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**EDUCATION****University of California, Los Angeles**

Ph. D., History	2000
Examination Fields: Post-1865 U.S. history, urban history, comparative economic history, and Asian American studies	
M.A., History	1996
M.A., Asian American Studies	1996

**University of Pennsylvania**

B.A., History, <i>magna cum laude</i>	1990
Minors in Afro-American Studies and Economics	

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE****University of Washington Bothell**

Professor, School of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences	2014-
Senior Advisor for Faculty Diversity and Initiatives	2014-

**American Studies Association**

President-elect	2018-
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**Smithsonian Institution, National Museum of American History**

Goldman Sachs Senior Fellow	2013-15
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**University of Michigan**

Professor, Departments of American Culture and History	2012-14
Associate Professor, Departments of American Culture and History	2006-12
Assistant Professor, Departments of American Culture and History	2000-06
Director, Asian/Pacific Islander American Studies Program	2010-13
Acting Director, Asian/Pacific Islander American Studies Program	2002

**University of Michigan-Shanghai Jiao Tong University Joint Institute (Shanghai, China)**

Visiting Professor	2010
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**Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History, Harvard University**

Fellow and Visiting Scholar	2008-09
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**Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles**

Teaching Fellow/Instructor	1997-98
Teaching Associate	1996-97
Teaching Assistant	1994-95

**Asian American Studies Center, University of California, Los Angeles**

Instructor for coordinated group study through AAS 199	Fall 1998
Research Assistant	1993-94
Teaching Assistant	Fall 1993
Library/Reading Room Assistant	1992

**PUBLICATIONS**

Books

*The Fifty-Year Rebellion: How the U.S. Political Crisis Began in Detroit* (University of California Press, 2017) in the “American Studies Now: Critical Histories of the Present” series edited by Lisa Duggan and Curtis Marez.

*Exiled to Motown: A History of Japanese Americans in Detroit*, co-editor and co-author (Detroit Japanese American Citizens League, 2015).

*The Next American Revolution: Sustainable Activism for the Twenty-First Century*, co-authored with Grace Lee Boggs (University of California Press, 2011); updated and expanded paperback edition with new preface and afterword with Immanuel Wallerstein (University of California Press, 2012)

*The Shifting Grounds of Race: Black and Japanese Americans in the Making of Multiethnic Los Angeles* (Princeton University Press, 2008) in the “Politics and Society in Twentieth-Century America” series edited by William Chafe, Gary Gerstle, Linda Gordon, and Julian Zelizer

Articles

“Our Polycultural Past and Future Century,” in *Many Voices One Nation: Material Culture Reflections on Race and Migration in the United States*, ed. Margaret Salazar-Porzio and Joan Fragaszy Troyano (Smithsonian Institution Scholarly Press, 2017), 269-275.

“Rereading Vincent Chin: Asian Americans and Multiracial Political Analysis,” in *Minority Relations: Intergroup Conflict and Cooperation*, ed. Robert Chang and Greg Robinson (University of Mississippi Press, 2017), 126–158.

“Race, Place, and Space in Asian American Urban History,” in *The [Oxford] Handbook of Asian American History*, ed. David K. Yoo and Eiichiro Azuma (Oxford University Press, 2016), 373-389.

“Serve the People at the Bottom: Yuri Kochiyama,” *The Margins* (Online Journal of The Asian American Writers’ Workshop, 2014).

“Growing Up Japanese American in Crenshaw and Leimert Park,” *Departures* (Online Publication of KCET-Los Angeles, 2014).

“From Black Power to a Revolution of Values: Grace Lee Boggs and the Legacy of Martin Luther King, Jr.” in *Black Power Beyond Borders: The Global Dimensions of the Black Power Movement*, ed. Nico Slate (Palgrave Macmillan, 2012), 169-90.

- “Asian Americans in Michigan,” in *Struggles and Triumphs of Peoples of Color in Michigan*, ed. Matt Hoerauf (W.K. Kellogg Foundation, 2012), 14-16.
- “Model Minority” Entry, *Densho Encyclopedia of the Japanese American Incarceration* (online), 2012.
- “From ‘Yellow Peril’ to ‘Model Minority’: Japanese Americans and Racial Ideology in U.S. History,” *Rikkyo American Studies* 33 (March 2011): 57-74.
- “Between ‘White Spot’ and ‘World City’: Racial Integration and the Roots of Multicultural Los Angeles,” in *A Companion to Los Angeles History*, ed. William Devereil and Greg Hise (Wiley-Blackwell, 2010), 56-71.
- “Organizing from the Margins: Japanese American Communists in Los Angeles During the Great Depression,” in *Race Struggles*, ed. Sundiata Cha-Jua, Helen Neville, and Ted Koditschek (University of Illinois Press, 2009), 205-224.
- “Crenshaw and the Rise of Multiethnic Los Angeles,” *Afro-Hispanic Review* 27: 1 (Spring 2008): 41-58.
- “Rethinking Black History in Multiethnic Los Angeles,” *Social History* 33:1 (February 2008): 1-11.
- “Exposing the Price of Ignorance: Teaching Asian American History in Michigan,” *Journal of American History* (March 2007): 1178-85. Reprinted in *Teaching American History: Essays Adapted from The Journal of American History, 2001-2007*, ed. Gary J. Kornblith and Carol Lasser (Bedford/St. Martins, 2009)
- “The Many Facets of Brown: Integration in a Multiracial Society,” *Journal of American History* 91: 1 (June 2004): 56-68.
- “Detroit and the Legacy of Vincent Chin,” *Amerasia Journal* 28: 3 (2002): 51-55.
- “Beyond Random Acts of Hatred: Analyzing Urban Patterns of Anti-Asian Violence,” *Amerasia Journal* 26: 1 (2000): 209-231.
- “Pan-ethnicity and Community Organizing: Asian Americans United’s Campaign Against Anti-Asian Violence,” *Journal of Asian American Studies* 3: 2 (June 2000): 163-190.
- “Interview with poet Amy Uyematsu” in *Words Matter: Interviews with Contemporary Asian American Writers*, ed. King-Kok Cheung, (University of Hawaii Press, 2000): 252-269.
- Multiple entries in the Japanese American National Museum, *Japanese American History: An A-To-Z Reference From 1868 To The Present*, ed. Brian Niiya, (Facts on File, 1993).

#### **AWARDS AND GRANTS (ABRIDGED)**

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| Special Tribute in Recognition of Outstanding Service from<br>United States House of Representatives, Hon. Hansen Clarke             | 2011 |
| Outstanding Faculty Award, awarded by Asian/Pacific Islander American<br>Heritage Month/MeSA and United Asian American Organizations | 2011 |

History Book Award for 2008, Association for Asian American Studies for <i>The Shifting Grounds of Race</i>	2010
Albert J. Beveridge Book Prize, American Historical Association for <i>The Shifting Grounds of Race</i> (The award is given for a distinguished book in English on the history of the United States, Latin America, or Canada, from 1492 to the present.)	2008
Arts of Citizenship Grant, University of Michigan (\$7,500)	2005
Regents' Award for Distinguished Public Service, University of Michigan	2003
Alexander Saxton History Award, <i>Amerasia Journal</i>	2000

**RECENT LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS (ABRIDGED)**

- Invited Keynote Speaker, "A Right to the City: The Past & Future of Urban Equity," Smithsonian Anacostia Community Museum, October 26, 2018
- Invited Keynote Panelist, "The Socially Conscious Library," Seattle Public Library All Staff Day, March 7, 2018.
- Invited Lecture, "Detroit '67 Revisited," Hall Center for the Humanities, University of Kansas, December 14, 2017
- Invited Keynote Speaker, "Why Detroit Rebelled: The Intersection of Racism and Social Control in the City," The Journal of Law in Society Symposium, Wayne State University Law School, November 17, 2017.
- Panel Presenter, "The Detroit Rebellion Never Ended: Black Radicalism and the Crisis of Capitalism," Association for the Study of African American Life and History Conference, Cincinnati, September 29, 2017.
- Invited Speaker, "The Fifty-Year Rebellion," Detroit Historical Museum, September 22, 2017.
- Invited Lecture, "50 Years After the Detroit Rebellion: Lessons from Grace Lee Boggs," Ginsberg Center for Community Service and Learning, University of Michigan, September 13, 2017.
- Invited Lecture, "The Fifty-Year Rebellion: Radical Struggle in Detroit," Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, Detroit, September 12, 2017.
- Invited Lecture, "The Next American Revolution" (and conversation with Michael Hardt), Seattle Public Library, August 16, 2017.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, "Opening Plenary," Allied Media Conference, Detroit, June 16, 2017.
- Invited Lecture, "The Fifty-Year Rebellion," Arizona State University, April 11, 2017.

- Invited Speaker, "American Visionaries: Immigration, Innovation, and Freedom," Seattle Public Library, February 10, 2017.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, "Next Systems," With/Out Borders II Conference, Arcus Center for Social Justice Leadership, Kalamazoo College, October 22, 2016.
- Invited Lecture, "The Fifty-Year Rebellion: Race and Resistance in U.S. Urban Politics," Erasmus University College (Rotterdam, Netherlands), March 24, 2016.
- Invited Lecture, "Detroit's and America's Possible Futures: Grassroots Activists Confront a Bankrupt System," Vassar College, February 29, 2016.
- Invited Lecture, "Looking Like the Enemy: Islamophobia and the Forgotten Lessons of Japanese American Internment," University of California, Irvine, February 16, 2016
- Invited Lecture, "Many Voices, One History: Narrating Diversity in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century U.S.," National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution, July 28, 2015.
- Panel co-chair/commenter, "Faculty Recruitment and Retention," Diversity at UW: Promising Practices for Inclusive Campuses Symposium, University of Washington, January 30, 2015.
- Panel Speaker, "The Past is Always Present: Contextualizing U.S. State Violence," Ferguson and Beyond: Race, State Violence, and Activist Agendas for Social Justice in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Teach-In, University of Washington, January 23, 2015.
- Panel Speaker, "Public Humanities in Post-Affirmative Action Times," Certificate in Public Scholarship and Simpsons Center for the Humanities, University of Washington, November 21, 2014.
- Invited Speaker, "Beyond Bankruptcy: Community Building and Radical Activism in Detroit," The Right to the City in an Era of Austerity, 1973-2014: Perspectives on the Past, Present, and Future of Urban Democracy in the United States and Great Britain Conference, University of Paris-Sorbonne and University of Paris-West Nanterre La Defense, May 31, 2014.
- Invited Speaker, "What's Bad for Detroit Is Bad for America," Beyond The Culture Wars: Recasting Religion And Politics In The Twentieth Century, John C. Danforth Center on Religion and Politics, Washington University in St. Louis, March 27, 2014.
- Invited Special Session Speaker, "Social Movements in an Age of Debt," American Studies Association Conference, Washington, DC, November 19, 2013.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, "Activism In and Beyond the Academy," Critical Ethnic Studies Association Conference, Chicago, September 20, 2013.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, "Freedom Struggles," Organization of American Historians Conference, San Francisco, April 11, 2013.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, "2012 AAG Presidential Plenary: The City Beyond Symbolism," American Association of Geographers Conference, February 24, 2012.
- Invited Lecture, "Bowling Together: Black and Japanese Americans in Multiethnic Crenshaw, Los Angeles," University of Maryland-College Park, February 15, 2012.