## **Elizabeth R. Hargrett**

#### **EDUCATION**

August 2017 – Present University of California – Berkeley Berkeley, CA

PhD in History (in progress)

October 2016 – June 2017: École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS) Paris, France

Master's Degree in History

Master's Thesis: Le contrôle social et l'institution poreuse: la stérilisation eugénique au Milledgeville State Hospital

1939-1959.

Thesis Advisor: Dr. Romain Huret Graduated with highest honors.

September 2014 – June 2016: Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3 Lyon, France

Master's Degree in Research in Anglophone Studies, with a concentration in American Civilization Thesis: *Damaged Goods: Forced Sterilization and Eugenic Thought in the State of Georgia, 1913-1970.* Graduated with highest honors.

August 2005 – December 2009: The University of Georgia Athens, GA

Graduated with honors (cum laude)

Honors B.A.S. in History, Honors B.A.S. in French

## **AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

2019 National Science Foundation Travel Grant, American Association for Historians of Medicine

2017-2023 UC Berkeley Graduate Fellowship
 2016 EHESS MONDA-CENA Research Grant
 2007 STARS Work-Study Scholarship

2005-2009 Georgia HOPE Scholarship

# **PRESENTATIONS**

"Public Health and Community Care on the Margins", American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Honolulu, Hawaii, Nov. 7-10, 2019.

"Violent Shocks and Sudden Reverses of Fortune: Crime and the Etiology of Insanity in Gold Rush-Era California", American Association for Historians of Medicine Annual Meeting, Columbus, Ohio. Apr. 25-27, 2019.

« Idéologie et pratiques eugénistes dans l'état de Géorgie : problèmes, enjeux et obstacles ». Journée des Jeunes Chercheurs, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris. March 24, 2017.

"The Politics of Procreation", presented with Dr. Jennifer Merchant of Université Paris II Panthéon-Assas. Atelier Amérique du Nord, Sciences Po Lyon. November 11, 2015.

# **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

History of Medicine Public Health

Bioethics and Reproductive Rights Environmental History
Sociology of Scientific Knowledge History of Incarceration

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

August 2018 – present: University of California – Berkeley, CA

Graduate Student Instructor

- Fall 2018: The United States, from Settlement to the Civil War (Instructor of Record: Brian Delay)
- Spring 2019: The United States, from Civil War to Present (Instructor of Record: Rebecca McLennan)
- Fall 2019: Science and Society (Instructor of Record: Massimo Mazzotti)

January 2019 – present: Prison University Project San Rafael, CA

Volunteer Instructor

- Spring 2019: Interdisciplinary Reading, Writing and Research
- Co-designed and co-taught course to students incarcerated at San Quentin State Prison in collaboration with another volunteer, with the aim of developing our students' critical reading, writing and research skills, and preparing them for other research and humanities-centered classes offered by the program.

May 2014 – June 2017: l'Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Sciences de Villeurbanne, France English Lecturer l'Information Bibliothèques (ENSSIB)

- Prepared, taught and evaluated courses for first- and second-year Masters students specialized in Digital Archiving, and Library and Documentation Policy.
- Headed a two-month English training program for staff and interns in preparation for the 2014 IFLA World Library and Information Congress.

September 2012 – June 2017: Université Lumière Lyon 2 Lyon, France

English Lecturer Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3

**History Department** 

Department of Economic Sciences and Management

Department of Languages and Literature

• Prepared, taught, and evaluated a variety of courses for students of all levels and specializations, from first-year undergraduate students to second-year Masters students.

#### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### April 2015 – present: Translator (French to English)

• Specialized in historical, sociological, demographic, and scientific texts for the French National Institute for Demographic Studies (INED), Université Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, Université Paris II Panthéon-Assas, and l'École des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS).

September 2012 – June 2017: NYMEO: Création des Noms Lyon, France

**Project Manager** 

Managed all anglophone communication, projects and meetings for the branding firm NYMEO: Creation
des Noms, which specialized in creating and testing names for various corporations.

Professional experience prior to 2012 available upon request.

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

The American Historical Association
The American Association for Historians of Medicine
The American Society for Environmental History
The Organization for American Historians

#### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

Author: "Eugenics", The New Georgia Encyclopedia. Forthcoming (2019).

"Cotton Gins", The New Georgia Encyclopedia. 28 Aug. 2009. URL:

http://www.georgiaencyclopedia.org/articles/history-archaeology/cotton-gins

Translator: Access to Reproductive Technologies: The Case of France and Belgium, Borders and Beyond.

London: Berghahn Books. Forthcoming (2018).

Policing, Practical Knowledge and Urban Management: Public Lighting in Mexico (Late 18th

to Early 19th Century). Article by Arnaud Exbalin (EHESS/ESMA), 2016.

When Birth Becomes a Public Matter: Obstetrics in Peru, from the Enlightenment to Scientism (1790-1870). Article by Lissell Quiroz-Pérez (U Rouen - ERIAC), 2016.

Complete list of translations available upon request

#### SERVICE

2018 – present Advocate (Prisoner Advocacy Network, San Francisco)

- provide research, resources, and non-litigation advocacy (under the supervision of an attorney) through regular communication with correspondents incarcerated within the California state prison system
- tasks include legal research, phone calls and letters to prison and health care officials, assistance with filing administrative appeals and/or complaints, and public records requests

2018 – present California State-Certified Sexual Assault Counselor and Advocate (BAWAR, Oakland)

- provide counseling, support and resources to survivors of sexual assault
- accompany survivors to Alameda County hospitals and police stations, advocate for their rights and needs, provide support and information throughout the reporting and/or forensic exam process
- completed 66 hours of training in intersectional counseling skills, trauma-informed care and response, hospital accompaniment procedures, etc.

2018 – present Organizer: Medicine, Humanities and Social Sciences Working Group (UC Berkeley)

2019 Organizer: HGA Distinguished Alumni Lecture, Christopher M. Church, "Paradise Destroyed:

Catastrophe and Citizenship in the French Caribbean", UC Berkeley, Apr. 17.

2019 Organizer: 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual History Graduate Student Research Symposium, UC Berkeley, Jan. 24.

2018 – 2019 Chair, History Graduate Association (UC Berkeley)

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

French: Fluent (speaking, reading, writing)
Spanish: Intermediate (speaking, reading, writing)

German: Basic (reading)