

CURRICULUM VITAE
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PERSONAL DATA

ADDRESSES

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EDUCATION

M.P.H.	Epidemiology and Biostatistics Department of Public Health and Preventive Medicine Thesis: The Historical Emergence of 'Social Mission' in Non-profit Health Care Organizations: the case of Kaiser Permanente in the Northwest, 1945-1959. Advisor: Merwyn Greenlick	Oregon Health & Sciences University	2001
Ph.D.	Middle East Studies Dissertation: Healing the Land and the Nation: Malaria and the Zionist project in Mandate Palestine, 1920-1947. Dissertation Advisor: Zachary Lockman	New York University	1999
M.A.	Middle East Studies Thesis: Different Meanings of the Veil: A Comparison of Contemporary Iran and Egypt.	New York University	1992
B.A.	Religion	Emory University	1990

LANGUAGES

Highly Proficient in Hebrew and Arabic.
Reading knowledge of German and French.

Faculty Language Immersion Program: University of Illinois at Chicago Spanish Summer: Six Week Intensive Language Program.	2006
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APPOINTMENTS

University of Illinois at Chicago

Associate Professor (75% appointment), Health Humanities and History Department of Medical Education (DME)	2008-
Associate Professor (25% appointment), Disability Studies Department of Disability and Human Development (DHD)	2008-
Assistant Professor, Medical Humanities and History Department of Medical Education (DME)	2002-8
Assistant Professor (0% joint appointment), Disability Studies Department of Disability and Human Development (DHD)	2002-8
Affiliated Assistant/Associate Professor (0% appointment), History Department of History	2003-

Rutgers University

Postdoctoral Fellow/Instructor, Department of History Center for Historical Analysis	2001-2
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Oregon Health Sciences University

Postdoctoral Fellow/Instructor, Department of Public Health and Preventive Medicine	1999-
2001	

Portland State University

Adjunct Professor, Department of History	2001
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New York University

Teaching Assistant, Department of Middle East Studies	1997-8
Discussion Leader, School of Humanities	1998

Hunter College

Co-adjunct lecturer, Department of Religion	1995
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NON-UNIVERSITY APPOINTMENTS

North Shore Congregation Israel

Scholar in Residence, Adult Education course Social Conflicts in and over Palestine/Israel	2005
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All Learn Online Education

Online Instructor. Adult Education for alumni of Oxford University, Stanford University, Yale University. History of the Israel/Palestine Conflict	2003-5 (summers)
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Foundation for Medical Excellence

Instructor, CME course on History of Medicine. Portland, OR	2001
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FELLOWSHIPS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

2015	Faculty Scholarship Support Fund. UIC.
2012-2013	Institute for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship. University of Illinois -Chicago
2012	National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Stipend. June-August.
2010	Faculty Support Award. University of Illinois-Chicago.
2009	Faculty Support Award. University of Illinois-Chicago.

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- 2006 Book subvention grant for University of Chicago Press. *Healing the Land and the Nation: Malaria and the Zionist project in Mandatory Palestine, 1920-1947*. Littauer Foundation.
- 2004-5 Book completion grant. *Healing the Land and the Nation: Malaria and the Zionist project in Mandatory Palestine, 1920-1947*. Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture.
- 2003-4 Fellowship for University Professors. National Endowment for the Humanities and Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.
- 2001-2 Postdoctoral Fellowship. Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis.
- 2001-3 Short term fellowship. Francis Clark Wood Institute for the History of Medicine of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia.
- 2000-1 Tartar Trust Research Fellowship. Oregon Health & Sciences University.
- 2000 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute in Disability Studies
- 1999-2001 Oregon Health & Sciences University/Center for Health Research. Academic and Applied Health Services Research Postdoctoral Training Fellowship. Sponsored by the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research of the US Department of Health and Human Services.
- 1998-9 Dean's Dissertation Write-Up Fellowship. New York University.
- 1998-9 Women's Health Grant. Woodrow Wilson National Foundation.
- 1998-9 Erna Wolff Memorial Scholarship. Renewal.
- 1998-9 Erna Wolff Memorial Scholarship. Jewish Endowment Foundation of New Orleans.
- 1997-8 Preceptor-Morse Academic Program. New York University. World Cultures section of Morse Academic Core Curriculum Program.
- 1997-7 Fulbright Hays Dissertation Fellowship.
- 1996-7 Social Science Research Council, Dissertation Fellowship.
- 1996-7 Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture Dissertation Fellowship.
- 1995-6 Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowship for Dissertation Research. New York University.
- 1995-6 New York University Summer Fellowship for Dissertation Research.
- 1995-6 New York University Tuition Fellowship for Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

HONORS

- 2016 Keynote Speaker. International Standing Conference on the History of Education.
- 2014 Council for Excellence in Teaching and Learning University Teaching Award. UIC.
- 2012-13 Institute for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship. UIC.
- 2010 Nominee. Faculty of the Year Award. Honors College. UIC.
- 1995-6 Outstanding woman of the Graduate School for Arts and Sciences. New York University.
- 1995 and 1992 New York University's President's Service Award for Programming.

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

- SUFIAN, Sandy. *Familial Fitness: Disability, Family and Adoption in Modern America*. In progress.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. *Healing the Land and the Nation: Malaria and the Zionist project in Mandatory Palestine, 1920-1947*. University of Chicago Press. December 2007.
- SUFIAN, Sandy and LeVINE, Mark, Editors. *Reapproaching Borders: New Perspectives on Israel and Palestine*. Rowman and Littlefield. September 2007.
- Section Editor. Theories, Models, Classifications and History. (19 entries) *Disability in American Life: An Encyclopedia of Policies, Concepts, and Controversies*. T. Heller, S. Parker Harris, C. Gill, and R. Gould, eds. (forthcoming, 2017) Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO.

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Journals

- SUFIAN, Sandy. "As Long as Parents Can Accept Them: Medical Disclosure, Risk and Disability in Twentieth Century American Adoption Practice." *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*. March 2017.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Compounded Anxieties: Adoptive Family Building and the Role of Disability in Adoption IQ Studies." *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth*. 7(3): Fall 2014, 398-429.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Anatomy of the 1936-1939 Revolt: Images of the Body in Political Cartoons of Mandatory Palestine." *Journal of Palestine Studies*. Vol. 37, No. 2. Winter 2008, 23-42.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "A Nation in Need of Healing: Disabled Jews and the Zionist Project." *Disability Studies Quarterly* Special Volume on Disability in Palestine/Israel. Vol. 27, No. 4. Fall 2007. http://www.dsqu-sds.org/_articles_html/2007/fall/dsq_v27_04_2007_fall_st_01_sufian.html.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Colonial Malariology: Medical Borders and Sharing of Scientific Knowledge in Mandatory Palestine." *Science in Context*. Vol. 19, No. 3. Fall 2006, 381-400.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Re-imagining Palestine: Scientific Knowledge and Malaria Control in Mandatory Palestine." *Dynamis: Acta Hispanica ad Medicinam Scientiarumque Historiam Illustrandam*. Special Volume: Health in Palestine and the Middle Eastern Context. Eds. Iris Borowy and Nadav Davidovitch. Volume 25 (2005). 351-382.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "A Neglected Problem in a Contested Region: HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa A Primer." *Middle East Report*. Winter 34(4): 2004, 6-9. Reprinted in Spanish: "El SIDA en Oriente Medio y Norte de Africa: Comienzo." *CSCAweb*. March 9, 2005.

Chapters

- SUFIAN, Sandy. "How much to tell? Social Workers Need to Place vs. Informed Consent in Adoption." *Adoption and Disability*. Marina Fedosik and Emily Hipchen, eds. Accepted.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Healing Jerusalem: Colonial Medicine and Arab Health from World War I to al-Nakba" in *Jerusalem Interrupted: Modernity and Colonial Transformation 1917-present*. Lena Jayyusi, ed. Interlink Publishing, 2015.

- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Toward an Interdisciplinary Agenda for Research on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa: New Directions for the Age of Globalization." *HIV/AIDS: Global Frontiers in Prevention/Intervention*. Renée White, Ph.D. and Cynthia Pope, Ph.D., Robert Malow Ph.D. Routledge Press. 2009: 523-538.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Defining National Medical Borders: Medical Terminology and the Making of Hebrew Medicine." in Sandy Sufian, Sandy and Mark LeVine, Mark, Editors. *Reapproaching Borders: New Perspectives on Israel and Palestine*. Rowman and Littlefield. September 2007: 97-120.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Legacy of the Past: An Introduction to the History of Palestinian Arab Health Care during the British Mandate of Palestine, 1920-1948" in *Separate and Cooperate, Cooperate and Separate: The Disengagement of the Palestinian Health Care System from Israel and its Emergence as an Independent System*. Tamara Barnea and Rafiq Husseini, eds. Joint Distribution Committee-Brookdale Institute/JDC-Israel and Palestine Academy of Science and Technology. Praeger /Greenwood Publishing Group. June 2002:9-30.
- SUFIAN, Sandy and SHVARTS, Shifra. "Mission of Mercy: American Jewish Medical Relief to Palestine during World War I" in *Proceedings of European Association for Jewish Studies Conference, Toledo 1998: Jewish Studies at the Turn of the 20th Century Volume II: Judaism from the Renaissance to Modern Times*. Judit Targarona Borrás and Angel Saenz-Badillos, eds. New York: E.J. Brill, 1999:389-398.

ENCYCLOPEDIA ARTICLES

- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Disability and Women in the Middle East." *Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*. Bonnie G. Smith, Editor. Oxford University Press: Oxford. December 2007.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Disability, the Middle East and the Rise of Islam" *Encyclopedia of Disability*. David Mitchell and Sharon Snyder, editors. London: Sage Publications, 2006: 1092-1096.

BOOK REVIEWS

- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Review of Sara Scalenghe. Disability in the Ottoman Arab World, 1500-1800." *International Journal of Middle East Studies*. 47: 3 (August 2015) 623-624.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Review of Miri Shefer-Mossensohn. Ottoman Medicine: Healing and Medical Institutions, 1500-1700." *Review of Middle East Studies*. 45:1 (Summer 2011) 136-138.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Review of Shifra Shvarts. Health and Zionism." *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*. 84:1 (Spring 2010) 149-151.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "Review of Nahum Karlinksy. California Dreaming: Ideology, Society, and Technology in the Citrus Industry of Palestine, 1890-1939." *Shofar: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Jewish Studies*. 26:4 (Summer 2008): 172-174.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. Review of Mira M. Sucharov. "The International Self: Psychoanalysis and the Search For Israeli-Palestinian Peace." *International Journal of Middle East Studies*. Volume 38:4 (November 2006): 610-612.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. Review of Alon Tal. "Pollution in a Promised Land." *Journal of Palestine Studies*. 34:2 (Winter 2005) 130-131.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. Review of Shifra Shvarts. "Workers Health Fund in Eretz Israel: Kupat Holim 1911-1937." *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*. 78:3 (Fall 2004) 735-738.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. Review of Douglas Haynes. "Imperial Medicine: Patrick Manson and the Conquest of Tropical Disease." *Journal of Science, Technology and Society*. 9:1 (2004) 155-159.

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- SUFIAN, Sandy and REMBIS, Michael. "From Disability History to Disability Accommodations: The Work and Findings of the AHA Task Force on Disability." *Perspectives in History*. Publication of the American Historical Association. October 2011.
- DOYLE, Debbie, JONES, Jacqueline and SUFIAN, Sandy. "Moving Forward: Disability and the AHA." *Perspectives in History*, October 2011.
- SUFIAN, S. and MADANI. (2007) 'Thematic Conversation: What Do We Know about Vulnerability to HIV and AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa?', *Middle East Studies Association Bulletin*, 41:1 (2007) 32-33.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "AIDS Prevention and Treatment in Various Middle Eastern Countries." *Oxford Analytica*. Global Strategic Analysis Online Scholarly Journal. www.oxan.com. January 2005.2 pages.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "HIV/AIDS Complacency Carries Heavy Costs." *Oxford Analytica*. Global Strategic Analysis online scholarly journal. www.oxan.com. September 2004. 2 pages.
- SUFIAN, Sandy. "HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa, a Primer." *Middle East Report*. 34 (Winter 2004).
- SUFIAN, Sandy. Excerpts from "Mapping the Marsh: Malaria and the Sharing of Medical Knowledge in Mandatory Palestine." *Newsletter of the Palestinian American Research Center (PARC)*. Spring 4:1 (2002) 9-10.

GRANTS

- Project Director The Human Story of Illness: Humanities Cases for Physicians in Training. National Endowment for the Humanities, Humanities Initiatives for Hispanic-Serving Institutions. National Endowment for the Humanities. Not funded; high scores. Will resubmit.
- Humanities Advisor *Electronic Vesalius* Transmedia Prototype Project for the NEH Digital Projects for the Public Program. Pending.
- Co-Investigator *Advancing reproductive health and wellness between patients with Cystic Fibrosis, their caregivers, healthcare providers and researchers*. Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI). Funded. ID#: 5140022, \$15,000. 08/01/2016-04/30/2017
The goal of this study is to form a CF patient-driven task force to address reproductive health-related concerns and to develop comparative effectiveness research questions related to reproductive life span care for CF patients.
- Consultant *Building a National Contraceptive Registry with Multiple Complex Medical Conditions: Improving Contraceptive Care for Women Through Engagement*. Society for Family Planning Fund. Funded. SFPRF10-II2, \$25,000. 07/15/2016-01/14/2017
The goal of this planning grant is to build a proof-of-concept contraceptive registry for women with cystic fibrosis, and with plans to add additional medical conditions.
- Advisory Board UIC (INTER) GDP: Interdisciplinary Internship Graduate Development Program, a Partnership between UIC and seven partner institutions. National Endowment for the Humanities. Not Funded.

PRESENTATIONS

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

“Educability, Disability and the Making of Family: the case of American Adoption.” International Standing Conference for the History of Education (ISCHE). Chicago, IL. August 2016.

INVITED PRESENTER

“Disability and the History of Adoption in America.” McMaster School of Medicine History of Medicine Series. March 2017.

“Risk, Disability and the History of Adoption in America.” University of California, Berkeley. April 2014.

“Risk, Love and Acceptance in American Adoption Practice, 1955-1980.” Guest Lecturer, Disability and Human Development Methods Course. Spring 2014.

“Disability and Adoption IQ Studies.” Klopsteg Science in Human Culture Klopsteg Lecture Series. Northwestern University. May 2011.

“Disability, Pathology and the Science of Adoption.” San Francisco State University. History Department and Institute on Disability. May 2011.

“Adoption Research: Pathologization, Disability and the Scientific Method.” Forum for Research on Law, Politics and the Humanities. University of Illinois-Chicago Institute for the Humanities. November 18, 2010.

“Anatomy of a Revolt: Body Images in Political Cartoons of the Arab Revolt 1936-1939.” Hektoen Institute Medical History Lecture Series. October 2008.

“Using Disease to Capture Complex Historical Relationships: the Case of Malaria and Settlement in Mandatory Palestine.” For Absent Spheres, Silent Voices: Recovering Untold Histories. Third Istanbul Workshop, the Institute for Advanced Studies at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Tel Aviv University, and Sabanci University in Istanbul. May 2007.

“The Nation as Caregiver: the Case of Malaria Education in Palestine.” Spring Colloquium on the History of Caregiving. Assuming Responsibility for the Sick: Global Perspectives. Barbara Bates Center for the History of Nursing University of Pennsylvania. April 2007.

“AIDS and Globalization: the case of the Middle East.” Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine. AIDS Awareness Week. March 2007.

“Vulnerability and AIDS in the Middle East.” History of Medicine Student Interest Group. University of Illinois School of Medicine at Chicago. August 2006.

“A General Overview of AIDS in the Middle East.” University of Illinois-Chicago Hillel Center. March 2006.

“Problems in Studying Infectious disease in Mandatory Palestine: the Case of Malaria.” Roundtable: Infectious Diseases. Science, Technology and Medicine in the Modern Middle East. Harvard University, May 5-6, 2006. Sponsored by the Center for Middle Eastern Studies at Harvard University and the Center for Middle Eastern and North African Studies at University of Michigan.

“Swamp Draining and the Absorptive Capacity of Mandatory Palestine.” Disease in Modern Society. Hebrew University of Jerusalem. December 2005.

- “AIDS: Issues and Solutions.” Honors College Seminar. New Jersey Institute of Technology. November 2005.
- “Cooperation and Contestation: Malaria and the Arab/Zionist Conflict.” New Jersey Institute of Technology and Rutgers-Newark Department of History. November 2005.
- “Public Health in Late Nineteenth and Early Twentieth Century Palestine.” Promising Cure Seminar series. UIC College of Medicine and International Museum of Surgical Science. Chicago, IL. March 9, 2004.
- “A Newly Established Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East North Africa Region (GMR-MENA): Meeting the Needs of a Neglected Region” UIC International Center on Responses to Catastrophes Fall Roundtable Lunches. Perspectives on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa, the Caribbean and Kosovo. December 17, 2003.
- “Malaria and Arab-Jewish Relations in Palestine.” Health and Healing in Islam Lecture Series. UCLA. Los Angeles, CA. November 20, 2003.
- “Cooperation and Contestation: Malaria and the Arab/Zionist Conflict.” Science in Human Culture Lecture Series. Northwestern University. Fall 2003.
- “Malaria Eradication and Scientific Knowledge in Mandatory Palestine.” SUNY Stony Brook School of Medicine. June 2003.
- “The Historical Emergence of Social Mission in Non-Profit Health Care Organizations: the Case of Kaiser Permanente in the Northwest, 1945-1959.” University of Rochester School of Medicine. May 2003.
- “Sharing Scientific Information between the British and the Zionists.” Brown Bag lecture. History Department. University of Illinois at Chicago. April 2003.
- “Arab-Jewish Relations, Malaria and Mandatory Palestine.” Department of History and Sociology of Science. University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. October 2001.
- “Pathological Landscape: Malaria and the Sanitization of the Land.” University of Pennsylvania’s Middle East Center’s monthly seminar. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. October 2001.
- “Cooperation and Contestation: Malaria and the Arab/Zionist Conflict.” Brown Bag Series. Center for Health Research. Portland, Oregon. September 1999.

PRESENTER

- “The Difference Between Waiting and Belonging: Children with Disabilities and Adoption toward the End of the Twentieth Century. Alliance for the Study of Adoption and Culture Conference. Minneapolis, MN. October 2016.
- “Using Health Humanities and Disability Studies to Teach Health Professionals about Disability.” Western Michigan University Medical Humanities Conference. September 2016.
- “Disability and the History of Adoption, 1955-1980.” Works in Progress. Department of Medical Education. UIC. March 2016.
- “The Imperfect Child: Disability and Adoption.” Society for the Study of Childhood in the Past. DePaul University. September 2015.
- “Potential Disability as a Barrier to Permanent Placement.” Society for the History of Childhood and Youth. Vancouver, June 2015.
- “How Families are Made: Physician Engagement in American Adoptive Practice.” Society for Disability Studies. Minneapolis, MN. June 2014.

- "Revisiting the Debate between Medical and Disability Historians." American Association of the History of Medicine. Chicago, IL. May 2014.
- "Taking the Same Risks as Other Parents: Adoptability and Disability in Postwar Adoption." Disabled Bodies, Healthy Families: Disability, Gender, and Family in Modern U.S. History Roundtable. Berkshire Conference of Women Historians. Toronto, Canada. May 2014.
- "Physician Input into Adoption Decisions and Practice." Alliance for the Study of Adoption and Culture Fifth International Conference. Florida State University. Tallahassee, FL. March 2014.
- "How Families are Made: Physician Engagement in American Adoptive Practice." American Association for the History of Medicine Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA. May 2013.
- "Risk, Love and Acceptance in American Adoption Practice, 1955-1980." Institute for the Humanities Fellow Lecture. April 2013.
- "Adoption and Disability: Who is Worthy of Family?" American Historical Association. Chicago, Illinois. January 2012.
- "Disability, Pathology and the Science of Adoption." Department of Medical Education Works in Progress Seminar. August 2011.
- "Disability and the Medicine of Adoption." American Association of the History of Medicine. Philadelphia, PA. April 2011.
- "Fundamentals of Treating People with Disabilities." Essentials of Clinical Medicine M2 Plenary Lecture. January 2011.
- "Anatomy of a Revolt: Body Images in Political Cartoons of the Arab Revolt 1936-1939." Disability History Conference. San Francisco State University. July 30-August 3, 2008.
- "Towards an Interdisciplinary Agenda for Research on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa: New Directions for the Age of Globalization." Paper session: Studying Disease and Death. Social Science and History Association. November 2007. Chicago, IL.
- "Potential Landscape: Swamp Drainage Projects and the Politics of Settlement." European Association for the History of Medicine and Health. September 2007. London, England.
- "Meeting the Needs of a Neglected Region: HIV/AIDS in the Middle East- Part III." Continued Thematic Conversation on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Organized and presented at the Middle East Studies Association. November 2006.
- "A Culture of Health: Malaria Education and the Zionist Project." On panel entitled: Britain's Moment in Palestine. Middle East Studies Association. November 2006.
- "Uncovering Data on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa: Status and Issues." International AIDS Conference-Toronto. Organized Satellite Meeting. Co-sponsored with UNAIDS. August 2006.
- "Meeting the Needs of a Neglected Region: HIV/AIDS in the Middle East- Part II." Continued Thematic Conversation on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Organized and presented at the Middle East Studies Association. November 2005.
- "Meeting the Needs of a Neglected Region: HIV/AIDS in the Middle East." Thematic Conversation on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Organized and presented at the Middle East Studies Association. November 2004.
- "Integrating Medical History into the History of Mandatory Palestine." Thematic Conversation on New Perspectives on Mandate Palestine. Presented at the Middle East Studies Association. November 2004.

- "HIV/AIDS in the Middle East: A Regional Research Agenda." Satellite Meeting entitled Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa Region. International AIDS Congress. Bangkok, Thailand. July 13, 2004.
- "Malaria, Medical Knowledge and the Medical Colonization of Mandatory Palestine." European Association for the History of Medicine. Oslo, Norway. September 2003.
- "Malaria in the Nexus between Technology, Politics and Culture: the Zionist Project in Mandatory Palestine." Newberry Library Seminar on Technology, Politics and Culture. Co-sponsored by University of Illinois at Chicago, Roosevelt University, Illinois Institute of Technology and Northwestern University. Chicago, Illinois. September 2002.
- "A Nation in Need of Healing: The Disabled Jew and the Zionist Project" American Historical Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, California. January 2002.
- "Duodenum or the Twelve Fingered Intestine? (me'l ben trisar etzbaot/trisaryan): Medical Terminology and the Making of Hebrew Medicine." Middle East Studies Association Meeting. San Francisco, CA. November 2001.
- "Mapping the Marsh: Colonial Knowledge, Scientific Information and Re-envisioning the Land." History Of Science Society Meeting. Denver, Colorado. November 2001.
- "Pathological Landscape: Malaria and the Sanitization of the Land." Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis Seminar entitled, "Industrial Environments: Creativity and Consequences." October 2001.
- "Colonial Discourse, Disability Studies and the Non-Western world." Society for Disability Studies Conference. Winnipeg, Canada. June 2001.
- "Integrating Medical Histories into the History of Mandatory Palestine." Association for Israel Studies Conference. Washington, DC. May 2001.
- "The Medical Colonization of Palestine." Oregon Academy of Sciences conference. Oregon Chapter of American Association for the Advancement of Science. University of Portland. Portland, Oregon. February 2001.
- "Mapping the Marsh: Exchange of Scientific Information between the British and the Zionists." Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association. Orlando, Florida. November 2000.
- "Representations of the Palestinian Arab Population in Zionist Anti-malaria Campaigns." Annual Meeting of the American Association of History of Medicine. New Brunswick, New Jersey, May 1999.
- "Malaria, Arab/Jewish Relations and the Transformation of Palestine." Part of panel entitled "Evolving Ideas about Environmental Health." Environmental History across Boundaries. Conference of The American Society for Environmental History. Tucson, Arizona. April 1999.
- "Obstacles and Partners: Malaria as a Field for Jewish/Arab Relations in Mandatory Palestine." The Uncertain State of Palestine: Futures of Research Conference. University of Chicago. February 1999.
- "Mission of Mercy and the Ship that Came too Late: American Medical Relief to Palestine in World War I." European Association for Jewish Studies Congress. Toledo, Spain. July 1998.
- "The Swamp-Draining Projects in Mandate Palestine, 1920-1948." Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association. Washington, D.C. November 1995.
- "Disciplining Bodies: Malaria and the Swamp-Draining Projects in Mandate Palestine, 1920-1948." Colloquium for the Intersection of the Arts and Sciences, New York University. New York, New York. March 1995.

"Brit Shalom and the Incorporation of the Other." Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association. Tucson, Arizona. November 1994.

"The Meanings of the Veil in Contemporary Iran." Reaching Back to the Future: Feminist Studies in the 1990's Conference. New York University. New York, New York. April 1992.

DISCUSSANT

Paper by Elizabeth Loentz. Jewish Women and Family Life. University of Illinois-Chicago. March 2009.

Paper by Robert Johnston. "The Politics of Vaccine Safety." Beyond Structure and Agency faculty seminar. January 24, 2005. University of Illinois at Chicago.

Panel on "Defining Racial Health: the Uses of Myth and Memory." The Politics of 'Racial Health': Myths, Maladies and the History of Policy. Rutgers University. Sponsored by the Institute for Health, Health Care Policy and Aging Research, Graduate Program in the History of Technology, Environment and Health and the Department of History Center for African Studies. New Brunswick, NJ. October 2001.

TEACHING AND EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Chicago

Academic Year 2016-2017

Core Faculty. Health Humanities Curriculum and Program Development	2016-17
Curriculum Development for History of Disability Undergraduate Major (DHD)	2016-17
Historical and Contemporary Public Health Issues (Epidemics module) School of Public Health (SPH)	Spring 2017
Dissertation Research-DHD (two students)	Fall 2016
Guest Teaching - three DHD courses	Fall 2016

Academic Year 2015-2016

Head Organizer: Health Humanities Program Development	2015- 2016
Historical and Contemporary Public Health Issues (Epidemics module;SPH)	Spring 2016
Analyzing Disability Histories Graduate Seminar (DHD 572)	Fall 2015
Dissertation Research- DHD	Fall 2015
Independent Study: Disability History-DHD	Fall 2015

Academic Year 2014-2015

Independent Study: Disability Legal History	Spring 2015
Historical and Contemporary Public Health Issues (Epidemics module-SPH)	Spring 2015
Analyzing Disability Histories Graduate Seminar (DHD 572) Department of Disability and Human Development	Fall 2014
Dissertation Research -DHD	Fall 2014
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2014

Summer 2014

Independent Study: Disability Legal History (DHD 596)	Summer 2014
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Academic Year 2013-2014

Analyzing Disability Histories Graduate Seminar (DHD 572)	Fall 2013
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Spring 2014

Independent Study DHD: Disability History and the Law (DHD 596)	Spring 2014
<u>Academic Year 2012-2013</u>	
Academic Fellowship-year	Fall-Spring
<u>Academic Year 2011-2012</u>	
History of Disability Graduate Seminar (DHD 572)	Fall 2011
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2011
Pursuit of Healing: Modern History of Medicine (ELEC 939)	Winter 2012
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	Winter 2012
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	
<u>Academic Year 2010-2011</u>	
ECM Treating Patients with Disabilities Seminar	Spring 2011
History of Disability Graduate Seminar (DHD 572)	Fall 2010
Department of Disability and Human Development	
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2010
Pursuit of Healing: Modern History of Medicine (ELEC 939)	Winter 2011
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	Winter 2011
<u>Academic Year 2009-2010</u>	
Academic Sabbatical	Fall 2009
Modified Leave (family/adoption leave) with no teaching	Winter 2010
<u>Academic Year 2008-2009</u>	
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	Winter 2009
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	
Disability and Culture Graduate Seminar (DHD 570)	Winter 2009
Department of Disability and Human Development	
Pursuit of Healing: Modern History of Medicine (ELEC 939)	Winter 2009
Independent Study: Readings in Disability History: Darwin Castillo	Winter 2009
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2008
<u>Academic Year 2007-2008</u>	
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	Winter 2008
Pursuit of Healing: Modern History of Medicine (ELEC 939)	Winter 2008
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954/MHUM 494)	Fall 2007
<u>Academic Year 2006-2007</u>	
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	Winter 2007
Independent Study: History of Jewish Immigration and Health (MHUM 496)	Winter 2007
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2006
International Health Leadership (MHPE 494/CME)	Summer 2006
<u>Academic Year 2005-2006</u>	
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)	
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)	Winter 2006
Special Topics: Issues in Global AIDS (ECM)	Winter 2006
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)	Fall 2005

Independent Study: History of Medicine in the Middle East (HON 222)		Fall 2005
<u>Academic Year 2004-2005</u>		
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)		
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)		Winter 2005
Special Topics: Issues in Global AIDS (ECM)		Winter 2005
Global Health Problems in Historical Perspective (ELEC 939)		Winter 2005
Independent Study: History of Infectious Disease (HON 222)		Winter 2005
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954)		Fall 2004
<u>Academic Year 2003-2004</u>		
NEH Fellowship Leave: Fellowship for University Professors, National Endowment for the Humanities and Agency For Healthcare Quality and Research		Fall 2003 Spring 2004
<u>Academic Year 2002-2003</u>		
Studying Disabilities in the Modern World (ELEC 954/MHUM 494)		Winter 2003
Special Topics: History of Medical Insurance in America (ECM)		Winter 2003
GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative)		
Honors History and Philosophy of Medicine (GAMD 200)		Winter 2003
Independent Study: Topics in History of Medicine/medical students (ELEC 939)		Winter 2003
Pursuit of Healing: Modern History of Medicine ELEC 939)		Fall 2002
<u>AllLearn Online Adult Education: Alumni of Stanford, Yale and Oxford Universities</u>		
History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict		Summers 2003- 2005
<u>Rutgers University</u>		
History of Disability in the Modern Era		Winter 2002
History of Infectious Disease in the Modern Era		Fall 2001
<u>Oregon Health Sciences University</u>		
History of Epidemiology		Winter 2001
History of Modern Medicine		Summer 2000
<u>Portland State University</u>		
Social Conflicts in and over Palestine/Israel		Summer 2001
<u>Foundation for Medical Excellence</u>		
CME: Issues in the History and Practice of Medicine		2001
<u>COMMITTEES</u>		
<u>University of Illinois at Chicago</u>		
<u>University</u>		
Executive Board Member	Chancellor's Committee on the Status of Persons with Disabilities	2014-2016
Member	Middle East Cluster Search Committee	2014-2015
Member	Disability Culture Advisory Committee Centers for Cultural Understanding and Social Change	2013-
Reviewer Panel	Researcher of the Year Award	2012

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Co-Organizer	Health and Society Working Group. Promotes scholarly exchange for faculty and graduate students at UIC and in the Chicago area who work on issues of health, medicine and disability. Institute for the Humanities.	2011-
Elected Member	Chancellor's Committee on the Status of Persons with Disabilities	2011-
Member	Curriculum and Instruction Diversity Committee College of Allied Sciences	2011
Member	Educational Committee, Honors College	2011
Speaker	Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and related Disabilities (LEND) Program, Institute on Disability and Human Development, UIC	2010
Member	Chancellor's Undergraduate Research Award program	2010-2011
Member	Honors College Honors Education Committee and Fellows Nominating Committee	2010
Member	Honors College Honors Council Executive Committee of Honors College	2009
Interviewer	Honors College: Prospective Students	2009
Fellow	Honors College	2008-
Member	Project Biocultures	2006-
University Grant Reviewer	University White Papers for NIH Global Partnerships for Social Science AIDS research.	2006
Program Advisor	Grant on Clinical and Personal Experiences of Chronic Illness Collaboration between UIC Disability and Human Development, Rehabilitation Center of Chicago and Northwestern University.	2005-
Member	Jewish Studies Committee	2002-
Member/Faculty Member	Center for Human Responses to Social Catastrophe Planning Committee	2002-2005
<u>College of Medicine</u>		
Member	Global Health Working Group	2011-
Member	Americans with Disabilities Act Committee	2010-
Member	GPPA Executive Committee	2011-2013
Interviewer	Prospective Medical Students	2009
Member	Urban Medicine Curriculum Meeting	2008
Member	Clinical Ethics Committee of UIC Hospital	2008-
Chair	Course Development Committee GPPA (Guaranteed Professional Program Admissions Initiative) Undergraduate Honors Curriculum in the History and Philosophy of Medicine	2004-5 2002-3
Supervisor	History of Medicine Student Interest Group	2002-2007

Department of Medical Education

Core Faculty	Health Humanities Curriculum and Program Development	2016-
Member	Health Humanities Search Committee	2016-
Leading Faculty	Health Humanities Curriculum Working Group/Program	2015-16
Member	Promotion and Tenure Committee	2014
Member	Scholarship and Research Task Force	2013-
Elected Member	Advisory Committee	2013-2015
Member	Social Science Search Committee	2012
Organizer	Joseph S. Begando Annual Keynote Event	2002-
Elected Member	Advisory Committee	2010-2012
Elected Member	International Affairs Committee	2010-2011
Organizer	Medical Humanities and Social Science Lecture Series	2008-
Elected Member	Graduate Education Committee	2008-2010
Member	Elections Committee	2008-2010
Member	DME Bulletin Committee	2008-
Elected Secretary	Department of Medical Education	2007-8
Elected Member	International Affairs Committee	2005-2008
Secretary/Elected Member	Advisory Committee	2004-6
Member	Medical Humanities Working Group	2004-5
Member	Masters of Health Professions Education Program Task Force: DME Graduate Program Development Committee.	2004-5
Member	Masters of Health Professions Education Program Task Force: Faculty Issues Committee	2004-5
Member	Medical Humanities Programming Committee	2002-5
Member	Search Committee for Director of Medical Humanities Department of Medical Education	2004-5

Department of Disability and Human Development

Member	Promotion and Tenure Committee	2015-
Member	PhD Ad-hoc Subcommittee	2014-
Member	PhD Admissions Committee	2012-

Professional Committees

National

Chair	Disability History Association	2015-
Member	Consortium for Disability Access in Medical Education	2015-

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Head Coordinator	Disability Accommodations and Accessibility for Local Planning Committee of American Association of History of Medicine Conference.	2013-2014
Member	Local Planning Committee for AAHM Conference-General.	2013-2014
Co-organizer	Mentorship Program for Historians of Disability. American Historical Association	2013-
Consultant/Member	Editing Committee for posthumous publication of Paul Longmore book, <i>Telethons</i> . Published 2016.	2012-2015
Reviewer	Programming Committee/submissions for Society for Disability Studies	2013-2014
Chair	Advisory Committee on Disability. American Historical Association	2011-Association.
Member	Clio Project. Group of faculty nationally who work on teaching history of Medicine in medical schools. Led by Harvard professor, David Jones.	2013-
Consultant	Ramping Up: The Road to Access Disability Rights documentary PBS	2011
Reviewer	SSRC Dissertation Award	2009-2011
Chair	American Historical Association Task Force on Disability Issues	2008-2011
Board Member	Hektoen Institute	2008-2011
Board Member Treasurer	Disability History Association	2009-2007-2009
Board Member	Association of Environmental Studies of the Middle East	2002-5
Board Member	H-net Listserv on History of Disability (H-Disability)	2000-2
Editor	H-net Listserv on History of Disability (H-Disability)	2000-2
Consultant	History of Medicine Curriculum Development. Oregon Health & Sciences University Medical School. Assisted Dean of medical school, Dr. Lynn Loriaux, in building a year-long history of medicine series for the medical school curriculum. Implemented Fall 2000.	1999-2000
Coordinator	University of Pennsylvania Middle East Health Group Conceptualized MEHG, an interdisciplinary set of scholars in medicine, public health, humanities and social sciences that study problems of health, disease and disability in the region. Co-sponsored by International Medical Programs at Penn Medical School and Middle East Center. Organizing a seminar series and workshop on health issues in the Middle East, Spring 2002. Co-wrote and edited grant proposal for MEHG projects.	2001-2002
<u>International</u>		
Grant Reviewer	Israel Science Foundation	2014
Reviewer	Israel Studies	2012
Reviewer	Journal of German Oriental Society (ZDMG)	2010
Member	Advisory Committee. Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA).	2012-

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Chair Emerita	Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA). www.gnrmena.org	2007-
Chair	Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA).	2004-7
Chair	Advisory Committee Communications Committee.	2004-7 2004-7
Chair	Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA).	
Chair	Conference Committee for International AIDS Conference. Global Village Committee for International AIDS Conference Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA)	2006

DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Advisor	Nell Koneczny. Disability and Human Development. University Fellow.	2015-
Advisor	Elizabeth McFayden History Department. University Fellow. Co-advising with Kevin Schultz.	2014-
Advisor	Katherine Perez (ABD). University Fellow. Disability and Human Development	2013-
Advisor	Lex Bolyantz (ABD) Disability and Human Development	2012-
Advisor	Sara Vogt. "Bodies of Surveillance: Disability, Femininity and Keepers of the Gene Pool, 1910-1924. (UIC, Disability Studies)	2005-2012
Member	Adrienne Phelps Coco. History Department. "The Five Mollies: Molly Fancher, the 'Blind' Seer of Brooklyn"	2014-2015
Member	Kelly Underman, Department of Sociology "The History and Current Practices of Gynecological Teaching Associate Programs in Chicago"	2014-15
Member	Nicolas Gordon. History Department.	2014-
Member	Meghann O'Leary. Disability and Human Development	2014-
Mentor	AUCD Diversity Fellowship	2016-
Member	Aly Patsavas (ABD) Disability and Human Development	2012-
Member	Jennifer Justice Disability and Human Development	2012
Member	Nathan Harpaz. "Idealism and Pragmatism in Early Israeli Architecture and Town Planning." (Union University, Art History)	2006-2010

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Member Rhoda Rosen. "Mapping Dystopia: Contemporary Cartographic Impulses in Israel/Palestine. (UIC, History Department) 2004-2009

Outside Reader Rhona D. Seidelman. "Shaar Haaliya: Contagion, Aliya and Quarantine During Israel's Mass Immigration 1949-1956." Ben-Gurion University of the Negev. 2008

MASTERS STUDENT ADVISING

Carli Friedman Advisor. Disability and Human Development 2012
 "Remodeling the Universe to their Dominant Desire: Gender Role Critiques Embedded in Autism Literature" Defended April 2012.

Rebekah Moras Committee member. Disability and Human Development 2011
 "Feminist Discourses of Sexual Citizenship: Creating Spaces for Women with Intellectual Disabilities" Defended August 2011.

POSTDOC ADVISING

Co-Mentor Kelly Underman. Sociology of Medicine. Department of Medical Education. One of two departmental mentors for this post-doc. 2015-

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISING

Mentor Bridges Faculty Fellow. Nick Ceh. Impact of the heroin trade on K-town community, Croatia. Historical analysis. 2015

MEDICAL SCHOOL ADVISING

Mentor Tarek Hassaballa. Provide continuing mentorship to medical student who was in my Studying Disabilities course. 2014-

Mentor Sanjay Dharmapuri. Provide continuing, unofficial mentorship to medical student who was in my history of medicine course. 2011-2014

Advisor Annie Torres. Minnesota Experiment Station 2011

Advisor Mike Winstead. Osler History of Medicine Competition for Medical Students. Honorable Mention. 2009-2010

UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

Fellowship Mentoring Program Honors College 2008-14

GPPA Faculty Advisor, Independent Study 2007-

Lisa Zhang, Honors College Student 2009-2010

Julia Geynisman Honors College Student 2005-2007
 Fulbright Recipient for 2007-2008 to Israel

Ahmed Khan Honors College Student 2002-2005

Asim Farooq Honors College Student 2002-2005

Shani Chibber Honors College Studies 2011-

DISABILITY STUDIES MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Gaby Admon-Rick. Tel Aviv University "Counting Disabled Bodies in Mandate Palestine" 2014-5

Susanna Klosko. Brandeis University "History of Mental Health Care in Palestine" 2013-

Sarah Litvin. CUNY “Jews and Blindness in NY, 1905-1930” 2013-

FULBRIGHT ADVISING

Fu –jen Chen. Professor, Department of Foreign Languages and Literature. National Sun Yat-Sen University, Taiwan. Fulbright Fellow working on Adoption, Disability and Literature. 2015-2016

SPECIAL NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Editorial Board	Disability Studies Quarterly	2015-
Editorial Board	International Journal for Middle East Studies	2014-
Reviewer	Journal of Middle East Women’s Studies	2016
Reviewer	Canadian Bulletin of the History of Medicine	2011
Reviewer	Review of Middle East Studies	2011
Reviewer	Cold War History	2010
Reviewer	American Journal of Public Health	2010
Reviewer	Israel Science Foundation Fellowships	2009
Reviewer	SSRC-ACLS International Dissertation Research Fellowship (IDRF)	2008-10
Founder	Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa (GNR-MENA). www.uic.edu/orgs/gnr-mena .	2003-
Organizer	Thematic Conversation on Vulnerability and AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Middle East Studies Association Conference. Boston, MA.	2006
Organizer	Thematic Conversation on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Middle East Studies Association Conference. Washington DC.	2005
Organizer	Thematic Conversation on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. Middle East Studies Association Conference. San Francisco, CA.	2004
Organizer	Panel on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa International AIDS Conference. Bangkok, Thailand.	2004
Organizer	Workshop on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa. University of Illinois at Chicago Planned HIV/AIDS in the Middle East Workshop. Brought together international, national and UIC scholars across disciplines to discuss issues of HIV/AIDS in the Middle East.	2003
Section Editor	Section on Segregation and Confinement. Encyclopedia of Disability. David Mitchell and Sharon Snyder, editors.	2002-4

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Current

American Association for the History of Medicine

Alliance for the Study of Adoption and Culture (ASAC)
Disability History Association
Society for Disability Studies
Emory Alumni Association, Chicago Chapter
Global Network of Researchers on HIV/AIDS in the Middle East and North Africa
Task Force on Disability, American Historical Association
Women Historians of Medicine

Past

Palestine American Research Center	1999-2008
American Public Health Association.	1999-2002
American Society for Bioethics and Medical Humanities.	2001-2003
History of Medicine Society of Oregon Health & Sciences University.	1999-2001
History of Science Society.	1999-2003
Israel Association for the History of Medicine	1999-2007
Israel Studies Association.	1998-2002
Middle East Studies Association	1990-2008
Northwest Independent Scholars Association.	1999-2001
Phi Beta Kappa. New York Chapter.	1990-1999
Sigerist Circle for the History of Medicine	1999-2009

HOBBIES

Pilates, cooking.