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EDUCATION

University of Washington <i>PhD Candidate, Jackson School of International Studies</i>	2014-Present
University of Wisconsin-Madison <i>Master of Arts, Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Program</i> <i>Thesis: "Non-Indigenous Use of Quechua and Identity in Peru: A Case Study of Yanama Migrants From the Early 1900's to Today."</i>	2008
Western Washington University <i>Bachelor of Arts, Spanish Language</i>	2005

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Inter-American Foundation Grassroots Development Fellowship <i>Inter-American Foundation</i>	2016-2017
Graduate School Fund for Excellence & Innovation Travel Grant <i>University of Washington – Graduate School</i>	2016
Clean Energy Institute Travel Grant <i>University of Washington – Clean Energy Institute</i>	2016
Clean Energy Institute Fellowship <i>University of Washington – Clean Energy Institute</i>	2015-2016
Graduate Fellow in Environmental Politics and Governance <i>University of Washington – Center for Environmental Politics</i>	2014-2016
Chester Fritz Fellowship for International Research <i>University of Washington – Graduate School</i>	2015
Graduate Fellowship <i>University of Washington – Graduate School</i>	2014-2015
Tinker-Nave Field Research Grant <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2007
Foreign Language and Area Studies [FLAS] Fellowship for Quechua <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007

TEACHING

Pre-doctoral Instructor <i>University of Washington – Jackson School of International Studies</i>	2016
• State Development & the Politics of Exclusion in Latin America – JSIS 480	Spring
Pre-doctoral Instructor <i>University of Washington – Jackson School of International Studies</i>	2016
• State Society Relations in Third World Countries – JSIS 310	Summer

PUBLICATIONS

Review of Nestor García Canclini, <i>Imagined Globalization</i>. Durham: Duke University Press, <i>AmeriQuests Volume 12, Number 1</i>	2014. 2015
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AREA STUDIES COURSES

Politics of Exclusion in Latin America Literature Review – JSIS 600 <i>University of Washington</i>	2016 <i>Winter</i>
Latin American Development Literature Review – JSIS 600 <i>University of Washington</i>	2015 <i>Fall</i>
Introduction to Area Studies – JSIS 594 <i>University of Washington</i>	2014 <i>Fall</i>
Public Goods Provision in Developing Countries – JSIS 600 <i>University of Washington</i>	2014 <i>Fall</i>
Intermediate Quechua – ANTHRO 363 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2007-2008 <i>Fall</i>
Quechua Language Ideologies in Post-Colonial Peru – ANTHRO 699 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2007-2008 <i>Fall</i>
Elementary Quechua – ANTHRO 362 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007 <i>Spring</i>
Research Seminar in Latin American History – HISTORY 829 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007 <i>Spring</i>
Native-State Relations in Latin America – HISTORY 982 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007 <i>Fall</i>
Elementary Quechua – ANTHRO 361 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007 <i>Fall</i>
Peoples of the Andes Today – ANTHRO 327 <i>University of Wisconsin-Madison</i>	2006-2007 <i>Fall</i>

Film as History: Latin America & Cuba – HIST 364 <i>Western Washington University</i>	2005 <i>Spring</i>
Socioeconomics of Peru's Andes – ANTH 400 <i>Western Washington University</i>	2005 <i>Spring</i>
Peoples of Latin America – ANTH 365 <i>Western Washington University</i>	2004 <i>Fall</i>
Survey of Latin American Literature – SPAN 352 <i>Western Washington University</i>	2004 <i>Fall</i>

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH

Pre-Dissertation Field Research – Peru <i>Chester Fritz Fellowship for International Research</i>	2015 <i>Summer</i>
MA Thesis Field Research – Peru <i>Tinker-Nave Field Research Grant</i>	2007 <i>Summer</i>
Undergraduate Field Research – Cuba <i>Western Washington University</i>	2003 <i>Summer</i>

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

NuSol Capacity Fund, 501 (c)(3) <i>Co-Founder & Director of International Relations and Communications</i>	2009-2013 <i>Seattle, WA</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-founded and managed nonprofit organization that installs renewable energy systems in communities without access to electricity in rural Peru. • Evaluated and selected partner communities and facilitated meetings with authorities and residents. • Drafted project contracts with international partnering organizations and local communities. • Oversaw installation of photovoltaic systems in coordination with lead engineer, community residents and local government and NGO partners. • Designed and moderated capacity building workshops with partnering communities. • Conducted on-the-ground monitoring and evaluation efforts and created impact assessments. • Translated technical manuals for photovoltaic system operation and maintenance into Spanish. • Led grant-writing efforts, created print/digital fundraising material and managed fundraising events. • Performed administrative duties including contact relationship management via Salesforce and Vertical Response. • Produced and managed website content and social media presence. • Coordinated and oversaw graduate-level interns. 	
Accelingua GmbH <i>Business English and Spanish Trainer</i>	2008-2009 <i>Berlin, Germany</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instructed corporate employees on business terminology, with an emphasis on verbal communication, in both English and Spanish. 	
ABC-Global GmbH <i>Freelance Translator</i>	2008-2009 <i>Berlin, Germany</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translated legal documents and business presentations from Spanish to English and English to Spanish. 	

CONFERENCES PAPERS

“Sustainable energy & predatory states?: Explaining Peruvian energy policies in the Andes,” 2016
Forthcoming paper to be presented at session: Energy Policy in Latin America I: Renewable Energy and Its Limits, Perspectives from Cuba, Brazil and the Andes.
Latin American Studies Association Conference

“Desde el río hasta la montaña: Hacendados to urban migrants,” 2007
Paper presented at the Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Graduate Student Conference
University of Wisconsin-Madison Language Institute

PRESENTATIONS

“Rural Solar Energy in Peru: Technical Sustainability vs. Social Development” 2015
Presentation given for ‘Energy Future: The Technical & Social Barriers to Large-Scale Sustainable Energy’ course
University of Washington

“Evaluation of Rural Solar Energy Projects” 2015
Presentation given for ‘Understanding Global Poverty: Causes and Solutions’ course
Seattle University

“The Challenges of Off-Grid Solar Energy in Peru” 2013
Presentation given for ‘Understanding Global Poverty: Causes and Solutions’ course
Seattle University

“The Inka’s World Through the Inka Language,” 2007
Presentation given at the University of Wisconsin-Madison World Language Day
University of Wisconsin-Madison Language Institute

ACADEMIC HONORS

Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society 2000-2005

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

Spanish – Fluent

Quechua – Basic