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## Education

- 2018 PhD South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2009 MA South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2006 BA Interdisciplinary Studies Field Major (high honors), University of California, Berkeley.

## Professional Appointments

- 2019–21 Postdoctoral Researcher, School of Humanities, Nanyang Technological University.
- 2017–19 Lecturer, South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2018 Lecturer, History, San Francisco State University.

## Publications

### BOOKS

- 2022 *The Drama of Dictatorship: Martial Law and the Communist Parties of the Philippines*. New Perspectives in Southeast Asian Studies. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, under contract.

### JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2021 “The Geopolitical Alignments of Diverging Social Interests: The Sino-Soviet Split and the Partido Komunista ng Pilipinas, 1966-67.” *Critical Asian Studies* 53, no. 2, forthcoming.
- 2021 “Cadre as Informal Diplomats: Ferdinand Marcos and the Soviet Bloc, 1965-1974.” *History and Anthropology*, forthcoming.
- 2021 “‘We Are Siding with Filipino Capitalists’: Nationalism and the Political Maturation of Jose Ma. Sison, 1959-61.” *Sojourn: Journal of Social Issues in Southeast Asia* 36, no. 1, forthcoming.
- 2021 Zhou, T. and Joseph Scalice. “Reinvented Revolutionaries: Indonesian and Filipino Communist Exiles in China.” *Diplomatic History* 45, no. 3, forthcoming.
- 2018 “A Planned and Coordinated Anarchy: The Barricades of 1971 and the ‘Diliman Commune.’” *Philippine Studies* 66, no. 4, 481-516.
- 2018 “Pamitinan and Tapusi: Using the Carpio Legend to Reconstruct Lower-Class Consciousness in the Late Spanish Philippines.” *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies* 49, no. 2, 250-276.
- 2018 “Reynaldo Ileto’s *Pasyon and Revolution* revisited, a critique.” *Sojourn: Journal of Social Issues in Southeast Asia* 33, no. 1, 29-58.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2010 “Marxism and Philippine Theology.” In *Marxism in the Philippines: Continuing Engagements*, edited by Laura L. Samson and Teresa S. Encarnacion Tadem, Manila: Anvil Publishing, 191-213.

## BOOK REVIEWS

- 2021 “Colleen Woods, *Freedom Incorporated: Anticommunism and Philippine Independence in the Age of Decolonization*, Cornell University Press, 2020.” H-Diplo, forthcoming.
- 2021 “Nicole CuUnjieng Aboitiz, *Asian Place, Filipino Nation: A Global Intellectual History of the Philippine Revolution, 1887-1912*, Columbia University Press, 2020.” *Sojourn: Journal of Social Issues in Southeast Asia*, forthcoming.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN SUBMISSION

- “A Deliberately Forgotten Battle: The Lapiang Manggagawa and the Manila Port Strike of 1963.” *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, under review.
- “The Proletarian Global City: Translating Maynila in Edgardo M. Reyes’ *Sa Mga Kuko ng Liwanag*.” *Social Text*, under review.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

*Conspiring Understudies: Elite rivalry and the Sino-Soviet split in the Philippines*. Book manuscript being edited for submission to academic publisher.

**Grants and Fellowships**

- 2010 Fulbright IIE Scholar, Philippines.
- 2008 Predoctoral Humanities Fellowship, UC Berkeley.
- 2007 Predoctoral Humanities Fellowship, UC Berkeley.
- 2006 National Science Foundation, Honorable Mention.
- 2006 Datatel Returning Scholars Foundation Fellowship.
- 2005 Haas Scholars’ Fellowship, UC Berkeley.

**Prizes and Awards**

- 2014 Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley.
- 2006 William V. Power Graduate Award.
- 2006 Judith Stronach Prize for Poetry.

**Invited Talks**

- 2021 “Three Grenades in August: Fifty years since the bombing of Plaza Miranda in the Philippines,” Center for Southeast Asian Studies, UC Berkeley, 3 March.
- 2020 “The Rising Tide of Authoritarianism: Duterte, the Communist Party, and the historical lessons of the Marcos Dictatorship,” ISEAS-Yusof Ishak Institute, Singapore, 6 April. [Talk Canceled]

- 2020 “Newly Emerging Forces: the Communist Parties of Indonesia and the Philippines behind Sukarno and Macapagal at the Manila Summit of 1963,” History Department Seminar, National University of Singapore, 25 March. [Talk Canceled]
- 2014 “Globalization, the changing face of the Philippine bourgeoisie, and the strategy of the Communist Party of the Philippines,” Tonan Talk, Center of Southeast Asian Studies, Kyoto University, 9 January.

## Conference Activity

### PANELS ORGANIZED

- 2021 “Implementing Dictatorship: The establishment of Marcos’ martial law regime in the Philippines in the early 1970s,” Association of Asian Studies (AAS) 2021 Annual Conference, Seattle, 25-28 March.

### PAPERS PRESENTED

- 2021 “Torn Apart by Diverging Social Forces: The Sino-Soviet Dispute in the Philippines, 1965-67,” 12th International Convention of Asian Scholars (ICAS), Kyoto, 24-27 August.
- 2021 “Conspiring Understudies in the Drama of Dictatorship: Elite rivalry, the Communist Parties of the Philippines and the imposition of martial law in 1972,” Association of Asian Studies (AAS) 2021 Annual Conference, Seattle, 25-28 March.
- 2020 “The Proletarian Global City: Maynila in Edgardo M. Reyes’ *Sa Mga Kuko ng Liwanag*,” Global Cities: Culture, Ecology, World Literature, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 11-12 June.
- 2020 “Redbaiting Rizal: The House Committee on Anti-Filipino Activities and the Noli-Fili Debate of the mid-1950s,” Asian Studies Association of Australia (ASAA) Conference [Conference Canceled].
- 2020 “Subcontracted Violence of the Personalistic State: Macapagal, Marcos, and the Remobilized Huk Mafia, 1961-1969,” Return to Society: Demobilization and remobilization of former combatants in Southeast Asia and Africa, 1945-Present, KITLV, Leiden, 20-21 January.
- 2018 “Cadre as Informal Diplomats: Ferdinand Marcos and the Soviet Bloc, 1965-1974,” Conference on Strongmen and Networks: The Rise of Informal Diplomats, National University of Singapore, 11-12 December.
- 2010 “Bernardo Carpio, Tapusi, and the construction of the ‘masses’ in Reynaldo Ileto’s *Pasyon and Revolution*,” Engaging the Classics in Malay and Southeast Asian Studies Conference, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, National University of Singapore, 18-19 December.
- 2010 “The ‘semi-feudal, semi-colonial mode of production’ in regional Communist discourse,” 2nd Mid-Year Conference for US Fulbrighters in SE Asia, Manila, 18-19 March.

## Campus Talks

- 2020 “A Fleeting Alignment of Interests: Manila’s role in *Konfrontasi* and opposition to the Federation of Malaysia, 1962-1965,” History Department, Nanyang Technological University, 10 September.
- 2020 “‘First as tragedy, second as farce:’ Marcos, Duterte, and the Communist Parties of the Philippines,” College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences, Nanyang Technological University, 26 August.

- 2016 “Crisis of Revolutionary Leadership: Stalinism, the Communist Parties of the Philippines and the declaration of Martial Law,” Center for Southeast Asian Studies, UC Berkeley, 19 October.

## Teaching

LECTURER, NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

The History of the Philippines from the 1896 Revolution to Duterte (2020: Summer).

LECTURER, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

The History and Literature of Revolution in the Philippines (2018: Fall).

Art and Nationalism in Island Southeast Asia (2018: Fall).

Revolution and Historical Imagination (2018: Spring, Summer; 2017: Fall).

The Saga and Struggle of History (2018: Spring).

LECTURER, SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY

The Philippines and the United States (2018: Fall).

GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

### Instructor of Record

Art in the “Unfinished Twentieth Century” (2017: Spring).

Art and Nationalism in Island Southeast Asia (2016: Fall; 2015: Fall; 2009: Fall).

The History and Literature of Island Southeast Asia (2015: Spring).

The History and Cultures of Island Southeast Asia (2008: Summer).

## Service to the Profession

Organizer and chair of semester-long online symposium series, *College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences Postdoctoral Fellows Seminar Series*, at Nanyang Technological University, 2020.

Manuscript reviewer for *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies* and *Southeast Asian Studies*, 2020.

## Expert Briefings, Consultancy, and Commentary

BRIEFINGS AND CONSULTANCY

- 2019–20 Historical consultant and author of reports for the Royal Norwegian Government panel mediating the GRP-NDFP peace negotiations to end the longest ongoing armed conflict in Asia.
- 2019 Briefings for the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (UK).

SELECTED MEDIA COVERAGE

- 2020 *BBC News*. 6 October.  
*ABS-CBN News*. 8 September.  
*Vera Files*. 7 September.  
*Rappler*. Op-ed, 27 August.  
*Ang Bayan*. “Special Issue.” 25 August.

- 2019 *Philippine Star*. Op-ed, “Revolution and its dimensions.” 10 August.  
*Daily Tribune*. 16 July.  
*Manila Times*. 31 January.  
*Manila Times*. Front page series on the “the Scalice revelations.” 2–4 October.  
*Bulgar*. Tagalog language op-ed. 4 October.

## Languages

**Tagalog**. Native fluency. I have spoken Tagalog since I was five years old.  
**Spanish**. High level reading and writing competency.

## Professional Affiliations

Association of Asian Studies (AAS).  
American Historical Association (AHA).

## References

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