

Institute for Historical Studies Fellows, 2017-18

Visiting Research Fellows

Titus Chakraborty

Visiting Assistant Professor, Oberlin College

Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh, 2016

Mobile Workers of the Companies: Labor, Migration and Resistance in Bengal, 1650-1837

Alberto García Maldonado

Visiting Lecturer, University of California, Berkeley

Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley, 2016

The Politics of Bracero Migration

Yael Schacher

Adjunct Faculty, University of Connecticut

Ph.D., Harvard University, 2016

Exceptions to Exclusion: A Prehistory of Asylum in the United States, 1880-1980

Internal Research Fellows

Benjamin Claude Brower

The North African Hajj Under French Rule, 1830-1962

Erika M. Bsumek

Damning Zion: Race, Religion, and Resources on the Colorado Plateau, 1848 to present

Neil Kamil

Artisans of "Inventive Genius": Atlantic Refugees, Niche Economies, and Portable Lives in the Manufacture of Polite Matter, 1640-1789

Abena Dove Osseo-Asare

Particles in Bodies: Historical Perspectives on Radiation and Health in Ghana

Charters Wynn

From the Factory to the Kremlin: Mikhail Tomsky, the Soviet Worker, and Opposition to Stalin

Internal Postdoctoral Fellows

J. R. Jones

Rethinking Money: The Formative Years of Islamic Finance, 1900 – 1975

Henry Alexander Wiencek

Oil City: The Social, Economic and Environmental Anatomy of North Louisiana's Oil Boomtowns, 1901-1935

Visiting Research Associates

Rodolfo John Alaniz

Postdoctoral Scholar (Ph.D. University of California, San Diego 2014)

Darwin in the Deep: Marine Invertebrates, Evolutionary Methodologies, and the Nineteenth-Century Debate Over Natural Selection

Mateus Gaiotto

Ph.D. Student, São Paulo State University – UNESP (Brazil)

The P.E.N. Club of Brazil (1936-1954): The Claudio de Souza Era

Paul Hirsch

Fellow, Strauss Center for International Security and Law,

University of Texas at Austin (Ph.D. 2016, UCLA)

Pulp Empire: Comic Books, Culture, and U.S. Foreign Policy, 1941-1955

Erika Hori

Lecturer, Nagoya University (Japan)

The History of Japanese Americans, The Lynching of Katsu Goto

Marta Kane

Research Associate in History & Social Sciences

University of Montpellier | Center for Interdisciplinary Research in Social Sciences and Humanities (France)

Franco-American Exchanges in Humanities, Social Sciences and Economics from 1870 to 1932

Rachel Laudan

Author, former Professor

Historiography of Food

Iris Ma

Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Texas at Austin (Ph.D. 2016, UCLA)

A Cultural History of Chinese Martial Arts Narrative, 1895-1945

Katherine Pace

Independent Scholar (Ph.D., University of Melbourne, Australia)

Founder, Texture the City

The Disappearance of Waller Creek: An Environmental History of Segregation in Austin, Texas

Carla Rahn Phillips

Union Pacific Professor Emerita in Comparative Early Modern History, University of Minnesota

The Struggle for the South Atlantic in the Late Sixteenth Century

William D. Phillips, Jr

Professor Emeritus of History, University of Minnesota

European World in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Centuries

Lydia Pyne

Writer and Historian, Ph.D.

Famous Fossils, Hidden Histories

Joshua L. Roebke

Author and Visiting Scholar

The Invisible World: The culture of particle physics in the 20th century

Woodruff D. Smith

Professor Emeritus of History, University of Massachusetts, Boston

A Study of Respectability as a Global Cultural Pattern

Mugurel Zlotea

Lecturer, University of Bucharest (Romania)

The Essence of the Nation: Political Discourse on China's Traditional Culture