BARRY C. binder

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**Curriculum vitae**

**EDUCATION**

2021 M.A. – History

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

Areas of Concentration: Modern United States and the American West

Focus: Migration and transnational history

Research Projects: Historiography of the Cripple Creek Miners Strikes (1894/1904); 19th century Scottish migration; evolution of Arts and Crafts architecture in the American West; discursive history of Chinese migrant identity in the American press (1869-1915); Mexican migrant identities and experiences of the Bracero era through oral histories (1942-1945).

1996 **B.S. – History (Honors)**

Illinois State University

Minor: Political Science

**AWARDS**

2021 Outstanding Graduate Student Award - University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

2019 Graduate Travel Award - University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

2019 Best Graduate Paper - 2019 Colorado Regional Phi Alpha Theta Conference

2019 Best Graduate Presentation - 2019 Colorado Regional Phi Alpha Theta Conference

2018-2019 Graduate Student Research Fellowship - University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

2018 Graduate Travel Award - University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

2018 Graduate Travel Grant - University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

1996 Lucy Lucile Tasher Best Senior in History Award - Illinois State University

1995 Lucy Lucile Tasher Scholarship in History - Illinois State University

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2021-Current **Lecturer – “Asian History: Japan”**

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

Responsible for developing and delivering overall curriculum and content for undergraduate survey covering the history of Japan from the prehistoric through the modern era.

2019-2021 **Graduate Teaching Assistant – to Dr. Yang Wei in “Asian History”**

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

Responsible for grading and providing feedback on weekly summary papers, meet with and/or correspond with students for tutoring and assistance, and aid students with topic development and writing of term papers.

1996 **Graduate Teaching Assistant – to Dr. Luis Perez in “History of China”**

Illinois State University

Collaborated on curriculum development, met with students during weekly office hours for tutoring and feedback on course material and term papers.

1995 **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant – to Dr. Mohamad Tavakoli-Targhi in “History of Islam”**

Illinois State University

Led student workgroup discussions and study sessions, assisted with grading written and oral summaries, met with students upon demand for tutoring and assistance.

**Presentations**

2024 ***“The Life of Thomas MacLaren”***

Colorado Springs Historic Preservation Alliance – Summer Tour (Colorado Springs, CO)

2023 “***The Life of Thomas MacLaren”***

The MacLaren School - Historic Home Tour: Architecture of Thomas MacLaren (Colorado Springs, CO)

2022 ***“Heathen Chinee: China Jim, Dr. Chung Sing, and the Chinese Question in Colorado’s Press 1869-1915.”***

Pikes Peak Regional History Lecture Series (Colorado Springs, CO)

2021 ***“Brazos de la Pais: Bracero Identity, 1942-1945.”***

Rocky Mountain Council for Latin American Studies 2021 Annual Conference (online)

2020 ***“Heathen Chinee: China Jim, Dr. Chung Sing, and the Chinese Question in Colorado’s Press 1869-1915.”***

21st annual Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference (online)

2020 ***“In My Ain Countrie: Thomas MacLaren, Walter Farquhar Douglas, and Thompson Duncan Hetherington; a transnational case study of Scottish migration at the turn of the 20th century.”***

Pikes Peak Regional History Lecture Series (Colorado Springs, CO)

2019 ***“In My Ain Countrie: Thomas MacLaren, Walter Farquhar Douglas, and Thompson Duncan Hetherington; a transnational case study of Scottish migration at the turn of the 20th century.”***

20th annual Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference (Boulder, CO)

2019“***MacLaren, Douglas, and Hetherington: The Continuity and Evolution of Arts & Crafts Architecture in Colorado Springs.”***

16th Annual Pikes Peak Regional History Symposium (Colorado Springs, CO)

2019 ***“In My Ain Countrie: Thomas MacLaren, Walter Farquhar Douglas, and Thompson Duncan Hetherington; a transnational case study of Scottish migration at the turn of the 20th century.”***

2019 Colorado Regional Phi Alpha Theta Conference (Gunnison, CO)

2018 ***“Labor, Capital, and Violence: Historiography of The Cripple Creek Miners Strikes of 1894 and 1904.”***

2018 Colorado Regional Phi Alpha Theta Conference (Pueblo, CO)

1995 ***“The Veiled Alternative in Uzbekistan.”***

4th Annual Conference on Rhetoric and Historical Imagination (Normal, IL)

**pUBLICATIONS & Exhibit Contributions**

2021 “[COS@150 Exhibit, Exploring Colorado Springs’ History Through Objects.](mailto:COS@150%20Exhibit,%20Exploring%20Colorado%20Springs’%20History%20Through%20Objects.)” Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum (Colorado Springs, CO)

2021 Binder, Barry C. “In My Aine Countrie: Thomas MacLaren, Walter Farquhar Douglas, and Thompson Duncan Hetherington; a transnational case study of Scottish migration.” *The Historian*, vol. 80, no.3, (2021), pp.356-389.

2019 Binder, Barry C. “Scottish Architects in Colorado.” *The James M. MacLaren Society Journal,* vol.17, (December 2019), pp.11-15.

2002 Binder, Barry and York, Peter. *A History of the Vladimir Region for Visitors.* Vladimir, Russia: Serendipity-Russia Project, 2002. <https://serendipity-russia.com/history2.pdf>

**RELATED EXPERIENCE**

2019-2020 **Chairman and Commissioner**

City of Colorado Springs Historic Preservation Board

Responsibilities include surveying and inventorying historically significant structures, making recommendations to Council for historic designation, review and decide on applications for rehabilitation, destruction or alteration of historic structures, perform community outreach on historic preservation initiatives, prepare and maintain the city’s historic preservation plan.

2015-2017 **Secretary and Historian**

Winnetka Heights Historic District (Dallas, TX)

Responsible for composing and storing monthly meeting minutes, maintaining neighborhood archive and historical material, and researching and composing home histories.

**MEMBERSHIPS**

Golden Key National Honors Society

Phi Alpha Theta

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs Graduate Student Association

Colorado Springs Historic Preservation Alliance