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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2015- Assistant Professor, School of Anthropology
 Director, Medical Anthropology Concentration & Certificate Programs
 Core Faculty, Transgender Studies Initiative
 Affiliated Faculty, Institute for LGBT Studies
 Affiliated Faculty, Department of Gender & Women's Studies
 Affiliated Faculty, Graduate Program in Social, Cultural & Critical Theory
 University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- 2012-2015 Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology
 Postdoctoral Fellow, Michigan Society of Fellows
 Affiliated Faculty, Doctoral Program in Anthropology & History
 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

EDUCATION

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| 2012 | University of California Berkeley, Anthropology | PhD |
| 2005 | University of Chicago, Social Sciences | MA |
| 1999 | DePauw University, History, cum laude | BA |

AREAS OF TEACHING AND RESEARCH

Medical Anthropology	Trans- Studies	Medical Controversy
Clinical Ethnography	Sex and Gender	Political Economics of Health
Epistemologies/Expertise	Surgical Practice	Anthropology of the Body

PUBLICATION

MONOGRAPH

- 2017 *The Look of a Woman: facial feminization surgery and the aims of trans-medicine*. Durham, NC: Duke University Press.
- * Winner of the 2017 Ruth Benedict Prize (Association for Queer Anthropology)
 - * Nominated for the 2018 Lora Romero Prize (American Studies Association)
 - * Nominated for the 2018 Eileen Basker Prize (Society for Medical Anthropology)
- Reviewed in *American Anthropologist*; *American Journal of Bioethics*; *The Australian Journal of Anthropology*; *Critical Inquiry*; *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*; *Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery*; *Sociology of Health & Illness*

SPECIAL ISSUE JOURNAL EDITOR

- 2018 Eric Plemons and Chris Straayer, eds. *TSQ*: Transgender Studies Quarterly*. The Surgery Issue 5(2).

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Forthcoming A Capable Surgeon and a Willing Electrologist: Challenges to the Expansion of Transgender Surgical Care in the United States. *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*.
- Forthcoming Gender, Ethnicity, and Transgender Embodiment: Interrogating Classification in Facial Feminization Surgery. *Body & Society*.
- In Review Not Here: Catholic Healthcare Systems and the Refusal of Transgender Care in the United States. *CrossCurrents*.
- 2018 With Chris Straayer. Introduction: Reframing the Surgical. *TSQ*: Transgender Studies Quarterly* 5(2): 164-173.
[DOI 10.1215/23289252-4348605]
- 2017 Formations of Femininity: Science and Aesthetics of Facial Feminization Surgery. *Medical Anthropology* 36(7): 629-641.
[DOI: 10.1080/01459740.2017.1298593]
- 2017 Jens U. Berli, Luis Capitán, Daniel Simon, Rachel Bluebond-Langner, Eric Plemons, Shane D. Morrison. Facial Gender Confirmation Surgery: Review of the Literature and Recommendations for Version 8 of the WPATH Standards of Care. *International Journal of Transgenderism* 18(3): 264-270. [DOI:10.1080/15532739.2017.1302862]
- 2015 Anatomical Authorities: On the Epistemological Exclusion of Trans-Surgical Patients. *Medical Anthropology* 34(5): 425-441.
[DOI: 10.1080/01459740.2015.1036264]

PUBLICATION (cont)

- 2014 Description of Sex Difference as Prescription for Sex Change: On the Origin of Facial Feminization Surgery. *Social Studies of Science* 44(5): 657-679. [DOI: 10.1177/0306312714531349]
- 2014 It Is As It Does: Genital Form and Function in Sex Reassignment Surgery. *Journal of Medical Humanities* 35(1): 37-55. [DOI: 10.1007/s10912-013-9267-z]
- 2013 The Surgical Suite. *Journal of Medical Humanities* 34(2): 245-247. Invited submission for the special issue, Queer in the Clinic [DOI: 10.1007/s10912-013-9227-7]

CHAPTERS IN EDITED VOLUMES

- Forthcoming Reconceiving the Body: A Surgical Genealogy of Trans- Therapeutics. In *The Emergence of Trans*. Iggi Moon and Ruth Pearce, eds. London: Routledge.
- Forthcoming The Importance of Facial Gender Confirmation Surgery. With Jens Berli. Invited submission to edited volume. Loren Schechter, ed.
- 2010 Envisioning the Body in Relation: finding sex, changing sex. In *The Body Reader: Essential Social and Cultural Readings*. Lisa Jean Moore and Mary Kosut, eds. New York, NY: New York University Press. Pp. 317-328.

BOOK REVIEW

- 2013 Bodies in Formation: An Ethnography of Anatomy and Surgery Education by Rachel Prentice. *Anthropological Quarterly* 86(3): 941-946.

ONLINE PUBLICATION

- 2017 Transforming Transgender Medicine in the US Prompts Questions of its Aims. Society for Medical Anthropology. Anthropology News. Aug 31. (<http://www.anthropology-news.org/index.php/2017/08/31/transforming-transgender-medicine-in-the-us-prompts-questions-of-its-aims/>)
- 2017 The Future of Trans- Medicine Under Trump. Medical Anthropology Quarterly Blog: Critical Care. (<http://medanthroquarterly.org/2017/01/23/the-future-of-trans-medicine-under-trump/>)

PUBLICATION (cont)

- 2015 The Problem with Transgender Generality. The Huffington Post for the American Anthropological Association. (http://www.huffingtonpost.com/american-anthropological-association/the-problem-with-transgen_b_7622294.html)
- 2015 How Sex Reassignment Surgery Works in America. The Feminist Wire. (<http://thefeministwire.com/2015/05/how-sex-reassignment-surgery-works-in-america/>)
- 2015 Medicare's New Coverage for "Transsexual Surgery" Relies on Dated Notions of Gender. The Feminist Wire. (<http://thefeministwire.com/2015/05/medicares-new-coverage-for-transsexual-surgery-relies-on-dated-notions-of-gender/>)
- 2015 Transgender Medicine: Medicare Access to What? The Feminist Wire. (<http://thefeministwire.com/2015/06/transgender-medicine-medicare-access-to-what/>)
- 2014 Cut. Somatosphere. (<http://somatosphere.net/2014/03/cut.html>)

WORK IN PREPARATION

- Bodies That Satisfy: The Work of a Category in Trans- Medicine. To be submitted to *Social Science and Medicine*.
- Figures of Suicide, Figures of Regret: Moral Levers for Justification in Transgender Medicine.
- Pathological Kinship: The Fraternal Birth Order Hypothesis and the Uterine Search for Transsexual Origins. To be submitted to *Science as Culture*.

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2018 Coolidge Writing Fellowship, CrossCurrents Foundation Summer Research Colloquium, New York City
- 2017 Ruth Benedict Prize, awarded by the Association for Queer Anthropology for *The Look of a Woman*, the year's outstanding anthropological monograph on a lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or queer topic
- 2017 University of Arizona LGBTQ Student Affairs Fabulous Faculty Award
- 2015 Golden Apple Award Nominee (University of Michigan's student nominated award for outstanding university teaching)

AWARDS & HONORS (cont)

- 2012-2015 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Michigan Society of Fellows
- 2011 Kenneth W. Payne Prize, Association for Queer Anthropology, American Anthropological Association
- 2008 Ford Foundation Pre-Dissertation Fellowship, Honorable Mention
- 2007 Jacob K. Javits Fellowship, Commended Scholar

RESEARCH GRANTS & FUNDING

- 2017 University of Arizona Provost's Author Support Award
- 2016 Faculty Stipend Award, University of Arizona, SBS Dean of Curriculum, Instruction, and Student Engagement
- 2015-2016 University of Arizona Transgender Studies Initiative Faculty Research Grant
- 2012-2015 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Michigan Society of Fellows
- 2013 Faculty Seed Grant, University of Michigan Institute for Research on Women and Gender (to fund preliminary field research in Ghent, Belgium)
- 2011 Dissertation Year Fellowship, UC Berkeley Center for the Study of Sexual Cultures
- 2011 Dissertation Fieldwork Grant, The Wenner-Gren Foundation
- 2010 University of California Regents Fellowship
- 2010 Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, UC Berkeley
- 2009 Dissertation Research Grant, UC Berkeley Center for the Study of Sexual Cultures
- 2008 Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowship: Spanish

INVITED LECTURES

- 2019 Colgate University. Hamilton, NY
Surgery Without Surgeons: how clinical gaps shape trans- embodiment.
Invited by the Women's Studies Program.
- 2019 Pennsylvania State University. State College, PA
Surgery Without Surgeons: how clinical gaps shape trans- embodiment.
Invited by the Gender and Sex Equity Initiative at the Rock Ethics
Institute.
- 2017 Duke University. Durham, NC
Good Trans- Medicine: The Aims and Institutions of an Expanding
American Specialty. Invited by the program in Gender, Sexuality, and
Feminist Studies.
- 2017 Duke University, College of Medicine. Durham, NC
The Next Generation of Trans- Health Clinics. Invited by the Department
of Endocrinology.
- 2017 Butler University. Indianapolis, IN
The Look of a Woman: Facial Feminization Surgery and the Aims of
Trans- Medicine. Invited by the Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies
Program.
- 2017 DePauw University. Greencastle, IN
Facial Feminization Surgery and the Changing Aims of Trans- Medicine.
Invited by the Department of Women's Studies.
- 2016 University of Utah, College of Medicine. Salt Lake City, UT
Grand Rounds Presentation. The Past and Future of Transgender Medicine
and Surgery. Invited by the Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology.
- 2015 University of Arizona, College of Medicine. Tucson, AZ
Trans- Medicine in America: Past, Present and Potential Futures. Invited
by MedPride.
- 2015 University of Michigan, College of Medicine. Ann Arbor, MI
Trans- Healthcare in America. Invited by OUT MD.
- 2014 University of Copenhagen. Denmark
Did the Operation Work? Measuring Outcomes of Surgical Sex
Reassignment. Invited by the Centre for Medical Science and Technology
Studies.

INVITED LECTURES (cont)

- 2014 University of California Berkeley. Berkeley, CA
Trans- Surgery Matters. Transgender Studies Matters Symposium. Invited
by the Center for Race and Gender and the Haas Diversity Initiative.
- 2013 Pacific University, Portland, OR
Making the Gendered Face. Invited by the Anthropology Department.

CONSULTATION

- 2018 Central Florida College of Medicine. Consulted on development of
clinical skills curriculum for transgender medicine

TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 Access to Surgery Without Surgeons: The gap in US trans- surgical
capacity and what happens next. Institute for LGBT Studies. Deep Dish
Series. University of Arizona.
- 2017 Con/Di-vergent Queeries? The histories of North American and European
Queer Anthropology. Roundtable Participant. American Anthropological
Association Annual Meeting. Washington, DC.
- 2017 Standards and Strategies in Facial Feminization Surgery. The Berkshire
Conference on the History of Women, Genders and Sexualities. Hofstra
University. Long Island, NY.
- 2016 Temporalities of Surgical Feminization. American Anthropological
Association Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN.
- 2016 Access to What? Accounting for Variation in Trans- Surgical Practice.
Transgender Studies Conference. Tucson, AZ.
- 2016 Demands on the Institution: Activist Pressure for Expanded Services in
Trans- Medicine. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting.
Seattle, WA.
- 2016 Contested Authority: epistemic claims to transgender surgical outcomes.
Medical Knowledge in a Social World. Medical Humanities Initiative,
University of California, Irvine. Irvine, CA.
- 2016 Technologies for Recognition. Gender, Bodies and Technology
Conference. Virginia Tech. Roanoke, VA.

TALKS & PRESENTATIONS (cont)

- 2016 Trans- Medicine and the Surgical Question. Deep Dish. University of Arizona, Institute for LGBT Studies. Tucson, AZ.
- 2015 Moderator. Panel on “Trans: Bodies and Histories.” New Articulations/ New Translations: Feminist Research Activism. Institute for Research on Women and Gender. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2014 Bodies Unknown: Negotiating Forms in the Practice of Genital Sex Reassignment Surgery. Interruptions: Sciences, Feminisms, Knowledges Conference. UC Berkeley Center for Science, Technology Medicine and Society. Berkeley, CA.
- 2014 To Build a Better Vulva: Knowledge and Practice in American Sex Reassignment Surgery. Lesbian, Gay, Queer Research Initiative Colloquium Series. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2013 Physical Anthropology in the Queer Present. AQA Invited Roundtable: Queer Routes in Anthropology. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Chicago, IL.
- 2013 The Operation as Event: Temporalities of Surgical Transformation. Anthro-History Symposium: What is an Event? Comparing Perspectives from Anthropology and History. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2013 Discussant. Michigan Graduate Student Association. Four Field Conference. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2012 The Sciences of Facial Feminization Surgery. Science, Technology, Medicine and Society Colloquium. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2012 Discussant. Queer Science: Feminist Science Studies program. Papers by Paul Vasey and Jennifer Terry. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2012 The Operating Room. The Socio-Cultural Workshop. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2012 The Compulsion and Compassion of Trans- Surgery. Trans/Formations: Ethics and Politics of Trans- Medicine and Healthcare. UC Berkeley. Berkeley, CA.
- 2011 Of Bones and Other Materials: Facial Feminization Surgery and the Location of Sex. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Montreal, Quebec.

TALKS & PRESENTATIONS (cont)

- 2011 Anticipation and (Un)Certainty: The Promise of Surgical Embodiment. The Reinvention of Time: Articulations of the Scientific Future in the Past and Present. UC Berkeley. Berkeley, CA.
- 2011 Genital Form, Genital Function. Medicalization of Sex Conference. Simon Fraser University. Victoria, British Columbia.
- 2011 It Is As It Does: Genital Form and Function. Gender Symposium. Lewis and Clark College. Portland, OR.
- 2010 The Look of a Woman: constructions of femininity. UC Berkeley Center for Race & Gender. Berkeley, CA.
- 2010 From the Bone Room to the Operating Room: techniques of building a feminine face. UC Berkeley Science Technology and Society Center. Berkeley, CA.
- 2009 Surgical Compassion: The Mark on the Market and the Ethics of Mercy. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. San Francisco, CA.
- 2008 Look Natural! Surgical Imaginations of the Social Body. Annual Meeting of the Society for Cultural Anthropology. Long Beach, CA.
- 2008 Genitals as Technologies. New Directions in Scholarship: Science/Gender/Race/Nation. UC Berkeley. Berkeley, CA.

VIRTUAL & GUEST LECTURES

- 2018 Book discussion in Queer Ethnography
Princeton University
- 2018 Book discussion in Queer Ethnographies
Amherst College
- 2018 Book discussion in Gender Across Ethnography and Archive
Bowdoin College
- 2018 Biopolitics and Surveillance of Transgender Americans in Queering
Education
Colgate University
- 2017 Book discussion in Medical Anthropology
University of Texas, San Antonio

VIRTUAL & GUEST LECTURES (cont)

2014 Techniques of Gender. Theory and Practice in Medical Anthropology.
University of California, Berkeley

EVENTS & PRESENTATIONS ORGANIZED

2016-17 Coordinator, Transgender Studies Colloquium Series, Institute for LGBT Studies, University of Arizona

2016 Steering Committee Member and Program Chair, Trans*Studies: An International Transdisciplinary Conference. University of Arizona.

2012 Co-organizer. Conference: “What’s New About ‘New Materialisms?’” Two-day event. Sponsored by the Science, Technology and Society Center. UC Berkeley.

2012 Organizer. Event: “Trans/Formations: Ethics and Politics of Trans-Medicine and Healthcare.” Co-sponsored by Berkeley Center for the Study of Sexual Cultures; Center for Science, Medicine, Technology and Society. UC Berkeley.

2011 Co-convener. Panel: In Epistemic Cultures: Tracing Novelty Through Distinctions. Annual Meeting of AAA.

COURSES TAUGHT

GRADUATE COURSES

Sex, Gender, Science, Medicine	Arizona
Anthropology of the Body, Health, and Illness	Arizona
Ethnography in Clinical & Community Contexts	Arizona

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Bodies in Medicine	Arizona
Anthropology of Gender and Sexuality	Arizona
Introduction to Medical Anthropology	Arizona
Many Ways of Being Human	Arizona
Independent Study: Kinship and Biology	Arizona
Critical Theory in Medicine and Healing	Michigan
The Surgical Body	Michigan
The Problem of Sexuality	Michigan

COURSES TAUGHT (cont)

Third Sex, Transsex, No Sex: Readings in Gender Variety Berkeley
Anthropology of Gender Berkeley

ADDITIONAL TEACHING ACTIVITY

2018 Member, University of Arizona Faculty Learning Community
2017 Invited to design and facilitate faculty workshops on “teaching transgender” for Butler University, Indianapolis, IN
2013 Research Mentor, Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program, University of Michigan (2013-15)

GRADUATE STUDENT SUPERVISION

Paula Martin Dissertation Committee Outside Member, Human Development University of Chicago
Cleiton Vieira Supervisor, Anthropology
CAPES Foundation Visiting Fellow
Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Norte
Austin Duncan Diss Committee Co-Chair (with Monica Casper), Anthropology University of Arizona
Will Roberston Diss Committee Co-chair (w/Susan Shaw, U Mass), Anthropology Comps Committee Member University of Arizona
Mel Ferrara MA Adviser, Gender & Women’s Studies Comps & Dissertation Committee Member University of Arizona
Scott Bradford Comps Committee Member, Gender & Women’s Studies University of Arizona
Saffo Papantonopoulou Comps Committee Member, Anthropology University of Arizona

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

2018 Featured in “The Story of a Face,” *The New Yorker*. By Rebecca Mead. March 19

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT (cont)

- 2018 Facilitator, Trans Studies Reading Group, Tucson, AZ
- 2018 Quoted in futurism, “Reproductive Tech Will Let Future Humans Inhabit the Body They Truly Want,” January 9 (futurism.com)
- 2017 Quoted in WBUR Boston Common Health, “Facial Surgery Could Transform Tami—and Transgender Medicine,” November 29. Audio on Boston NPR affiliate WBUR (90.9 FM)
- 2017 Panelist on GLBT Issues at the Tucson Federal Prison for the University of Arizona Office of Diversity & Inclusion
- 2016 Quoted in *Arizona Daily Star*, “Tucson building reputation as a good place for transgender patients,” November 9
- 2016 Quoted in *Chronicle of Higher Education*, “Amid Heightened Interest, Transgender Studies Weighs Newfound Influence,” September 9
- 2016 Quoted in *Inside Higher Education*, “A Push for Transgender Studies,” June 22
- 2016 Featured on “The Show” on Phoenix NPR Affiliate KJZZ, an interview to discuss the Transgender Studies Conference, September 8
- 2016 Featured in Arizona Public Media (89.1 FM) coverage of the Transgender Studies Conference, September 7
- 2016 Quoted in *TIME Magazine*, “What Science Says About the Bathroom Debate,” May 19
- 2016 Quoted in *Arizona Sonora News*, “Transgender teens face obstacles accessing health care,” February 25
- 2015 Guest speaker at The Loft Cinema (Tucson, AZ), Q&A following Do I Sound Gay? August 19
- 2015 Quoted in *The Guardian*, “Lives Transformed: Do Famous Transgender People Help the Cause?” August 23
- 2015 Research Support, ABC News, “Diane Sawyer,” in preparation for “Bruce Jenner: the interview”

SERVICE

TO THE COLLEGE

- 2015-2018 Steering Committee, Transgender Studies Initiative. Institute for LGBT Studies, University of Arizona
- 2015 Evaluation Committee, ProQuest Distinguished Dissertation Competition, University of Michigan
- 2014 Seed Grant Review Committee, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, University of Michigan
- 2011-2012 Chancellor's Advisory Committee on the LGBT Community at Cal, UC Berkeley

TO THE SCHOOL/DEPARTMENT

- 2017- Director, Medical Anthropology Concentration & Certificate Program
University of Arizona
- 2018 Member, School of Anthropology Director's Five-Year Review
Committee
- 2017-2018 Graduate Fellowships Committee
TA Selection Committee
- 2016-2017 Curriculum Committee
Graduate Fellowships Committee
- 2015-2016 Scholarships and Awards Committee
- 2013-2014 Socio-Cultural Colloquium Committee, University of Michigan
- 2012-2014 New Fellows Application Review, University of Michigan Society of
Fellows

TO THE PROFESSION

- 2018 Member, Program Committee, Gay and Lesbian Medical Association
Annual Conference
- 2017-2018 Member, Executive Program Committee, AAA Annual Meeting
- 2016-2018 Secretary, Association for Queer Anthropology, AAA

SERVICE (cont)

2015 Member, Program Committee, Association for Queer Anthropology, AAA
Annual Meeting

Book Manuscript Reviewer
New York University Press
University of California Press

Article Manuscript Reviewer
American Anthropologist
Catalyst
Cultural Anthropology
Culture, Medicine & Psychiatry
Oxford Bibliographies
Public Culture
Social Studies of Science
TSQ Transgender Studies Quarterly*

LANGUAGE

English (native), Spanish (proficient: speaking and reading)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Studies Association
American Sociological Association
American Anthropological Association
Association for Queer Anthropology
Society for Medical Anthropology
Society for Cultural Anthropology