaching social history in the age of digital humanities: Finding aids and file structures". University of Colorado, Denver History Department, 23 April 2015
12. "Lifetime suicide risk in a representative cohort of World War I returned soldiers." Washington Area Economic History Seminar. 27 March 2015.
13. "The Changing Added Worker Effect, 1890-1940." Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Expenditure Surveys division. Washington, D.C., 26 March 2015.
14. "Height, weight, and mortality in the past: New evidence from a nineteenth century New Zealand cohort." Invited presentation to Wellington School of Medicine seminar, 14 June 2013.
15. "Height, weight, and mortality in the past: New evidence from a nineteenth century New Zealand cohort." Invited presentation to Center for Population Economics, Booth School of Business, University of Chicago, 30 March 2012.
16. "'Tall, active and well made': Stature of the New Zealand Māori population, c.1700 - 1976". University of Otago History Department seminar, 21 April 2010.
17. "New Zealand in the Early Stages of the Modern Health Transition". UCLA Economic History workshop, 16 November 2009. University of Otago Economics Department seminar, 22 April 2010. Victoria University of Wellington Economics seminar, 7 May 2010. Social Science and Health

Network seminar, Health Services Research Centre, Victoria University of Wellington, 4 August 2011.

18. “Plenty of work to do at home: Married women’s labor force participation in the United States, 1917-1940.” University of Guelph. (Invited seminar, Economics and History). 20 September 2005.

Contributed Papers Presented at Professional Meetings, Conferences, etc.

1. “The Impact of Kin Availability on Fertility, Child Mortality and Reproduction in the United States, 1900-1910” (with J. David Hacker, Jonas Helgertz and Matthew Nelson), IUSSP International Seminar on Kinship and Reproduction in Past Societies, Minneapolis (MN), 22-23 August 2019.
2. “Such a Rash Act: Wartime Experiences and Veteran Suicide after the World Wars” (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). American Sociological Association, New York City, 9-13 August 2019
3. “Fertility Decline in the United States, 1850-1930: New Evidence from Complete-Count Datasets” (with J. David Hacker), Population Association of America, Austin (TX), 11-13 April 2019.
4. “Selected, Scarred, and Strengthened: The Postwar Survival of World War I Prisoners of War” (with Amy Verrando). Population Association of America, Austin (TX), 11-13 April 2019.
5. “Measuring the Anzacs: Citizen Science as the Basis for Record Linkage”, (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018.
6. “Redistribution and Voluntary Military Service in Young Democracies: Land Ballots and Overseas Wars in New Zealand, 1891-1918”. (with Henry Thomson and Robert Schub) 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018.
7. “The Effects of Education on Mortality: Evidence from a Large Representative Sample of American Twins”. (with Andrew Halpern-Manners, Jonas Helgertz, and Robert Warren). World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018. American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, 11-14 August 2018. 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018. Population Association of America, Austin (TX), 11-13 April 2019.
8. “Record linkage and crowd-sourcing: Solving classification problems to create big data.” World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018.
9. “The long arm of colonialism: origins of ethnic-based health inequality in New Zealand”. (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018. 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018.
10. “Neighbors and linguistic assimilation in the Canadian Francophone population in the United States, 1910-1930”. Growth of the French-Canadian population in North America, 1760-1914 workshop, St Boniface University, Winnipeg (MB), 20-21 June 2018.
11. “Citizen science for demography: new techniques for digital data collection.” International Union for the Scientific Study of Population Workshop on Demographic Research in the Digital Age. Denver (CO), 25 April 2018.
12. “Correlates and consequences of American war casualties in World War I.” Population Association of America conference, Denver (CO), 25-28 April 2018. 43rd Social Science History Association,

Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018. American Sociological Association, New York City, 9-13 August 2019 (with Alexandra Burda. UMN student co-author)

13. “Kin Propinquity and Fertility Decline in the United States, 1850-1880” Social Science History Association conference, Montréal, 2-5 November 2017 (with J. David Hacker)
14. “The Effects of Early-Life Family Structure on Later-Life Health and Mortality in a Cohort of American Women” (with Wendy Rahn and DeAnn Lazovich), Social Science History Association conference, Montréal, 2-5 November 2017. World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018. Population Association of America, Austin (TX), 11-13 April 2019.
15. “Names and Places: Accuracy of citizen transcribers in the Measuring the ANZACs project”. Social Science History Association conference, Montréal, 2-5 November 2017.
16. “Childhood growth faltering in the United States, 1912-2014.” Population Association of America conference, Denver (CO), 25-28 April 2018.
17. “‘Such a Rash Act’: Wartime experiences and veteran suicide after the Great War.” NBER Cohort Studies Workshop. UCLA, 16 April 2017. Population Association of America conference, Chicago, 28-30 April 2017. American Sociological Association conference, Montréal, 12-15 August 2017.
18. “Stories of Suicide in New Zealand World War I Veterans.” 41st Social Science History Association conference, Chicago, 17-20 November 2016 (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley).
19. “Early Life Inequality and Later-Life Mortality in 20th Century New Zealand.” 41st Social Science History Association conference, Chicago, 17-20 November 2016 (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley).
20. “Minnesota Miscreants and Medicines: Height and Health at the Minnesota State Prison, 1857-1920.” 41st Social Science History Association conference, Chicago, 17-20 November 2016.
21. “Early life conditions, later life health and mortality in a cohort of American women, 1916-2015”. Economics and Human Biology conference, Tuebingen, 15-16 October 2016.
22. “Tall, active and well-made? Māori stature and health in New Zealand” with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley. Economic History Society conference, Cambridge, 1-3 April 2016.
23. “Occupation data in U.S. Manufacturing, 1870-1900,” with Peter Meyer, European Social Science History Conference, Valencia (Spain) 30 March – 2 April 2016.
24. “Family structure and childhood anthropometry in Saint Paul, Minnesota in 1918” with John Robert (Rob) Warren. 40th Social Science History Association conference, Baltimore, 12-15 November 2015; Population Association of America conference, Washington, D.C., 31 March – 2 April 2016.
25. “Measuring the ANZACs: Crowd-sourcing a complete transcription of WWI records through Zooniverse” with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley. National Digital Forum, Wellington, 13-14 October 2015.
26. “The impact of kin availability, parental religiosity, and nativity on fertility differentials in the late nineteenth-century United States” with J. David Hacker. The Power of the Family: Family influences on Long-Term Fertility Decline in Western and Eastern Societies, 1850-2010. Wageningen, Netherlands, 9-10 October 2015; Population Association of America conference, Washington, D.C.,

- 31 March – 2 April 2016. Population Association of America conference, Chicago, 28-30 April 2017.
27. “Did the Mortality Risk of Being Overweight Change in the Twentieth Century? New Evidence From Two Cohorts of New Zealand Men” with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley. Western Economic Association International conference, Honolulu (HI) 28 June 2015; Population Association of America conference, Washington, D.C., 31 March – 2 April 2016.
 28. ““She Likes Her Work Very Much [but] Will Probably Quit”: Husbands, Wives and Changing Opinions on Married Women’s Work in the 1930s.” Population Association of America conference, San Diego (CA), 30 April 2015.
 29. “Were all the children above average: Childhood height and weight in Saint Paul, Minnesota in 1918” with Rob Warren. 39th Social Science History Association conference, Toronto (Canada), 5-9 November 2014.
 30. “Economic Opportunity and Spatial Mobility in Canada, Great Britain, and the United States, 1850-1881” with Peter Baskerville, Lisa Dillon, Kris Inwood, Steven Ruggles, Kevin Schürer, and Rob Warren. 10th European Social Science History Conference, Vienna (Austria), 23-26 April 2014. 39th Social Science History Association conference, Toronto (Canada), 5-9 November 2014. Invited presentation, University of Colorado History department, 24 April 2015. Population Association of America conference, San Diego (CA), 2 May 2015. IUSSP Workshop on Spatial Analysis in Historical Demography, Québec City, 18 September 2015.
 31. "Give the Single Girls a Chance: Women, Work, and Public Opinion in Inter-war America." 38th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 21-24 November 2013.
 32. Mining Microdata: Economic opportunity and spatial mobility in Britain, Canada, and the United States, 1850-1911” with Peter Baskerville, Lisa Dillon, Kris Inwood, and Steven Ruggles. Digging into Data conference. Montréal (QC), 11 October 2013.
 33. “The historical origins of ethnic health disparity in New Zealand: Māori stature and physical well-being in the long run.” (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley) LSE Economic History Workshop, 2 May 2013. Victoria University of Wellington School of Economics and Finance seminar, 17 October 2013. 38th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 21-24 November 2013. Population Association of America conference, Boston (MA), 1-3 May 2014. Economic History Association conference, Columbus (OH), 12-14 September 2014.
 34. “Physical well-being and ethnic inequality in New Zealand prisons, c. 1860-1975”, (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). 37th Social Science History conference, Vancouver (BC), 1-4 November 2012.
 35. “Embodying Abundance and Scarcity in Minnesota, c. 1820-1900”. Institute for Advanced Study. University of Minnesota. 25 April 2012. <http://ias.umn.edu/2012/04/25/evan-roberts/>
 36. “Birth weight and adult health in historical perspective: Evidence from a New Zealand cohort, 1907-1922.” (with Pamela Wood). 36th Social Science History Association conference. Boston (MA), 17-20 November 2011. NBER Cohort Studies workshop, Cambridge (MA), 13-14 April 2012. Population Association of America conference, San Francisco (CA), 3-5 May 2012.
 37. “Height, weight, and mortality in the past: New evidence from a nineteenth century New Zealand cohort.” (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). 36th Social Science History Association conference. Boston (MA), 17-20 November 2011. Australia-Pacific Economic and Business History Conference,

- Canberra, 16 February 2012. Population Association of America conference, New Orleans (LA), 11-13 April 2013. World Congress of Cliometrics, Honolulu (HI), 18-21 June 2013.
38. "The Monitoring of Physical Well-Being in New Zealand before World War II." (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). History of Science Society, Cleveland (OH), 5 November 2011.
 39. "The peripatetic career of Wherahiko Rawei: Māori culture on the global Chautauqua circuit, 1893-1927." The Cosmopolitan Lyceum: Globalism & Lecture Culture in Nineteenth-Century America, American Antiquarian Society, Worcester (MA), 23-24 September 2011.
 40. "Moving around the city: Transitions in the lives of Chicago families, 1925-1930" 35th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 18-21 November 2010; Historical Inequality and Mobility: New Perspectives in the Digital Era Workshop, University of Guelph, 25-27 May 2012. Population Association of America conference, 1-3 May 2014.
 41. "'Tall, active and well made': Stature of the New Zealand Māori population, c.1700 - 1976" (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). Social Science History Association conference, Long Beach (CA), 12-15 November 2009. Australia-Pacific Economic & Business History Conference, Wellington, 17-19 February 2010. University of Otago History Department seminar, 21 April 2010. Victoria University of Wellington History Programme seminar, 19 August 2011.
 42. "Antipodeans Abroad: Australasians in North America, 1850-1900." Social Science History Association conference, Long Beach (CA), 12-15 November 2009.
 43. "Was New Zealand the Land of Milk and Honey? New Evidence on New Zealand Living Standards, c.1820 – 1945" (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). Antipodes: New Directions in History and Culture. New Zealand," Stout Research Centre for New Zealand Studies, Victoria University of Wellington, 3-5 September 2009.
 44. "New Zealand in the Early Stages of the Modern Health Transition" (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). Canadian Economics Association conference, Toronto (ON), 30 May 2009. XVth World Economic History Congress, Utrecht, 3-7 August 2009. Minnesota Population Center Seminar series, 23 November 2009. New Zealand Association of Economists Conference, Auckland, 1 July 2010.
 45. "Physical Stature and Its Interpretation in Nineteenth Century New Zealand" (with Kris Inwood and Les Oxley). Canadian Network for Economic History. Montréal (QC), 18-19 April 2008. Social Science History Association conference, Miami (FL), 23-26 October 2008. Invited presentations to Social Science and Health Network seminar, Victoria University of Wellington, 5 March 2009 and Auckland University History Department, 30 April 2009.
 46. "Her real sphere?: Married women's labor force participation in the United States, 1860-1940". Allan Nevins Prize Finalist session, Economic History Association conference, New Haven (CT), 12-14 September 2008.
 47. "The Peripatetic Career of Wherahiko Rawei," Victoria University of Wellington History Programme Seminar, 23 May 2008.
 48. "Women's Rights and Women's Labor: Married Women's Property Laws and Labor Force Participation." Business History Conference, Toronto (ON), 8-10 June 2006; Economic History Association conference, Pittsburgh (PA), 15-17 September 2006; Social Science History Association

- conference, Minneapolis (MN), 2-5 November 2006; Victoria University of Wellington History Programme seminar, 5 October 2007; Population Association of America, 17-19 April 2008.
49. "Married Women's Work and the Male Breadwinner Wage, 1890-1940." Organization of American Historians conference, Washington D.C., 19-21 April 2006.
 50. "Married Women's Work and the Family in the United States, 1890-1940." 30th Social Science History Conference, Portland (OR), 3-6 November 2005.
 51. "'Give the Single Girls a Chance!' Employees' Views on Preference for Service and Layoffs at Western Electric in the Depression." Business History Conference, Minneapolis (MN), 19-21 May 2005.
 52. "Women's Hours of Work and the Family Wage Ideal in the United States, 1884-1940." 29th Social Science History Conference, Chicago (IL), 18-21 November 2004.
 53. "Analyzing Complete Count Census Data from the North Atlantic Population Project," 5th European Social Science History Conference, Berlin, Germany, 24-27 March 2004.
 54. "Married Women's Work in War and Depression, 1917-1940," 5th European Social Science History Conference, Berlin, Germany, 24-27 March 2004. Panel organizer with Hannelore Vandebroek.
 55. "Married Women's Labor Force Participation in the United States: Results from the 1917/19 Cost of Living Survey." 28th Social Science History Conference, Baltimore (MD), 13-16 November 2003.
 56. "Integrating International Census Data: The North Atlantic Population Project." International Association for History and Computing Conference, Tromsø, Norway, 7-9 August 2003.
 57. "Married Women's Labor Force Participation in the United States: Results from the 1917/19 Cost of Living Survey and the 1920 PUMS." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Minneapolis (MN), 1-3 May 2003.
 58. "The North Atlantic Population Project: An Overview." 27th Social Science History Association Conference, St. Louis (MO), 24-27 October 2002. With Steven Ruggles, Lisa Dillon, Ólöf Garðarsdóttir, Jan Oldervoll, Gunnar Thorvaldsen and Matthew Woollard.
 59. "Household and Family Relationship Classification in the North Atlantic Population Project." 27th Social Science History Conference, St. Louis (MO), 24-27 October 2002. Panel organizer for "The North Atlantic Population Project: Methods and Prospects."
 60. "Her Real Sphere? Married Women's Labor Force Participation in the United States, 1920-1940." 27th Social Science History Association Conference, St. Louis (MO), 24-27 October 2002.
 61. "'One Big Club of which We Are All Members': Work and Work Culture in New Zealand Department Stores, 1910-1960." International Approaches to the History of Retailing and Distribution Conference, Wolverhampton (UK), 13-14 September 2001.
 62. "Economic Evaluation of the ACE-Inhibitor Reference Pricing Initiative in New Zealand." International Health Economics Association Conference, York (UK), July 2001. (Presented by Jackie Cumming). With Jackie Cumming, Tim Maling, Victoria Andersen and Pauline Norris.
 63. "From Mail Order to Female Order: Sales Methods and Work Culture in New Zealand Department Stores, 1910-1960." Business History Conference, Miami (FL), 20-22 April 2001.
 64. "A Study of Primary Care Utilisation and Expenditure for Families with Asthma in Golden Bay," 2nd New Zealand Health Economics Workshop, Wellington (NZ), 8 September 1999. With Terri Green, Jackie Cumming, and Helen Kingston (Presented by Terri Green).

65. "Primary Care Utilisation and Expenditure for Families with Asthma in Golden Bay." 1st Australia and New Zealand Health Services Research Conference, Sydney (Australia), 8-11 August 1999. With Terri Green and Jackie Cumming.
66. "The impact of self-assessed health on labour supply [at census area unit level]." Eighth Labour, Employment and Work Conference, Wellington, 26-27 November 1998. Published in proceedings of the conference.

Websites

Measuring the ANZACs.

<http://www.measuringtheanzacs.org/>

Citizen science website for the transcription of a complete collection of New Zealand World War I military personnel files (140,000 files, 3.7 million page images). I conceived of the project, and oversaw a programmer working on the site. I maintain the site, process data, and manage social media, communications, professional relationships with archives and museums, and outreach for the project.

TEACHING AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

University of Minnesota

Courses, Seminars, and Instructional Units Taught

Undergraduate

History 1301: Authority and Rebellion in America to 1865 (2014)

History 1907: Living, working, and dying in Chicago: Understanding the industrial city (2011)

History 1909: Understanding New Zealand: Re-imagining Kiwi culture (2013, Freshman seminar abroad)

History 3797: History of Population (world history of population, c. 10000 BCE to the present) (2011, 2012)

History 3822: United States History since 1945 (2012, 2014)

History 3869: Urban American History (Undergraduate course focused on research in urban social history, c.1870 - 1925) (2010)

History 3960: Encountering New Zealand (2013, Three-week global seminar, Study Abroad)

Sociology 3090/3641: Understanding New Zealand: Culture, Society and Environment (2017, 2018, 2019, Three-week global seminar, Study Abroad)

Sociology 3511: World Population Problems (2016)

Sociology 3801: Sociological Research Methods (2017)

Sociology 4093: Supervision of capstone projects for BSE and Sociology majors (Spring 2017: 5 students. Fall 2017: 1 student. Spring 2018: 11 students. Fall 2018: 7 students)

Sociology 4246: Sociology of Health and Illness (2017, 2018 x 2)

Graduate

History 5980/8960: Historical Approaches to Women's Work (2014)

Public Affairs 5490: History of Social Policy (2012)

Curriculum Development

Developed material "Citizen Science for Social Science Students", 2018/19

Developed a two-day workshop introducing graduate students to research with public-use census data, and led a team of five people to deliver the workshop (2006/2007)

Regular lectures and workshops on population history and instruction in using census data for research (2005 – present).

Faculty Development Activities regarding teaching

CLA Career Readiness Faculty Fellow, 2017-18

Victoria University of Wellington

Courses, Seminars, and Instructional Units Taught

Undergraduate

History 117: Empires and Peoples: American history 1493-1954 (2008, 2011)

History 120: Making history: American history, 1776 – 1976 (2009)

History 234: American social history, 1860-1930 (2008, 2009)

History 317: New Zealand history, 1767 to the present (2008)

History 318: Comparative history of New Zealand and the United States, 1840-1975 (2007)

Graduate

History 404: Women, work and family in the United States, 1750 – present (2009)

ADVISING AND MENTORING

University of Minnesota

Undergraduate Student Activities

Undergraduate Research Projects

UROP

Alexandra Romfoe, Misconduct in the New Zealand Expeditionary Force in World War One, Fall 2017

Teresa Hurtado Rosales, Casualties of War: Wounded Soldiers of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force of World War I, Fall 2017

Alexandra Burda, Spatial inequality in the distribution of US Casualties of World War I, Spring 2017

Alyssa Hertig, Wages and earnings in late nineteenth century America, Spring 2013

CLA Dean's First Year Research and Creative Scholars

Mitchell Eckerson, The survival experience of New Zealand prisoners of war in World War I (2018)

Nini Le, Moving Prejudice: The mobility of African Americans in Minneapolis in the era of racial covenants (2018)

Zaffir Hussein, Migration to Minnesota: French-Canadians and Scandinavians at the turn of the twentieth century (2017)

Cal Cahill, Causes and consequences of wartime mortality in World War I (2017)

Dorothy Swanson, Causes and consequences of wartime mortality in World War I (2016)

Samuel Peterman, Men, women and changing attitudes to marriage in the 1930s (2016)

Rachel Seiler, Men, women and changing attitudes to marriage in the 1930s (2015)

Lia Von Huben, Madison Sherwood, Meredith Gingold, Summer Careno and Tiffany Cheng, Height, weight and welfare of St Paul children in 1918 (2015)

Dean Allen Anna Keenan, , Hannah Mills, Katie O'Dowd, Kristy Wagner, Sam Wolfe, Height, weight and welfare of St Paul children in 1918 (2014)

Anthony Gerbi, Social mobility in inter-war Chicago (2012)

Minnesota Population Center Undergraduate Diversity Fellowship

Giathu Vien, Longitudinal analyses of Scandinavian migrants in the United States (2015)

Undergraduate Summa Theses or Honors Projects Directed

Elizabeth Schroeder (Spring 2018)

Graduate Student Activities

Master's Committees Served on

Qingtian Zhao, Food Prices and Cognitive Development in the United States: Evidence from the 1850–1930 Price and Census Data, 2017

Doctoral Committees Served on

Matthew Nelson, PhD in History, Preliminary oral examination, May 2013. Final oral examination, August 2018.

Nate Holdren, PhD in History, Final oral examination, June 2014

Adam Olson, PhD in Political Science, Preliminary oral examination, September 2014; Final oral examination, December 2017

Visiting Scholars Hosted

Camilla Barnett, Visiting PhD student to Department of Sociology/ Minnesota Population Center, Fall 2017

Ólöf Garðarsdóttir, Fulbright Scholar from Iceland, Spring 2012

Other Mentoring Activities

Besufekad Alemu, Longitudinal analyses of Scandinavian migrants in the United States, Minnesota Population Center Graduate Diversity Fellowship, Summer 2015

Victoria University of Wellington

Graduate Student Activities

Honour's Theses Directed

1. Hayden O'Brien, "The 'Lost Weekend'" (2008)
2. Charlie Russell, "Hide and Seek: The Fourth Labour Government and Media Manipulation" (2008)
3. Carl Blackmun "Let Freedom Ring: The International Activism of Paul Robeson, 1949-1960" (2009)
4. James Keating "A 'crawling, subservient, and lying press': Narrating the Great Steel Strike of 1919" (2009)
5. Alex Moffat-Wood "Memory, narrative, and environment: the social construction of the former Kilmister farm" (2010)
6. John Bell "*Kai Tiaki* and the Great War" (2010)

Master's Theses Directed

Elizabeth Walker, The attitudes towards, treatment of, and general experience of New Zealand's wounded returned servicemen in the wake of the Great War, 2011

Master's Theses Examined

Thesis examination requires a complete reading of the student's thesis, a formal report of 3+ single spaced pages, and a listing of specific corrections, followed by a recommendation on the class of degree to be awarded. Disagreements between the examiners on the class of degree must be resolved before the degree is awarded.

1. Mara Bebich, "Developments in the 'Big One': Migration, Celebration and Consequence, Auckland 1945-1964", MA (History), University of Auckland, 2008.
2. Vivian Rodriguez, "Egypt Plantation, the Enslaved Workforce and Patterns of Runaway and Resistance: An Analysis Based on Thomas Thistlewood's Journal, Jamaica, 1751-1763", MA(History), Victoria University of Wellington, 2008.
3. Courtney Harper, "'The art of eating, has in fact, become a science': Dietary advice from the Interwar Period to 1960", MA (History), University of Auckland, 2008.
4. Susie C. Johnston "Lighting up: the social history of smoking in New Zealand, 1920-1962," MA(History), Victoria University of Wellington, 2009.
5. Deborah Salter, "The Ugly Sister of Welfare: Health Care Rationing in New Zealand, 1968-1980," MA(History), Victoria University of Wellington, 2009.

6. Carl Blackmun, “Not the Socialism We Dreamed Of” : Becoming Ex-Communists in the United States and New Zealand, 1956-68,” MA (History), Victoria University of Wellington, 2011.

Doctoral Dissertations Directed

Erin Keenan, “Māori Urban Migrations and Identities: A Study of Urbanisation in the Wellington Region during the Twentieth Century,” 2014

Doctoral Committees Served on

Katrina Sadetskaya, “Measuring Well Being in New Zealand During the 19th –Early 20th Centuries: A Spacial Perspective”, 2014 (University of Canterbury)

Doctoral Students Advised

Erin Keenan

Doctoral Theses Examined

Thesis examination requires a complete reading of the student’s thesis, a formal report of 5+ single spaced pages, and a listing of specific corrections, followed by a recommendation on the class of degree to be awarded. Disagreements between the examiners on the class of degree must be resolved before the degree is awarded.

Andrew Francis, “‘To Be Truly British We Must Be Anti-German’: Patriotism, Citizenship and Anti-Alienism in New Zealand during the Great War”, PhD (History), Victoria University of Wellington, 2009.

Other Mentoring Activities

Convener of Postgraduate Seminar, a weekly seminar series for Masters and PhD students (2008-2010)

SERVICE AND PUBLIC OUTREACH

Service to the Discipline/Profession/Interdisciplinary Area(s)

Editorial Board

Historical Methods, 2012 – 2017.

Journal Reviewer Experience

Australian Economic History Review (2014, 2015)

Australian Historical Studies (2016)

Business History Review (2003, 2004, 2005)

Continuity and Change (2018)

Demography (2015)

Economics & Human Biology (2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 x 3)

Historical Life Course Studies (2019)

Historical Methods (2002, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019)

International Journal of Retail & Distribution Management (2009)

International Journal for Equity in Health (2013, 2015, 2016 x 3, 2017, 2018)

Journal of Australian Studies (2010)

Journal of Economic History (2016 x 2)

Journal of Economic Surveys (2011)

Journal of Comparative Family Studies (2009)

Journal of Gerontology (2017)

Journal of Interdisciplinary History (2008)

Journal of New Zealand Studies (2008, 2013, 2014)

New Zealand Economic Papers (2019)

Oxford University Press (2017)

Political Science (2007)

PLoS One (2016)

SAGE Open (2014, 2015)

Social Science History (2016, 2017)

Scholarly mailing list

Editor, H-Demog (historical demography email list of 1200+ subscribers), 2016 – present.

Committee Memberships

Publications Committee, Social Science History Association, 2018-2021 (elected office)

Newsletter editor and Section Council member, Section on Medical Sociology, American Sociological Association, 2018-22.

Social Science History Association website revision committee, 2016-17 (invited membership)

Program Committee Co-Chair for Social Science History Association conference, 2013

Organization of Conferences, Workshops, Panels, Symposia

1. Panel organizer, Transcription and Data Capture, 44th Social Science History Association, Chicago, 21-24 November 2019.
2. Panel organizer, Demographic Effects of World War I, 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018.
3. Panel organizer, Women's Early Life Conditions and Later Life Outcomes, World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018
4. Panel organizer, Women's Early Life Conditions and Later Life Outcomes, 42nd Social Science History Conference, Montréal, 2-5 November 2017

5. Panel organizer, Opportunities and Challenges of Citizen Science and Crowd-Sourcing, 41st Social Science History Association conference, Chicago, 17-20 November 2016.
6. Panel organizer, Health and mortality in historical perspective, Population Association of America, Washington, DC, April 2016 (2 panels)
7. Panel organizer, “Height, Weight and Welfare on Four Continents, 39th Social Science History Association conference, Toronto (Canada), 5-9 November 2014.
8. Panel organizer, “Early Life Conditions and Later Life Social and Economic Outcomes.” 39th Social Science History Association conference, Toronto (Canada), 5-9 November 2014.
9. Panel organizer, “What Can We Learn from Prison Records? A Conversation across Disciplines, Topics, and Hemispheres”, 37th Social Science History Association conference. Vancouver (BC), 1-4 November 2012.
10. Panel organizer, Living, working and dying in Chicago, 35th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 18-21 November 2010.
11. Panel organizer, Immigrant assimilation in the late 19th century North Atlantic: New results from NAPP, 34th Social Science History Association conference, Long Beach (CA) 12-15 November 2009.
12. Panel organizer, “The Family, Marriage and Work.” Organization of American Historians conference, Washington D.C., 19-21 April 2006

Section chair for Health and Mortality sessions, 2015 Population Association of America conference (44 sessions of 4 papers). Responsible for recruiting session chairs, allocating additional sessions, and assisting session organizers with finding chairs and discussants, and reporting to conference chair.

Economics Network Representative, Social Science History Association, 2009 – 2015. Responsible for co-ordinating the submission of 10-24 panels (3-4 papers) each year, liaising between panel organizers, authors, and the central conference committee.

Workshop Organizer (with Lisa Y. Dillon), International Microdata Access Group workshop on Longitudinal and Cross-Sectional Data: Intersections and Opportunities, Montréal, November 2003.

Workshop Organizer, Second New Zealand Health Economics Workshop, September 1999.

Wellington Health Economists Group Coordinator, March 1999 – May 2000 (organized fortnightly seminar series of speakers during academic year)

Panelist and discussant at conferences

1. Discussant for “Large Linkage Projects: Pushing the Boundaries”, 43rd Social Science History Association, Phoenix, 8-11 November 2018.
2. Discussant for “Inferring Behaviors and Standards of Living from Household Budget Data”. World Economic History Congress, Boston, 30 July – 3 August 2018.
3. Discussant for “Life Outcomes from Longitudinal Micro Data,” 42nd Social Science History Association conference, Montréal, 2-5 November 2017.
4. Panelist for “Opportunities and Challenges of Citizen Science and Crowd-Sourcing,” and “Interdisciplinarity in the Big Data Age”, 41st Social Science History Association conference, Chicago, 17-20 November 2016.
5. Discussant for “Household Budgets, Standards of Living, Strategies and Allocations” and book review panel for Satomi Kurosu and Christer Lundh (eds) *Similarity in Difference: Marriage in Europe and Asia, 1700-1900*. 40th Social Science History Association conference, Baltimore, 12-15 November 2015.

6. Discussant for “The Effect of War on Health and Mortality” and “Health and Mortality in Historical Perspective.” Population Association of America conference, San Diego (CA), 2 May 2015.
7. Discussant and chair for “Height, Weight and Welfare on Four Continents” and “Early Life Conditions and Later Life Social and Economic Outcomes.” 39th Social Science History Association conference, Toronto (Canada), 5-9 November 2014.
8. Discussant for “Representations of the Past: Selection Bias in Anthropometric Analysis” and “Varieties of Transition to Modern Health and Human Capital”, 38th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 21-24 November 2013.
9. Discussant for book session, Louis Cain and Donald Paterson, *The Children of Eve*. 37th Social Science History Association conference. Vancouver (BC), 1-4 November 2012.
10. Discussant for “Human Capital Development During the Demographic Transition”. 37th Social Science History Association conference. Vancouver (BC), 1-4 November 2012.
11. Discussant for “Families and Work.” Population Association of America conference, San Francisco (CA), 3-5 May 2012.
12. Chair for “Gendering the Migration Process with IPUMS and NAPP”. 36th Social Science History Association conference. Boston (MA), 17-20 November 2011.
13. Discussant for “There goes the neighborhood! Crime and health in the city”. 36th Social Science History Association conference. Boston (MA), 17-20 November 2011.
14. Chair for Author Meets Critics session on Tracey Deutsch, *Building a Housewife’s Paradise*, 35th Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 18-21 November 2010.
15. Discussant for “New Developments in Scandinavian Population Databases”, 34th Social Science History Association conference, Long Beach (CA) 12-15 November 2009.
16. Discussant for two sessions at 33rd Social Science History Association conference, Miami (FL), 23-26 October 2008: “Marriage and the labor market” and “Women as investors and savers”
17. Panelist on roundtable, “The Microdata Return,” Canadian Historical Association, Vancouver, BC, 2-4 June 2008.
18. Discussant for “Founders and Survivors: Australian Lifecourses in Historical Context,” 32nd Social Science History Association conference, Chicago (IL), 15-18 November 2007.
19. Discussant for “Moving Up and Moving Out: New Approaches to Migration Within the United States,” 100th Organization of American Historians conference, Minneapolis (MN), 29 March – 1 April 2007.
20. Discussant for two sessions at 31st Social Science History Association conference, Minneapolis (MN), 2-5 November 2006: “Occupation Categories over Time” and “Audiences and Publics: Connections Between Social Science Research and Genealogical Research.”
21. Panelist on roundtable, “National Variations in Historical Microdata Projects,” 29th Social Science History Conference, Chicago (IL), 18-21 November 2004.

Service to the University/College/Department

University-wide Service

University Senate Library Committee, 2011 – 2017

Collegiate Service and Intercollegiate Service

Career Readiness Faculty Development Advisory Committee, 2018-present.
CLA Instructional Awards Committee, 2014-15

Department/Unit Service

Photography for student professional profiles, Minnesota Population Center and Sociology Department, 2018 – present
Chair, Technology Committee, Sociology Department, 2017 – 2019

SRI Committee, Sociology Department, 2017
Training Committee, Graduate Faculty in Population Studies, 2013 – present
Advisory Committee, History Department, 2011 – 2014
Advisory Board, Minnesota Population Center, 2011 – 2014
IPUMS Research Prize Committee, Minnesota Population Center, 2011 – 2012.
Undergraduate Studies Committee, History Department, 2010 – 2011, 2014 - 2015
Seminar Series Committee, Minnesota Population Center, 2004 – 2007, 2011 – 2015.
Advisory Board, Minnesota Population Center, 2004 – 2006.

Service at Victoria University of Wellington

Department/Unit Service

Research and Postgraduate Studies Committee, 2008-10.

Public and Other Service

Community, State, National, or International Service Activities

1. Discussion of Minneapolis 2040 zoning changes, KCRW (Los Angeles), 15 January 2019.
<https://www.kcrw.com/news-culture/shows/design-and-architecture/a-radical-act-of-rezoning-uk-prepares-for-brexite/minneapolis-is-upzoning-and-la-should-pay-attention>
2. Discussion of affordable housing and inclusionary zoning, Minnesota Public Radio, 7 May 2018
<https://www.mprnews.org/story/2018/05/07/solving-the-affordable-housing-problems-that-plague-minneapolis>
3. Public presentation on citizen science to National Library of New Zealand lunchtime seminar, 27 July 2016
4. Interviews with TV3 and TVOne about Measuring the ANZACs, January 2016
<https://www.tvnz.co.nz/one-news/new-zealand/an-anzac-project-needs-your-help-with-the-creation-of-a-fascinating-database>
<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/new-zealand/2016/02/project-aims-to-count-kiwis-who-fought-at-gallipoli.html>
5. “The Peripatetic Career of Wherahiko Rawei,” Salon Saloon with Alison Pebworth’s Beautiful Possibility tour, Bryant Lake Bowl, Minneapolis. 24 April 2012.
6. Daylight saving in the United States. Radio segment with Esme Murphy, WCCO 830AM, Minneapolis. 5 November 2011.