

BETHANY HOPKINS
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Curriculum Vitae

EDUCATION

University of California, Davis

PhD in History, September 2015

MA in History, September 2015

Dissertation: "The Fruit of Her Fields: California Women in Commercial Horticulture, 1870-1915"

Westmont College

BA in Communication Studies and History, *magna cum laude*, May 2004

PUBLICATIONS

2014 "The love of enterprise and Nature was born in the woman': Theodosia Shepherd and the Gendered Garden of California Commercial Horticulture, 1880-1900." *Western Historical Quarterly* 45, no. 3 (Autumn 2014).

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2017 Giles W. and Elise G. Mead Foundation Fellowship, The Huntington Library
2013-14 Reed-Smith Dissertation Year Fellowship, UC Davis History Department
2013 Environments and Societies Research Grant, UC Davis Mellon Research Initiative
2013 Alfred D. Chandler, Jr. Travel Grant, Business History Conference
2013 Consortium for Women and Research Graduate Travel Award, UC Davis
2010-14 Reed-Smith Travel and Research Award, UC Davis History Department
2009 Marchand Travel Research Grant, UC Davis History Department

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2017 "Yeomen With No Men: Female Farmers Eschewing Marriage in California, 1870-1900." Seventeenth Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Genders and Sexualities, Hofstra University, New York City, New York, June 1-4, 2017.
2016 "'No Acceptable Substitute': California's Failed Scheme to Replace Rural Chinese Fruit Farm Laborers With Urban White Women in the 1890s." Agricultural History Society Annual Meeting, New York City and Briarcliff Manor, New York, June 23-25, 2016.
2016 "Grapes of Math: Visualizing Data on Women's Vineyards in 19th Century California." Digital Projects Lightning Round, American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, January 7-10, 2016.
2013 "'Plucky women engaged in obtaining a living from the soil': California's Female Horticulturists in the Public Sphere, 1881-1911." Western Association of Women

- Historians Conference, Portland, Oregon, May 16-18, 2013.
 2013 “The Businesswomen of California Horticulture, 1870-1911.” Business History Conference, Columbus, Ohio, March 21-23, 2013.

CAMPUS TALKS

- 2017 Panelist. “The F-Word: Modern Perspectives on Feminism in American Society.” Solano Community College, March 30, 2017.
 2015 Invited Speaker. “Locating, Accessing, and Interacting with Primary Sources,” UC Davis Phi Alpha Theta Student Seminar Series, March 11, 2015
 2014 Commentator. Sarah Payne, “On a ‘LARC’: Long Acting Reversible Contraception and the Resurgence of the IUD,” Environments and Societies Colloquium, University of California, Davis. February 19, 2014.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2015-Present School of Social & Behavioral Sciences, Solano Community College, Fairfield, CA
Adjunct Faculty
 Women in American History (Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018)
- 2013-2017 History Department, University of California-Davis, Davis, CA
Lecturer
 Women & Gender in America, 1865 to present (Fall 2017)
 Women & Gender in America, to 1865 (Spring 2016)
Associate Instructor
 History of the United States, 1945-Present (Summer 2014)
 California History (Summer 2013)
- 2016-2017 School of Social & Behavioral Sciences, Napa Valley College, Napa, CA (6/16-5/17)
Adjunct Faculty
 U.S. History Since 1865 (Spring 2017)
 History of American Women 1600-1900 (Summer 2016)
- 2009-2013 History Department, University of California-Davis, Davis, CA
Teaching Assistant Coordinator
 Teaching Assistant Training Graduate Seminar (Spring 2013)
Teaching Assistant
 History of the US, 1865 to Present (Spring 2012, Winter 2010, Fall 2009)
 Social History of American Women and the Family, 1865 to Present (Winter 2012, Spring 2010)
 History of the US to 1865 (Winter 2011, Fall 2011)
 Social History of American Women and the Family to 1865 (Spring 2011)

- 2009-2015 **Reader**
 History of Sexuality (Winter 2015, Winter 2014)
 Modern World History, 19th and 20th Century (Summer 2012)
 U.S. History 1917-1945 (Summer 2011)
 Ancient Near East (Fall 2010, Fall 2008)
 Latin American Social Revolutions Since 1900 (Summer 2010)
 Ancient Rome (Spring 2009)
 History of China (Summer 2009)
 European Intellectual History 1920-1970 (Winter 2009)
- 2011-2012 California History-Social Science Project, University of California-Davis, Davis CA
Research Assistant
 “America on the World Stage” Summer Institute (Summer 2012)
Lesson Planner
 “California Reads” statewide reading project (Fall 2011)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2014-15 Co-Organizer. Women’s Mentoring and Networking Social Group, UC Davis History Dept. Hosted quarterly meetings on gender issues in academia.
 2015 Graduate student member, U.S. job search committee, UC Davis History Dept. Colloquium, University of California, Davis, February 19, 2014
 2009-14 Volunteer. UC Davis History Graduate Program Recruitment Weekend
 2010-11 Department Representative. UC Davis Graduate Student Assembly

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- 2015-present Volunteer. Davis Science Collective, public library youth outreach events
 2015-2016 Host and Co-Organizer. Shorts N Longs, monthly community storytelling series
 2015-16 Co-Host. “Known Unknowns,” KDVS 90.3 FM educational radio show

NON-ACADEMIC WORK

- 2016-present Writing Consultant, The Key Worldwide, Sacramento, CA
 2011-present Scorer and Facilitator, Pearson Evaluation Systems, Sacramento, CA
 2006-2008 Reporter, *Santa Barbara News-Press*, Santa Barbara CA

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association
 Berkshire Conference of Women Historians
 Agricultural History Society
 Western Historical Association
 Western Association of Women Historians