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UCSB, English department
MA/PhD Program
Medieval Studies Emphasis
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Conferences: Papers and Panels

- Member of Plenary Committee for UCSB's Early Modern Center's upcoming "Body Matters!: Disability in English Literature to 1800" conference, March 2024
- Upcoming presentation of "I am al Venerien': Alys's Transfeminist Rhetoric & Experience in the Wife of Bath's *Prologue*" on Panel 4: Wife of Bath I: Alisoun After Intersectionality: New Feminist Approaches to the Wife of Bath
- Upcoming presentation of "The Embodiment of Medieval Auctoritas in *Titus Andronicus* and *Pericles, Prince of Tyre*" on the Shakespeare's Medievalisms panel at the upcoming International Congress on Medieval Studies, 2024
- Panel Chair of "The Neopagan and the Medieval: A Crooked Path in Scholarship" at the upcoming International Congress on Medieval Studies, 2024
- Presentation of "The 't4t' Gift Economy and Antagonisms in the Middle English Romance of *Sir Launfal*" at the International Congress on Medieval Studies on the Encounters in Medieval Trans Studies panel, hosted by Western Michigan University, May 11th-13th, 2023, as well as the Gender & Sexuality Graduate Student Colloquium at UCSB, June 15th, 2023
- Presentation of "Liminal Intertextualities in *Sir Orfeo*" at Pacific Ancient and Modern Language Association 2022 for the Middle English (including Chaucer) panel, hosted at UCLA, November 11th-13th, 2022

- Presentation of “‘Gode is þe lay, swete is þe note’: The Liminality of Media in the Worlds of *Sir Orfeo*” at the Medieval Association of the Pacific conference, April 21st-24th, 2022 in Banff, Alberta, Canada
- Presentation of “The Forum of Hic Mulier: Body Economics in The Roaring Girl” at UCSB’s Early Modern Center’s Winter 2022 “Voicing ‘Woman’ Across Media, 1500-1800” conference

Education

University of California, Santa Barbara / MA/PhD in English

FALL 2021-PRESENT, Santa Barbara, CA

- Entered an English MA/PhD program at UCSB in Fall 2021
- Into my second year, I began to regularly teach entry level coursework and/or assisting professors with larger courses
- Medieval Studies emphasis, currently drafting a prospectus concerning transgender studies, ecocriticism, disability, and Geoffrey Chaucer

University of California, Los Angeles / BA in English

FALL 2018-SPRING 2020, Los Angeles, CA

- Transferred from Santa Ana College via Honors Transfer program to UCLA in Fall 2018
- Coursework involved extensive medieval/renaissance surveys, creative writing workshops in poetry, and classics courses
- Graduated in Spring 2020, with a Creative Writing emphasis and 3.5 GPA

Relevant Experience

Education First, Santa Barbara / ESL Summer Teacher

SUMMER 2022 – FALL 2023, Santa Barbara, CA

- Taught English as a Second Language to international students at the secondary level at EF Santa Barbara
- Developed a syllabus and taught an American Poetry elective course
- Mentor in Coaching program for long term ESL students

Steps Academy at Arroyo Pacific Academy / English Tutor

SEPT 2020 – JULY 2021, Arcadia, CA

- Tutored English at the primary level for Steps Academy, an afterschool program at Arroyo Pacific Academy, a private institution

FedEx, / Sales Consultant

NOV 2020 — JULY 2021, Brea, CA

- Processing, managing, and handling of packages and postage going through the services offered by FedEx
- Assisting and facilitating the sale of other miscellaneous retail services or products to customers, such as printing and faxing

Research

UCSB English Department, Renaissance Qualifying Exam Revision / Research

Assistant

FALL 2022 - SPRING 2023, Santa Barbara, CA

- Assisted the reorganization and refitting of the English department's List 2, Renaissance Literature, including but not limited to individual early modern poems in English

UCSB English Department, Medieval Literatures Center / Research Assistant

FALL 2022 - SPRING 2023, Santa Barbara, CA

- Helped to organize guest speakers for 22-23 lecture series

English Broadside Ballad Archive / Research Assistant

SUMMER 2021, Santa Barbara, CA

- At EBBA, I have received hands-on experience in facsimile transcription, image association, and basics of XML
- Conducted over 75 hours of cataloging since Summer 2021

UCSB English Department, PLO 22-23 / Research Assistant

JAN 2022 - MARCH 2022, Santa Barbara, CA

- Poured over undergraduate essays and graduate CV's for the English department's Program Learning Outcomes certification 2022-23

Awards

- Honorable Mention for the Fred & Edith Herman Memorial Prize 2019-20,

- UCLA's entry in the Academy of American Poets' College & University Prizes
- Trans* Travel Grant from Society for Medieval Feminist Studies (SMFS), Summer 2022

Academic Appointments

Guest Lecturer / UCSB English Department

Intermittent

- Offered a guest lecture, "The Slays (lais) of Marie de France", for Professor Heather Blurton's ENGL 101, English Literature before 1650, Winter 2023

Teaching Assistant / UCSB English Department

WINTER 2022, FALL 2022 - PRESENT

- Facilitated one section of Dr. Kristy McCants' English 192WW Women Writers in Science Fiction, Winter 2022
- Facilitated two sections of Professor Brian Donelley's English 192SF Introductory Science Fiction course, Fall 2022
- Facilitated two sections of Dr. Heather Blurton's English 101 "English Literature from the Medieval Period to 1650", Winter 2023
- Facilitated two sections of the Distinguished Professor Alan Liu's English 25 "Literature and the Information, Media, and Communication Revolutions", Spring 2023
- Facilitated one section of Dr. David Moak's Comparative Literature 30C, "Modern and Contemporary European Literature, 1800-2000"
- Facilitating three sections of Dr. Andrew Griffin's English 10, "An Introduction to Literary Study", Fall 2023

Publications: Poetry, Articles, Podcasts, & Book Reviews

"The T4T Gift Economy and its Romance within the Middle English lai *Sir Launfal*"
/ Comitatus, vol. 54, UCLA

FALL 2023

- My first serious reckoning of the Middle English *lai* in a theoretical and transgender framing, *Comitatus* at UCLA'S CMRS's Early Modern Center for Early Global Studies (CMRS-CEGS) is published my scholastic article debut Fall 2023 in *Volume 54*

“On *Science Fiction in Translation*” / *Science Fiction Research Association (SFRA) Review*
FALL 2023

- My first book review ever, of *Science Fiction in Translation: Perspectives on the Global Theory and Practice of Translation* (ed. Ian Campbell, 2021) in the Fall issue of *SFRA Review*

Faunalia / Gods & Radicals/Ritona Press

MAY 1st 2023

- Debut manuscript of poetry published by Gods & Radicals/Ritona Press and edited by Editor-in-Chief and noted pagan author Rhyd Wildermuth. Audiobook edition forthcoming.

The Multicultural Middle Ages / Graduate Student Committee of the Medieval Academy of America (GSC MAA)

MAY 2023

- Organized, wrote, participated in, and partially edited “De Rade Longe 1990s’: Nostalgia and Pop Medievalisms of the 90s and Y2K” along with cohortmate Olivia Bievenue and Occidental College librarian Erin Sulla

Poems

INTERMITTENT

- I have been writing poetry since a young age, and have had poems published in academic literary journals (*SAC Literary Journal*, *Westwind*, & *Matchbox*) as well as small presses such as *Red Fez*, *Gods & Radicals*, and *The Mandarin*.

Languages

- Spanish (intermediate reading; informal practice/language *intercambio*)
 - Common European Framework: **A2**
- French (intermediate reading, some composition: accredited coursework and paleographic sources)
 - Common European Framework: **A2-B1**
- Latin (intermediate reading, some composition, translation; accredited coursework and reading groups)
- Middle English (focus of study, advanced reading, translation; coursework, research, and reading groups)
- Old English (beginner/intermediate reading; translation: coursework and research)
- Old French (beginner reading, translation)
- Scandinavian languages/dialects (Swedish heritage learner)

Community Engagement

- Participated and facilitated Latin and Middle English reading groups within the UCSB English department, starting in May 2021 until the present day
- Frequently involved with art shows and performances showcasing the queer community in Ventura and Santa Barbara counties

Bernie Sanders 2020 Presidential Campaign / Volunteer

FALL 2019-SPRING 2020

- Tabled on UCLA's campus, pamphleteered, organized phone and texting banking, and went door to door in different Los Angeles talking to community members about the Sanders campaign, in English and (somewhat broken) Spanish

RaceB4Race / 2023-24 Cohort Member

FALL 2023-SPRING 2024

- Incoming member of ASU's Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies's (ACMRS) flagship program, RaceB4Race. Guided under the mentorship of Cara María Thomas (FAU), current Early Middle English Society president

Lisa's Place/SBTAN / Community Facilitator

OCTOBER 2023 - PRESENT

- Lisa's Place is a queer and trans youth advocacy and community organization based in Santa Barbara county, California. Since October 2023, I have functioned as a Facilitator in the community, organizing events/meetups, hosting meetings, and attending volunteer events

Committee of Graduate Students (CoGS) / Co-Chair

FALL 2023 - SPRING 2024

- Sitting Co-Chair of the Committee of Graduate Students, a grad organization within the Department of English, UCSB. Responsible for organizing events and writing groups, as well as addressing graduate student concerns

Society Memberships

New Chaucer Society (NCS)

- Student membership of New Chaucer Society since January 2021

International Arthurian Society, North American branch

- Student membership (*degree seeking in the field of Arthurian and/or Medieval Studies*) since May 2023

International Marie de France Society (IMFS)

- Student membership since 2023

Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)

- Student membership since May 2022
- Awarded the Trans* Travel Grant the same year

Modern Language Association (MLA)

- Student membership since November 2023

John Gower Society (JGC)

- Student membership since November 2023