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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2014-present Assistant Professor of Sociology, Virginia Commonwealth University

EDUCATION

- 2014 PhD Sociology, City University of New York
Dissertation: Planetary Improvement: Discourses and Practices of Green Capitalism in the Cleantech Space (Chair: Kenneth A. Gould)
- 2006 MA Politics, York University (Toronto)
- 1999 BA Modern Culture and Media, Brown University

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed journal articles

- 2016 Sean Doody, Victor Tan Chen, Jesse Goldstein, "Varieties of Entrepreneurial Capitalism: The Culture of Entrepreneurship and Structural Inequalities of Work and Business Creation," *Sociology Compass*, 10.10: 858-876.
- 2015 Jesse Goldstein and Elizabeth Johnson, "Biomimicry: New natures for and against capital." *Theory, Culture and Society*, 32.1: 61-81.
- 2015 Elizabeth Johnson and Jesse Goldstein, "Biomimetic Futures: Life, Death and the Enclosure of a More-Than-Human Intellect." *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 105.2: 387-396.
- 2015 Alycia Sellie, Jesse Goldstein, Jen Hoyer, Molly Fair, "Interference Archive: A Free Space for Social Movement Culture." *Archival Science* (Forthcoming)
- 2013 "Terra Economica: Waste and the production of enclosed nature." *Antipode*, 45(2): 357-375.
- 2013 "Appropriate Technocracies" *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*, 24(1): 26-34.
- 2012 "Occuprint: Archiving the Future" *Socialism and Democracy*, 26(2): 6-18.
- 2009 SpaceTime Research Collective. "To What Will We Resort When Capitalism Is Over?" *Human Geography*, 2(2): 101-4.

2006 "Ecofeminism as Theory and Practice" *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*, 17(4): 96-102.

Work in progress

Jesse Goldstein, *Planetary Improvement: Cleantech and the New Green Spirit of Capitalism* (Full manuscript under peer review at University of Arizona Press and MIT Press).

Jesse Goldstein and David Tyfield, "Green Developmentalism: bringing the entrepreneurial state back in" *Science as Culture* (Revised and Resubmitted).

Additional publications

2016 Jawedi, Sahar, Matthew Steele and Jesse Goldstein, "Entrepreneurship" in *The American Middle Class: An Economic Encyclopedia of Progress and Poverty* ed. Robert Rycroft. ABC-CLIO.

2016 Neal, LaJuan and Jesse Goldstein, "Student Loans and Rising Tuition Levels" in *The American Middle Class: An Economic Encyclopedia of Progress and Poverty* ed. Robert Rycroft. ABC-CLIO.

2016 Doody, Sean and Jesse Goldstein. "Work-Life Balance" in *The American Middle Class: An Economic Encyclopedia of Progress and Poverty* ed. Robert Rycroft. ABC-CLIO.

2016 Rare Earth Catalog: Reckoning with the Anthropocene; Issue 2. Jesse Goldstein and Elizabeth Knafo, eds. Occuprint.

2014 Rare Earth Catalog: Reckoning with the Anthropocene; Issue 1. Jesse Goldstein and Elizabeth Knafo, eds. Occuprint.

2013 "Locating surplus value" and "Questions about morality" in Gerardo del Cerro Santamaria, ed. "Circuits of Capital & Surplus Value: A Section Discussion" *Community and Urban Sociology Section Newsletter*, American Sociology Association.

2013 Cathy Bork, Jesse Goldstein, Alyson Spurgas and Steve McFarland. "#occupyoureducation." *Radical Teacher*, 96: 39-47

2011-2012 Regular contributions as "Antipodean Reporter" on the Antipode Foundation Blog (www.antipodefoundation.org)

2010 "Karl Marx and Frederick Engels: Capitalism and Crime." In *Encyclopedia of Criminological Theory*. Francis T. Cullen and Pamela Wilcox, eds. California: Sage.

2010 "Book Review: Randy Martin, *An Empire of Indifference: American War and the Financial Logic of Risk Management*" *Socialism and Democracy*, 23(3).

- 2009 "Printing at a Human Scale," in *Paper Politics: Socially Engaged Printmaking Today*. Josh Macphee, ed. Oakland, Ca: PM Press.
- 2005 *Pulling Teeth: Space 1026, Vol. 1*. Jesse Goldstein and Mary Chen, eds. Philadelphia: Tone Arm.
- 2004 "On Postering" *The Philadelphia Independent*, 1(11): 9-11.

ADDITIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

- 2013 Adjunct Lecturer, Parsons School of Design Strategies, MSc program in Design and Urban Ecologies.
Urban Theory Lab (Spring 2013)
- 2012 Adjunct Lecturer, Brooklyn College, Political Science Department.
Protest and Revolution (Spring 2012)
- 2007-2010 Adjunct Lecturer and Graduate Teaching Fellow, Baruch College, Department of Anthropology and Sociology.
Introduction to Sociology (Spring 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009, Fall 2009, Spring 2010 (x2))
Social Issues, Social Policy (Spring 2008, Spring 2009, Fall 2009)
Social Welfare Institutions (Fall 2007, Fall 2008)
Senior Capstone Seminar (Spring 2010)

Instructional Technologist

- 2013-present Instructional Technology Fellow, Macaulay Honors College, City University of New York (Senior fellow as of Fall 2013)
Arts in New York (Fall: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)
The Peopling of New York City (Spring: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014)
Science and Technology in the City (Fall: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)
The Future of New York City (Spring: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014)

ACADEMIC AWARDS, DISTINCTIONS, GRANTS

- 2017 Residency, Banff Research in Culture: Year 2067
- 2016 Faculty Development, VCU Great Bike Race Initiative
- 2012-13 Antipode Foundation Regional Workshop Award: New York City Geographical Expedition & Institute.
- 2012 Creative Change Fellow, The Opportunity Agenda
- 2011-12 Fellow, Center for Place Culture and Politics, CUNY Graduate Center

- 2010-present Instructional Technology Fellowship, Macaulay Honors College
- 2008 Pre-dissertation research grant, CUNY, Graduate Center
- 2007-2010 Graduate Teaching Fellowship, CUNY, Graduate Center
- 2007 Guest Curatorship, Temple University Art Gallery: "Manybody: Artists, Multiples and the Making of Our Radical Imagination"
- 2006-2011 Chancellors Fellowship, CUNY, Graduate Center
- 2006 Samuel S. Fels Foundation Fellowship and Philagrafika: "The Printmaker as Producer."
- 1999 Phi Beta Kappa, Brown University

INVITED TALKS

- 2016 "Reckoning with the Anthropocene." Sediment Gallery, Richmond, VA: May 19.
- 2014 "The Rare Earth Catalog: Reckoning with the Anthropocene." James Gallery and Center for the Humanities, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY: October 17.
- 2013 "Art, wastelands, ecology: what lies ahead?" International Studio and Curatorial Program, New York, NY: April 28.
- 2013 "A New Urgency: Urban imaginaries in the era of climate crisis" Parsons, The New School for Social Research, New York, NY: April 19.
- 2012 "Cultural Commoning: From branding to culture jamming" Fordham Law School, New York, NY: April 12.
- 2011 "Cooperation and Collaboration: Political economy and artist collectives" New School for Social Research, New York, NY: October 2.
- 2009 "Resisting the Remarque: On the democratic multiple" Southern Graphics Council, Philadelphia, PA: March 25.

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

Conference Presentations

- 2017 "Planetary Improvement: Cleantech and the New Green Spirit of Capitalism," American Sociology Association, Montreal, QC: August 12-15. (forthcoming)
- 2017 "Geofuturism: Learning How to Let Go and Love Other Worlds." A Toolkit for the Anthropocene, University of Pennsylvania, PA: April 13-15; Dimensions of Political Ecology, University of Kentucky, KY: February 23-25.
- 2016 "If Capital Spurs Innovation, than who is the Horse?" Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, San Fransisco, CA: March 27-April 2.

- 2015 "Green Keynesianism After Neoliberalism: Bringing the (Entrepreneurial) State Back In" Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25.
- 2014 "The Spirit of Green Capitalism in Four Motifs" Political Ecologies of the Green Economy, Oslo, Norway: December 10-11.
- 2014 "Strategies of Cultural Confrontation: Connecting Art, Activism and Academics" Public Sociology Conference, George Mason University, October 18th
- 2014 "Biomimetic Futures: Life, Death and the Enclosure of a More-than-human Intellect" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Tampa, FL: April 8-12.
- 2013 "Cleantech of and after neoliberalism" The Changing Political Economy of Research & Innovation: Public Policy, Commercialization & Neoliberal Technoscience, York University, Toronto, ON: December 9-10
- 2013 "Biomimicry: New natures for and against capital" American Sociological Association, New York, NY: August 10-13; American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA: April 9-13; Grabbing Green: Questioning the Green Economy, at University of Toronto, ON: May 17-19; University of Minnesota Critical Climate Change Workshop, Minneapolis, MN: April 5-7.
- 2013 "Focal Lengths: Understanding green capitalism's imaginary" University of Minnesota Critical Climate Change Workshop, Minneapolis, MN: April 5-7.
- 2011 "Green Capitalism: Petty bourgeois socialism for the 21st century" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA: April 12-16.
- 2010 "Adulteration of Innovation: Duration, obsolescence and the commodity form" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Washington DC: April 14-18.
- 2009 "Human waste management and the survival of capitalism" Historical Materialism Annual Conference, London, UK: November 27-29.
- 2009 "From common waste to wasted commons: The transformation of 'waste' in and through the rise of capitalist social property relations." American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV: March 22-27.
- 2008 "Gendering Primitive Accumulation: Workfare and the 'universalized male-breadwinner norm'," Labouring Feminisms: Feminist Working Class History in Europe and Beyond, Stockholm, Sweden: August 28-31.
- 2008: "Spaces of Waste: Waste management, laying waste, and the material formerly known as the World Trade Center" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA: April 15-19.

- 2007 "Rethinking the Commons: Space 1026 and a gendered critique of Multitude" Social Science History Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL: November 15-18.
- 2007 "Space 1026: Reflections on printmaking as a shared practice." College Arts Association Annual Conference, New York, NY: February 14-17.
- 2006 "The Benefit Bank: Financial services and community unionism." How Class Works Conference, Stony Brook, NY: June 8-10.

Discussant/Panelist

- 2017 Organizing Against the End of the World II: Envisioning Geocommunist Futures. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA: April 5-9. (forthcoming)
- 2017 Author Meets Critics: Jessica Dempsey's Enterprising Nature: Economics, Markets, and Finance in Global Biodiversity Politics. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA: April 5-9. (forthcoming)
- 2016 "Geofuturism: Learning to Let Go and Love Other Worlds" and "Vibrant Environmentalism: Speculative and Reconstructive Futurism" Virginia Commonwealth University, December 2.
- 2016 Inhabiting the slow violence of ecological catastrophe. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA: March 27-April 2.
- 2015 Institutional capital and socioecological ills and wills. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25.
- 2015 Discards, Diverse Economies and Degrowth. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25.
- 2015 What is a wild life? Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25.
- 2014 "Climate Change, State Theory, and the Left" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Tampa, FL: April 8-12.
- 2013 "Resilience and critical practice" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA: April 9-13.
- 2013 "For Neil Smith: Geography and scale" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA: April 9-13.
- 2012 "Apocalypse, the radical left and the post-political condition" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, New York, NY: February 24-28.

Panels Organized

- 2016 "Geofuturism: Learning to Let Go and Love Other Worlds" and "Vibrant Environmentalism: Speculative and Reconstructive Futurism" Virginia Commonwealth University, December 2.
- 2015 "Academic-Worker Inquiry: Notes from the Field" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25
- 2015 "Academic-Worker Inquiry: Knowledge Workers and the Journal Industrial Complex" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 19-25
- 2014 "Lively Commodities." American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Tampa, FL: April 8-12.
- 2014 "Underconference" American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Tampa, FL: April 8-12.
- 2011 "Management and dispossession of the human surplus"; "The meaning of right wing populism in the US"; "Gender and race in capitalism, as capitalism"; "World money"; "Organic intellectuals and anti-poverty movements"; "Apocalyptic capitalism: Japan after the tsunami"; "The reproduction of critique (plenary)." 2nd Annual Historical Materialism, New York Conference, New York, NY: May 6-8.
- 2010 "The Quickening Pendulum: Capitalism and the *longue duree* (In Honor of Giovanni Arrighi)"; "Time and innovation: making new, taking hold, falling apart." American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Washington DC: April 14-18.
- 2010 "Critical feminisms"; "Science and technology"; "Oil and water"; "The politics of oil"; "The commons"; "Dimensions of the present crisis (conference plenary)." Historical Materialism, New York Conference, New York, NY: January 14-16.
- 2009 "Organizing the edu-Factory: Radical Geography and Collective Action in the Academy." American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV: March 22-27.
- 2009 "Counterculture Industries: Capitalist, Anti-Capitalist, Non-Capitalist" Left Forum, New York, NY: April 17-19.

Campus Talks

- 2011 "On Collaborative Art Practices." Marginalia, James Gallery, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY: February 18.
- 2010 "Bottle Bills and Mandatory Deposits" SpaceTime Research Collective Peer Review Workshops, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY: November 11.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Departmental and Workplace Committees

- 2014-2016 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, VCU Sociology
- 2011-2012 Executive Committee, CUNY Graduate Center Sociology Program
- 2010-2011 Faculty Membership Committee, CUNY Graduate Center Sociology Program
- 2008-2010 Admissions Committee, CUNY Graduate Center Sociology Program
- 2008-2009 Coordinator, Adjunct Project, , CUNY Graduate Center
- 2005-2006 Vice President, Unit 3 of the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 3903, York University, Toronto, ON.

Conference Organization

- 2011 Co-organizer, Second Annual Historical Materialism, New York Conference, New York, NY.
- 2010 Co-organizer, Northeast Regional SpaceTime Workshop, Brooklyn, NY.
- 2010 Co-organizer, Historical Materialism, New York Conference, New York, NY.

Peer Review

- 2017-present *Environment and Planning A*
- 2016-present *Theory, Culture and Society*
- 2016-present *Radical Philosophy Review*
- 2015-present *Royal Geographic Society*
- 2015-present *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*
- 2011-present *Antipode*
- 2013-present *Environmental Humanities*
- 2013-present *Geoforum*
- 2013-present *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*
- 2013-present *Science as Culture*
- 2014-present *Science, Technology and Human Values*

Current Organizational Memberships

- American Sociological Association
- American Association of Geographers
- Eastern Sociological Society