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## **EDUCATION**

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IKS Visiting Fellow, Yonsei University, South Korea, 2016-2017

Visiting Researcher, Kyushu University, Japan, 2015-2016

PhD Candidate, History, Harvard University, 2012-Present

Dissertation Committee Members: Ian J. Miller (advisor) Carter J. Eckert, Andrew Gordon  
A.M., History, Harvard University, May 2014. General Examination Fields:

- Modern Japanese History (Ian J. Miller, History Department)
- Early Modern Japanese History (David Howell, Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations)
- Modern Korean History (Carter J. Eckert, Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations)
- Urban Theory (Neil Brenner, Graduate School of Design)

Research Student, Japanese History, 2010-2012, Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan

M.A., Japanese Studies, University of London, School of Oriental and African Studies, Sept 2009  
(Distinction)

B.A. Hons, English Language and Literature, Oxford University, May 2006 (2:1)

## **AWARDS, HONOURS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

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Reischauer Institute Dissertation Research Grant 2016-2017

Korea Foundation Field Work Fellowship 2016-2017

Japan Foundation Doctoral Fellowship, 2015-2016

Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Fall 2014, Spring 2015

Digital Teaching Fellow, History Department, Harvard University, Fall 2014

Akiyama Award for Social Science Research on Japan, Program on US-Japan Relations, 2014

Dillon Graduate Fellow, 2013-2014

Reischauer Institute Graduate Summer Research Grant, 2014 & 2013

Korea Institute Graduate Summer Language Grant, 2014

Asia Center Graduate Summer Language Grant, 2013

Monbukagakusho (MEXT) Research Scholarship, 2010-2012

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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Research Assistant, Kyushu University 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary History Project, 2016  
Tutor, Sophomore Tutorial, “What is Urban History,” Harvard University, Spring 2015  
Teaching Fellow, “Japan’s Samurai Revolution,” Harvard University, Fall 2014  
Area Editor, Harvard Asia Quarterly 2013-present  
English Tutor

- Tyrol Language School, Fukuoka, Japan (part time) 2011-2012
- PS English, London, (part time) 2008-2009

Guest Relations Staff/Interpreter, Fukuoka International Film Festival 2011, 2015

Community Development Manager, Vital Regeneration, London (full time) Sept 2009–April 2010

Assistant Language Teacher, JET Programme, Japan (full time) 2006-2008

## **PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS**

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- March 2016, Fukuoka City History Research Group, *Gateway of Empire: Fukuoka, Pusan, and Modern Japan’s Urbanization*
- February 2016, Fukuoka Asian Urban Research Center, *Gateway to Japan, Gateway to Asia: Fukuoka and Pusan’s Urban Visions in Imperial Japan*
- November 2015, Korean History Workshop, Kyushu University, *Cities into Empire: Fukuoka, Pusan, and Urbanization in Modern Japan*
- Spring 2013, *The Princeton Journal of East Asian Studies*, Vol. IV: “Strange Kaleidoscopic Scenes: Western Representations of Japanese Cities in Meiji 1868-1912”
- February 2013, Harvard East Asia Society Graduate Conference, *Fukuoka: The Making of an Asian City*

## **TRAINING**

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Digital History Workshop, Harvard University History Department, January 2014  
GIS Institute at Harvard Center for Geographic Analysis, Summer 2013  
Sogang University Korean Immersion Program Summer 2013, 2014

## **LANGUAGES**

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English (native) Modern Japanese (fluent, JLPT N1) Classical Japanese, French (reading) Korean (advanced)