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Education

PhD Student: Oregon State University. Expected Spring 2021
Women Gender & Sexuality Studies
Dissertation: TBD

MA: Oregon State University.
Interdisciplinary Studies (Women Gender & Sexuality Studies, Ethnic Studies, Queer Studies). Corvallis, OR: 2016
Thesis: "Oppression from Within: AIM, Heteropatriarchy, Settler Colonialism, and the Death of Anna Mae Aquash"

BS: Oregon State University
Anthropology (graduated cum laude). Corvallis, OR: 2013

BS: Oregon State University
Ethnic Studies (Native American Studies focus). Minor: Anthropology. Corvallis, OR: 2003

Honors and Awards

Northwest Regional Woman of Character Award. Gamma Alpha Omega Sorority, Inc. 2017.

Certificate of Recognition: 1st Queer Studies MAIS Graduate. Queer Studies at Oregon State University. 2016.

Community Building Award. Rainbow Continuum at Oregon State University, 2016.

Committee of the Year (Strategic Planning Committee member). Western Association of Financial Aid Administrators, 2013.

Special Recognition & Award for work to remove Native American mascots from Oregon public schools. Oregon Indian Education Association (OIEA), 2012.

President's Award. Western Association of Financial Aid Administrators, 2010.

Outstanding Indian Volunteer of the Year. Oregon Indian Education Association, 2008.

Outstanding New Professional. Western Association of Financial Aid Administrators, 2008.

Frances Dancy Hooks Award. Oregon State University, 2002.

Outstanding Pillar Award. Gamma Alpha Omega Sorority Inc., 2002.

Oregon State's Top 50 Leaders. Oregon State University, 2001.

Circle of Life Award. American Indian Science & Engineering Society, 1997.

Yoshiyama Award for Exemplary Service. Hitachi Ltd., 1997.

Native Student Association Founder's Award. Taft High School, 1997.

Grants

\$1500 Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution co-sponsorship for Salmon Bake event. Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, 2017.

\$1000 Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution co-sponsorship for Salmon Bake event. Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, 2016.

\$2000 President's Commission on the Status of Women co-sponsorship for DarkMatter performance. Oregon State University, 2016.

\$500 Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution co-sponsorship for Native Feast event. Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, 2015.

Academic Appointments

Professional Faculty, Assistant Director, Native American Longhouse Eena Haws Diversity & Cultural Engagement, Oregon State University 2013-present

Peer Advisor

Indian Education Office, Oregon State University Fall 2002-Winter 2003

Internal/External Coordinator (student position, alternating years)

Native American Longhouse, Oregon State University 1999-2002

Cultural Center Specialist, Internship

Diversity Development Office, Oregon State University Fall 2001

Research Assistant, Internship

Ethnic Studies, Oregon State University Spring 1998

Indigenous Nations Appointments

College Advising & Scholarship Coordinator

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde

2003-2013

Cultural Resource Assistant, Internship

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians

Summer 1999

Publications

Whitebear, Luhui. "Ame's Story", "Chinese Railroad Workers", "The Biddles", and "Sunny Jim Patton". *Corvallis Social Justice Tour Booklet*. OR: Oregon State University, Ethnic Studies, 2014.

Whitebear, Luhui. "Does your Campus Value Diversity?" *WASFAA Newsletter*. CA: Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Spring 2013. 18.

Whitebear, Luhui. "It's Just a Word, Right?" (regarding the word 'squaw'). *WASFAA Newsletter*. CA: Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Winter 2013. 17.

Whitebear, Luhui. "What is the EDAC?" (Ethnic Diversity Action Committee). *WASFAA Newsletter*. CA: Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Spring 2012. 8.

Whitebear, Luhui. "Know Power". *Prism*. OR: Oregon State University, Student Media Spring 2001.

Whitebear, Luhui. "People of the Earth" excerpt. *The Kid's Guide to Social Action*. Barbara A. Lewis. MN: Free Spirit Publishing, Inc. 1998. 90.

Whitebear, Luhui. "Honoring the Circle", *Winds of Change Magazine*. NM: American Indians in Science & Engineering, Fall 2007.

Whitebear, Luhui. "Deep Dark Love". *Moccasin Telegraph Newsletter*. WordCraft Circle of Native Writers & Storytellers, 1996.

Teaching

Co-instructor with Dr. Allison Davis-WhiteEyes and Max Sage. ES 444/544: *Native American Law: Tribes, Treaties, & the United States*. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Instructor: ES/QS/WGSS 375: *Arts & Social Justice*. Oregon State University, Winter 2017.

Co-instructor with Dr. Allison Davis-WhiteEyes. ES 444/544: *Native American Law & Policy*. Oregon State University, Winter 2016.

Academic Presentations

Panelist. "Indigeneity and the Politics of Relation." Paper title: "From the Black Panther Party to Black Lives Matter, the American Indian Movement to Standing Rock: Solidarity in Intergenerational Activism." *National Women's Study Association Conference*. Baltimore, MD. November 16-19, 2017.

Panelist. "Feminist Graduate Studies in the Wake of Trump." *National Women's Study Association Conference*. Baltimore, MD. November 16-19, 2017.

"Indigenous and Black Solidarity through Intergenerational Activism." *Ethnic Studies Student Research Symposium*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. May 12, 2017.

"Creating New Futures using Indigenous Epistemologies on a PWI." *40th Annual Oregon Indian Education Association Conference*. Southern Oregon University: Ashland, OR. April 20, 2017.

Panelist. "Cultivating Indigenous Rhetorics through Three Sisters Methodologies." Paper title: "The Murder of Anna Mae Pictou Aquash: The American Indian Movement, Internalized Colonization, and a Rhetoric of 'Tradition.'" *Conference on College Composition and Communication*. Portland, OR. March 17, 2017.

Panelist. "Reclaiming Access to Our Histories: Intervening in the Archives." *Gender Studies Symposium*. Lewis & Clark College: Corvallis, OR. March 9, 2017.

Invited Presenter. "History & Structure of Tribes in Oregon" & "Supporting Native American Students." *Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators Conference*. Lincoln City, OR. February 1, 2017.

Invited Panelist. "Fracking & Resistance: The Dakota Access Pipeline." Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. November 15, 2016.

"Missing & Murdered Indigenous Women Beyond Borders." *Annual Social Justice Conference*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. May 6, 2016.

"The Red Shawl Project and the Emergence of Indigenous Community Resistance Sexual Assault." *Take Back the Day Mini Conference*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. April 21, 2016.

"Women's Circles as Spaces of Learning in Native Communities." *Annual Gender, Race, and Transformation Conference*. Pacific University: Beaverton, OR. October 30, 2015.

Invited Panelist. "Decolonizing Pedagogies IV: Longhouses as Sovereign Spaces on Campus". *Alternative Sovereignties Conference*. University of Oregon: Eugene, OR. May 9, 2014.

"Creating Paths to Sovereignty on College Campuses through Cultural Resource Centers". *Annual Oregon Indian Education Association Annual Conference*. Kah-Nee-

Tah Resort: Warm Springs, OR. April 10, 2014.

“Women’s Circles as Spaces of Learning in Native Communities”. *Annual School of Language, Culture, and Society Conference*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. May 2014.

“The Power of Imagery: The Effects of Native American Mascots and Logos”. *Annual National Association for Multicultural Education – Oregon*. Portland, OR. April 21, 2012.

“Effects of Native American Mascots”. *Oregon Education Association Conference*. Portland, OR. Winter 2007.

Public Presentations

Invited Speaker. *Inaugurate Social and Eco Justice Rally*. Corvallis, OR. January 20, 2017.

Keynote Speaker. *Standing Rock Benefit Concert*. Salem, OR. December 10, 2016.

Invited Speaker: Opening Welcome Address. *Winona LaDuke: An Agenda for the New President*. Corvallis, OR. November 18, 2016.

Invited Speaker. *Oregon Stands with Standing Rock Rally*. State Capital Mall. Salem, OR. November 12, 2016.

Performance

Presenter: “With Gratitude,” “Walking to Remember,” “Regarding White Terrorism.” “Lies My Ancestors Told for Me” by Deborah Miranda. “Map of the Americas” by Qwo-Li Driskill. *Indigenous Poetry Night*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. February 2017.

Featured Presenter: “With Gratitude”, “From Beneath”, “Clouded Eyes”, “Regarding White Terrorism”, “Part of Me”. *Indigenous Poetry Night*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. February 2016.

Presenter: “Cousins” by Deborah Miranda. *Queer People of Color Poetry Night*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. October 2015.

Presenter: “To the one who asked why me and my family are angry.” *Open Mic Night*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. November 2014.

Presenter: “I am.” *Open Mic Night*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. November 2013.

Invited Performer: Opening welcome and song in Chinuk Wawa. *Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators Annual Conference*. Los Angeles, CA. Spring 2007.

Other Professional Experience

Cultural Resource Consultant, Internship

OwlClan Consultants

Summer 2001

Researcher I & Assessor I, Internship

Indian Family Wellness Project

June 2000-April 2001

Service

Service to the Profession

Member: Native American Advisory Council. Willamette University, Fall 2013-Present.

Advisor: Scholarship Selection Committee. Benton County Foundation, 2014.

Representative at Large: Executive Council. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2013-2014.

Member: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2013-2014.

Member: Strategic Planning Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2013-2014.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2013.

Vice President: Executive Council. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2012-2013.

Interim-Chair: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2012-2013.

Member: Conference Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2012-2013.

Member: Strategic Planning Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2012-2013.

Member: Fiscal Planning Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2012-2013.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2012.

Co-Chair: Conference Committee. Oregon Indian Education Association, 2012.

Chair: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2011-2012.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2011.

Secretary: Executive Council. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2010-2011.

Member: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2010-2011.

Member: Strategic Planning, Fiscal Planning. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2010-2011.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2010.

Secretary: Executive Council. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2009-2010.

Member: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2009-2010.

Member: Strategic Planning Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2009-2010.

Member: Fiscal Planning Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2009-2010.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2009.

Trainer: NT4CM (National Training for Counselors & Mentors). Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2009.

Member: Gates Millennium Scholarship Ranking & Review Committee. American Indian Graduate Center, 2009.

Chair: Research Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2008-2009.

Member: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2008-2009.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2008.

Co-Chair: Conference Committee. Oregon Indian Education Association, 2008.

Co-Chair: Research Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2007-2008.

Member then Interim-Chair: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2007-2008.

Member: Native American Mascot Task Force. Oregon Department of Education, 2006-2008.

Co-presenter: "Native American Mascots". State Board of Education meeting. Oregon Department of Education. Salem, OR: Fall 2006.

Member: Conference Committee. Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2008.

Member: Gates Millennium Scholarship Ranking & Review Committee. American Indian Graduate Center, 2008.

Chair: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2006-2007.

Member: Scholarship Recommendation Committee. Oregon Student Access Commission, 2007.

Member: Conference Committee. Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2007.

Member: Summer Drive In Committee. Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2007.

Member: Ethnic Diversity Action Committee. Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2005-2006.

Member: Conference Committee. Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2006.

Member: Gates Millennium Scholarship Ranking & Review Committee. American Indian Graduate Center, 2006.

Member: Conference Committee. Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, 2005.

Service to the University

Co-presenter: Diversity & Cultural Engagement and Cultural Awareness. Office of Admissions. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Member: Director of Community Diversity Relations Search Committee. Oregon State University. Spring 2017.

Presenter: "Native Women, Law, & Media." Orange Media Network. Oregon State University, Fall 2016.

Co-presenter: Diversity & Cultural Engagement and Cultural Awareness. Office of Admissions. Oregon State University, Spring 2016.

Member: NAGPRA Repatriation Committee. Oregon State University, 2015-Present.

Co-presenter: Diversity & Cultural Engagement and Cultural Awareness. Office of Admissions. Oregon State University, Spring 2015.

Invited Presenter: "Unraveling the Basket". *MLK Jr. Annual Peace Breakfast*. Oregon State University: Corvallis, OR. Winter 2015.

Panelist: Ban Bossy Event. Oregon State University, Fall 2014.

Panelist: Difference Power, & Discrimination Summer Institute. Oregon State University, Summer 2014.

Presenter: "Imagery as Power". Student Media. Oregon State University, Spring 2014.

Member: Meyer Program Coordinator Search Committee. Oregon State University, Spring 2014.

Member: Diversity Development Associate Director Search Committee. Oregon State University, Spring 2014.

Service to the Department

Member: Cultural Center Custodian Search Committee. Oregon State University, Summer 2016.

Member: Search Committee, Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center Assistant Director. Oregon State University, Fall 2015.

Tour Guide: Social Justice Tour of Corvallis. Corvallis, OR, Fall 2015; Summer 2015; Spring 2014.

Member: Cultural Center Custodian Search Committee. Oregon State University, Spring 2014.

Service to the Community

Presenter. "Native American Cultural Awareness & Microaggressions." Boys & Girls Club of Corvallis- Lincoln Lion Club. Corvallis, OR, Fall 2016.

Volunteer: Boy Scouts Troop 3. Corvallis, OR, 2015-Present.

Volunteer: SOLV. Oregon, 2004-Present.

Volunteer: ANPO. Oregon, 1994-Present.

Grant Editor: GoodThinking 4 All Our Relations. Washington, 2011-2014.

Volunteer: Girl Scouts Troop 10132. McMinnville, OR, 2012-2013.

Volunteer: Cub Scouts Pack 434. McMinnville, OR, 2012-2013.

Volunteer: Lincoln County Indian Education. Lincoln City, OR, 2004-2012.

Volunteer: Cub Scouts Pack 31. Salem, OR, 2010-2011.

Volunteer: Gamma Alpha Omega Sorority, Inc. Kappa Chapter. Corvallis, OR, 2001-2003.

Founding President: Oregon Native Youth New Voices. Lincoln City, OR, 1996-1999.

Youth Representative: Oregon Native Youth Council Executive Board. Lincoln City, OR, 1994-1997.

Guest Lectures

Guest Lecturer. WLC 159: Language, Race and Racism in the US: An Introduction. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Guest Lecturer. UEXP 407: Foundations of Social Justice Leadership. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Guest Lecturer. WGSS 521: Feminist Leadership. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Guest Lecturer. WGSS 224: Women; Personal and Social Change. Oregon State University, Spring 2017.

Guest Lecturer. PPOL 441/541: Energy and Society. Oregon State University, Winter 2017.

Guest Lecturer. UEXP 407: Foundations of Social Justice Leadership. Oregon State University, Spring 2016.

Guest Lecturer. ES 241: Introduction to Native American Studies. Oregon State University, Fall 2014.

Guest Lecturer. ES 243: Native American Assimilation & Activism. Oregon State University, Spring 2014.

Student Advising

Advisor: Alpha Pi Omega Sorority Inc., Kappa Chapter. Oregon State University. Fall 2015-Present.

Advisor: Native American Student Association. Oregon State University. Winter 2014-Present.

Professional Organizations

American Indian Caucus: Conference on College Composition and Communication

Conference on College Composition and Communication

Gamma Alpha Omega Sorority Inc., Kappa Chapter

National Association of Teachers of English

National Indian Education Association

National Women's Studies Association

Oregon Indian Education Association

Oregon Indian Coalition on Post-secondary Education

Oregon College Access Network

Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators

Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators