

# Aimee Duchsherer Williamson

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## SELECTED ACADEMIC WORK EXPERIENCE

**Adjunct Faculty, Northland Community and Technical College** 2019-Present  
*State and Local Government*

**Online Adjunct Faculty, Southern New Hampshire University** 2018-Present  
*United States History II*

**Online Adjunct Instructor, Dakota College at Bottineau** 2015-Present  
*North Dakota History*  
*U.S. History to 1877*  
*U.S. History from 1877*

**Adjunct Instructor, Minot State University** 2015-2016  
*World Civilization Since 1500*  
*U.S. History to 1877*  
*U.S. History from 1865*

**Intern, Theodore Roosevelt Center at Dickinson State University** 2015

Remotely performed cataloging, metadata entry, metadata review, and copyright review for the Theodore Roosevelt Papers. Wrote relevant articles for Center's blog using the archival documents.

**Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of North Dakota** 2013-2015

*Global/ World Civilizations I* (Spring 2015 and Fall 2014 under Dr. Hans Broedel)  
*U.S. History from 1877* (Spring 2014 under Dr. Cynthia Prescott)  
*Western Civilization I* (Fall 2013 under Dr. Hans Broedel)

**The North Dakota Anthropocene Project** 2015  
Student Researcher

Researched the landscape of the Upper Missouri River Valley in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth century, using primary source descriptions

**Editor, World War I Grand Forks County Public History Project** 2015  
Dr. Kimberly Porter

## OTHER RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

**Boppre Law Firm, PLLC** 2015-Present  
Research Assistant 2015-2017  
Paralegal 2017-Present

## **EDUCATION**

### **Master of Arts, History, May 2015**

University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND

Committee Chair: Dr. Kimberly Porter

Thesis: "‘A Picture Terrible in Its Significance’: Jack Johnson, Interracial Relationships, and Methods of White Social Control in Early Twentieth-Century America"

### **Bachelor of Arts, History, May 2012**

Minot State University, Minot, ND, Summa Cum Laude

Advisor: Dr. Daniel Ringrose

Minor: Humanities

Concentration: Art History

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Interracial and Interethnic Sexual Relationships

American History

Women’s and Gender History

    Changing Gender Roles

    Masculinity

    Prostitution

African American History

Progressive Era

Western American History

Material Culture

## **AWARDS**

Conference Travel Funding, University of North Dakota History Department, 2015

Conference Travel Funding, University of Michigan, 2015

Research Travel Grant, University of North Dakota History Department, 2014

Outstanding Senior Award in History for 2011-2012, Minot State University, 2012

N.M. Lillehaugen Scholarship, Minot State University, 2011-2012

N.M. Lillehaugen Scholarship, Minot State University, 2010-2011

President’s List, Eight Semesters, Minot State University, 2008-2012

## **PUBLICATIONS**

“Better Babies or More Babies?: Theodore Roosevelt, Margaret Sanger, and the Birth Control Movement,” Blog Post for the Theodore Roosevelt Center at Dickinson State University, July 16, 2015. <http://www.theodorerooseveltcenter.org/Blog/2015/July/Sanger.aspx>.

“Let Mr. Booker Washington Marry Teddy’s Daughter,” Blog Post for the Theodore Roosevelt Center at Dickinson State University, June 5, 2015. <http://www.theodorerooseveltcenter.org/en/Blog/2015/June/Race-Relations.aspx>

## **CONFERENCES AND ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

“Creating a Spark: Getting College Students to Care about Primary Sources,” Roundtable Presentation, Northern Great Plains History Conference, Grand Forks, ND, October 6, 2017.

“I Always Received Money from Him When I Asked Him for It: Purity, Promiscuity, and Prostitution in the Jack Johnson Affair,” Northern Great Plains History Conference, Bismarck, ND, October 1, 2015.

“Making Love to a Colored Man’: Early Twentieth Century Participation in the Purity of White Womanhood, Interracial Relationships, and Jack Johnson’s Women,” WAWH Annual Meeting, Sacramento, CA, May 16, 2015.

“Jack Johnson’s White Wife Has “Paid in Full”’: Social Threats of Mental and Physical Ramifications in Interracial Relationships in Early Twentieth-Century America,” University of North Dakota School of Graduate Studies Scholarly Forum, Grand Forks, ND, March 11, 2015.

“I Don’t Know What Love Is’: Consent, Affection, and Purity in Jack Johnson’s Interracial Relationships, 1910-1913,” University of Maryland University College Phi Alpha Theta, Invited Speaker, Digital, February 2015.

“Making Love to a Colored Man’: Interracial Prostitution and the Purity of White Womanhood in the Jack Johnson Affair,” University of Michigan, Gender, Sexuality, and Violence Conference, Ann Arbor, MI, January 17, 2015.

## **MEMBERSHIPS AND PARTICIPATION**

Member, Western Association of Women Historians, Since 2015

Participant, History Professional Advancement Workshops, University of North Dakota, 2013-2014

Judge, North Dakota History Day Regional Competition, Minot, ND, 2011-2013

Organizer and Interpreter, Historical Cemetery Tour, Minot State University History Club, 2010-2013

Staff Advisor, Minot State University History Club, 2012-2013

Co-President, Minot State University History Club, 2011-2012

Secretary, Minot State University History Club, 2011

Member, Phi Alpha Theta National History Honor Society, Since 2011

## **PUBLIC LECTURES AND INTERVIEWS**

Lecture, Personal History and Digital Storytelling, Velva Women’s Group, Velva, ND, 2013

Interview, Personal History and Digital Storytelling, KXMC-13 News, Minot, ND, 2013

Interview, Personal History and Digital Storytelling, Minot Daily News, Minot, ND, 2013

Interview, Historical Cemetery Tour, KMOT News, Minot, ND, 2011