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### Education

Ph.D. in English Literature, University at Buffalo  
May 2019 (expected)

M.A. in English Literature, University of North Texas  
May 2014

B.A. in English Literature and Philosophy, *magna cum laude*,  
University of North Texas  
May 2011

### Presentations

“The Limits of Self-Authorship in Joyce’s *A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man*,” *Anniversary Joyce XXV International James Joyce Symposium*, 2016

“Split Objects: Melanie Klein’s Projective Identification in Marianne Moore’s Modernist Poetics,” *American Comparative Literature Association Annual Meeting*, Harvard University, 2016

“Joyce’s ‘moral history’ of Ireland: Two Modes of Paralysis and Variant Epiphanies,” *American Conference for Irish Studies West Conference*, 2013

“The Limits to the Instrumental Use of Politics and Aesthetics: Walter Benjamin’s ‘The Work of Art in the Age of Mechanical Reproduction,’” *American Comparative Literature Association Annual Meeting*, Brown University, 2012

### Service

Recruitment/Hosting/Entertainment Committee, *English Graduate Student Association*, 2015-2016

GSA Senator, *English Graduate Student Association*, 2015

Scheduling Fellow, *NeMLA*, University at Buffalo, 2014

Library Advisory Committee, *English Graduate Student Association (EGSA)*, University at Buffalo, 2014-2015

Photographer, *UNT Global Studies Faculty Seminar: Visiting Speaker Series with Dr. Walter Mignolo*, University of North Texas, 2014

Moderator, *Texas National McNair Scholars Research Conference*,  
University of North Texas, 2012-2014

Panel Chair, *Graduate Students in English Association at University of North Texas: Critical Voices Conference*, University of North Texas, 2013

Graphic Designer, *Kraken Reading Series*, 2012-2014

Historian, Sigma Tau Delta, University of North Texas, 2011-2012

## **Teaching Experience**

*Course Instruction (University at Buffalo)*

- English 201: Writing II, Spring 2016
- English 201: Writing II, Fall 2015
- English 201: Writing II, Spring 2015
- English 101: Writing I, Fall 2014

*Course Instruction (University of North Texas)*

- English 1320: College Writing II, Spring 2014
- English 1310: College Writing I, Fall 2013
- Technical Communication 1200: Developmental Writing, Fall 2013
- English 1310: College Writing I, Spring 2013
- English 1310: College Writing I, Fall 2012

*Tutoring*

- University of North Texas Writing Lab, 2010-2014

## **Copyediting and Indexing**

Copyeditor, *Pakistaniaat: A Journal of Pakistan Studies*, 2011-2014

Contributing Indexer, *The Companionship of Books: Essays in Honor of Laurence Berns*, 2012

Contributing Copyeditor, *Purlieu: A Philosophical Journal*, Spring 2011

Copyeditor, *Purlieu: A Philosophical Journal*, Fall 2010

## **Research Experience**

Research Assistant: *Invisible Reality: American Modernism and the Science of Belief*, Dr. Stephanie Hawkins, University of North Texas Department of English, January 2012-May 2012

## **Languages**

German, intermediate reading knowledge