

Scott De Orio
Curriculum vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2017 Ph.D., History and Women’s Studies, University of Michigan—Ann Arbor
- 2013 M.A., History, University of Michigan—Ann Arbor
- 2010 M.A., Germanic Languages and Literatures, University of Pennsylvania
- 2009 B.A. with high distinction, highest honors in German, University of Michigan—Ann Arbor

EMPLOYMENT

- 2018–2020 Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow, Sexualities Project at Northwestern (SPAN)

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Twentieth-century US history
History of the carceral state
History of sexuality and LGBTQ studies
Modern transatlantic history

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- In consideration “Bad Queers: LGBTQ People and the Carceral State in Modern America,” University of Chicago Press.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2017 “The Invention of Bad Gay Sex: Texas and the Creation of a Criminal Underclass of Gay People,” *Journal of the History of Sexuality* 26, no. 1: 53–87.

Book Chapters

- 2017 “The Creation of the Modern Sex Offender,” in *The War on Sex*, ed. David Halperin and Trevor Hoppe. Durham, NC: Duke University Press.

Review Essays

- 2022 “Bad Queers: LGBTQ People and the Carceral State in Modern America,” *Law & Social Inquiry* 47, no. 2, <https://www.doi.org/10.1017/lsi.2021.59>.

Encyclopedia Entries

- 2019 “The Closet,” *Global Encyclopedia of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer History*. Farmington Hills, MI: Charles Scribner’s Sons.

Peer-Reviewed Research Reports

- 2020 Trevor Hoppe, Ian H. Meyer, Scott De Orio, Stefan Vogler, and Megan Armstrong, “Civil Commitment of Sex Offenders in the United States: Are Black and LGBTQ Communities Disproportionately Impacted?” (Los Angeles: UCLA School of Law Williams Institute, 2020).

Web-Based Publications

- 2019 “15 Unsung Moments from American History That Historians Say You Should Know About,” *TIME.com* (<https://time.com/5616397/unsung-american-history/>)
- 2015–16 Roundtable on “Histories of Sexuality and the Carceral State,” *NOTCHES: (re)marks on the history of sexuality* (pt. 1: <http://notchesblog.com/2016/03/10/histories-of-sexuality-and-the-carceral-state-part-1/> pt. 2: <http://notchesblog.com/2016/07/05/histories-of-sexuality-and-the-carceral-state-round-2/> pt. 3: <http://notchesblog.com/2016/11/22/histories-of-sexuality-and-the-carceral-state-part-3/>)

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2019 John D’Emilio LGBTQ History Dissertation Award, Organization of American Historians
- 2018–2020 Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow, Sexualities Project at Northwestern (SPAN)

- 2017 Participant, J. Willard Hurst Summer Institute in Legal History, University of Wisconsin–Madison
- 2016 Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor, Department of Women’s Studies, University of Michigan

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2015–16 Graduate Student Research Fellowship, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan
- 2015–16 Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan
- 2014 William Nelson Cromwell Fellowship, American Society for Legal History
- 2014 Phil Zwickler Memorial Research Grant, Cornell University Library
- 2014 Library Research Grant, Friends of the Princeton University Library

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Workshops Organized

- 2021 “Body Fixes: Entanglements of Sexuality, Disability, and Health,” Sexualities Project at Northwestern Annual Workshop, April 16
- 2019 “Sexual ReVisions: Sexualities through a Transnational Lens,” Sexualities Project at Northwestern Annual Workshop, May 9–10

Panels Organized

- 2022 “Out of our buses, bars, beds, and classrooms! Mid-20th century US LGBTQ resistance to discriminatory policing practices,” Queer History Conference, San Francisco State University, June 12–15
- 2018 “Sex, Emergency, and the Emerging Child,” American Studies Association, Nov. 8–11
- 2017 “Sexuality and the Making of the Carceral State,” Organization of American Historians, Apr. 6–8

2016 “Urban Activism and the Realignment of Sexual Citizenship since the 1970s,” Urban History Association, Oct. 13–16

Papers Presented

- 2022 “Fetishizing Ryan White: the Pedophilic Gaze and the Creation of a Hierarchy of People with HIV/AIDS,” *Pandemics, Public Health, and Statecraft in Twentieth-Century U.S. History*, University College London, July 4–5
- 2021 “Bad Queers: LGBTQ People and the Carceral State in Modern America,” Rothermere American Institute, University of Oxford, Nov. 24
- 2021 “Bad Queers: How Social Movements Transformed the Governance of Gay Sex and Gender Nonconformity,” *Organization of American Historians*, Apr. 15–18
- 2020 Distinguished Guest Speaker, “From Cradle to Grave: Histories of the Life Course, Histories of Sexuality” Symposium, Yale Research Initiative on the History of Sexualities, Feb. 20–21
- 2019 “Underage Sex in the Archives,” Social Science History Association, Nov. 21–24
- 2019 “Bad Queers: LGBT Americans and the Carceral State in Modern America,” on a panel of emerging scholars organized by the Board of the American Society for Legal History, American Historical Association, Jan. 3–6

TEACHING

Northwestern University

- 2020 Foundations of Online Teaching practicum
- 2019–2020 Undergraduate honors thesis advisor in Gender & Sexuality Studies

Eliza Levy, “The Ethics of State-Sanctioned Monitoring: How Gender, Sexuality, & Class Shape the Citizenship of Welfare Mothers”

2019–2020 Consent: Sexual Agency in Historical Context (300-level undergraduate seminar)

2019–2020 Sex Offenses (300-level undergraduate lecture)

Central Michigan University

Spring 2018 Introduction to Women’s and Gender Studies (100-level undergraduate lecture)

PEER REVIEWS

2021 *GLQ: A Journal of Lesbian and Gay Studies*

2019 Berghahn Press

COMMUNITY SERVICE

2017–pres. Member, Queer and Trans People for Sexual Justice (4sexualjustice.org)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Member, American Historical Association

Member, American Society for Legal History

Member, Organization of American Historians