

DELIA HAGEN

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EDUCATION

University of California at Berkeley Berkeley, CA

Doctor of Philosophy, History, 2015

< First Field: America Since 1607

Second Field: Modern Latin America

Outside Field: Historical Archaeology

Dissertation: Northern Plains Borders and the People in Between, 1860-1940.

University of Texas at Austin Austin, TX

Master of Arts, History, 1999

< Major Field: American History

Minor Field: Gender Studies

Dartmouth College Hanover, NH

Bachelor of Arts, History, 1995

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Hagen Historical Consulting Missoula, MT

Historian, 2004-present

< Independent historical consulting dedicated to public history, cultural resource management, historical research and litigation support. Clients include private architectural, engineering, and law firms; state agencies; federal agencies; Indian tribes, etc. Recent projects include:

Good Medicine: Health, Medical Care and Sovereignty Among the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Indian Reservation, 1850-present (clients: KLJ Engineering, the Montana Department of Transportation and the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes, 2016-17)

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forests, Idaho, Cultural Resource Inventory (forest service administrative sites, historic Seminole Ranch in the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness, and Four Mile Mine ghost town) (clients: A & E Architects and the U.S. Forest Service, 2016-17)

Glacier National Park, St. Mary Visitor Center, Historic American Building Survey (clients: A & E Architects and the National Park Service, 2016)

African-American Heritage in Helena, Montana (clients: MT State Historic Preservation Office and the National Park Service, 2016)

WGM Group, Inc. Missoula, MT

Senior Project Manager, Historian, 2014-2016

< Project manager at a multidisciplinary consulting firm. Historical, cultural, and preservation consulting.

University of California at Berkeley Berkeley, CA

Graduate Student Instructor (GSI), 2003-2005, 2012

< GSI, American History: pre-contact through the Civil War; and American History: Reconstruction to the present. Reader, Latin American Women's History.

Luna Productions Berkeley, CA
Consulting Historian, 2003-2004
< Advised *Three Women and A Chateau: A 100 Year Love Affair with a 100 Room Chateau*, a prize-winning documentary that explored the Beaux-Arts mansion built by the heiress of the Pullman Car fortune in 1916, when it was the second largest house in the United States.

Historical Research Associates Missoula, MT
Research Historian, 1999-2002
< Worked in both the Cultural Resources Management and History/Litigation Support divisions of a national consulting firm.

Population Research Center, University of Texas Austin, TX
Graduate Research Assistant, The Great Plains Project, 1997-1999
< Long-term, interdisciplinary research project on population, land use and the environment in ten Great Plains states from 1870 – present.

Skarshagen Holdings, LLC California & Montana
Owner/Manager, 1996-present
< Real estate investment company focused on the restoration and adaptive re-use of historic buildings. Properties in Berkeley, CA and 7 Montana communities.

Northern Plains Resource Council Billings, MT
Rural Community Organizer, 1995-1996
< Staffed local chapters and the State Agricultural Task Force for a non-profit working on western environmental and economic issues.

SELECTED HONORS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Abigail Reynolds Hodgen Publication Award, 2015
Western History Dissertation Workshop, Yale, 2015
(1 of 5 dissertations selected from around the country and beyond)
Hildebrand Canadian Studies Dissertation Fellowship, 2011-2012
Hildebrand Canadian Studies Dissertation Fellowship, 2010-2011
History Department Continuing Graduate Fellowship, 2010
Hildebrand Canadian Studies Graduate Research Fellowship, 2010
History Department Dissertation Fellowship, 2009-2010
Lowenthal Prize, 2009
(for best UC Berkeley graduate student essay in Theory, Culture and Politics)
Montana Historical Society Excellence in Research Award, 2009
History Department Continuing Graduate Fellowship, 2008-2009
U.C. Berkeley Graduate Division Summer Grant, 2008
Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, 2006-2007
Kathryn McLeod Graduate Fellowship, 2005-2006
Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, 2005
(for excellence in teaching, awarded to less than 10% of Berkeley Graduate Student Instructors)
Summer Dissertation Prospectus Fellowship, 2004
Erasmus Scholarship, U MT Law School, 1999 (declined)
Cynthia Herbig Public Service Prize, U MT Law School, 1999 (declined)

PUBLICATIONS

“The Métis of the U.S.-Canadian Borderlands, 1820-1940.” in *Otipimsuak Atlas* (Saskatoon: The University of Saskatchewan Press, forthcoming)

“Nations, Migration, and Métis Subsistence Possibilities, 1860-1940,” in *Race and Displacement: Nation, Migration and Identity in the 21st Century* (Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press, 2013)

Great Plains Population and Environment Project Database Users' Guide (Austin: Population Research Center, University of Texas, 1998)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

“The Noose and the Narrative: Links Between Mass Hangings of Borderlands Indigenes in Canada and the United States.” Western History Association, St. Paul, Minnesota, 2016.

“Indispensable Enemies: Needing and Hating the People in Between.” Western History Dissertation Workshop, Yale, 2015.

“Violent Geographies: Landscapes of Indigenous Statelessness on the North American Great Plains.” 12th Global Interdisciplinary Conference on Violence, Lisbon, Portugal, 2014.

“The Language of Limits and the Limits of Language: Linguistic Dilemmas in Writing Northern Plains Indian History.” Canadian Studies Department luncheon lecture, University of California, Berkeley, 2011.

“the seeming impossibility of separating them?: American Efforts to Define and Divide Montana’s Indigenous Populations,” Montana Historical Society, Great Falls, 2009.

“Nations, Migration, and Métis Subsistence Possibilities, 1860-1940,” Race and Displacement: The 33rd University of Alabama Symposium on English and American Literature, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, 2009.

“Nations, Migration, and Métis Subsistence Possibilities, 1860-1940,” Common Ground, Converging Gazes: An International Conference Integrating the Social and Environmental in History, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris, 2008.

“The Territory We Had Always Called ‘Home’”: Nations, Migration, and the Northern Plains Métis, 1880-1930,” Writing New Histories of Indigeneity and Imperialism: A Workshop, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 2008.

“Nations, Migration, and the Montana Métis, 1827-1917,” American Society for Environmental History, Boise, Idaho, 2008.

“Nations, Migration, and the Montana Métis, 1827-1917,” Historians for Lunch Lecture, University of Montana, 2007.

“Nations, Migration, and the Montana Métis, 1827-1917,” American Society for Ethnohistory, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 2007.

SERVICE

Manuscript Reviewer for *Montana: The Magazine of Western History*
Missoula Historic Preservation Commission, 2015-2017

