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## EDUCATION

- M.A./PhD, Sociocultural Anthropology, University of California, Santa Barbara  
Committee: Dr. Jeffrey Hoelle (Chair), Dr. Barbara Herr Harthorn, Dr. Elana Resnick  
Fall 2018- Present
- M.A., International Cultural Heritage Management, Durham University, UK  
Dissertation: *Cultivating Continuity: Ethnoecological Heritage Initiatives Towards the Safeguarding of Indigenous Heritage*, Distinction received  
Fall 2016- Spring 2017
- B.A., Cultural Anthropology, French Language Minor, Kansas State University (Cum Laude)  
Fall 2012- Spring 2016

## FIELDWORK AND RESEARCH

- UCSB Doctoral Research: U.S. Edible Insect Advocacy Community  
"Edible Insect Acceptance Efforts by Diverse Stakeholders toward a Sustainable Food System"  
Fieldwork: Little Herds, Austin; Bugible, Los Angeles; North American Coalition for Insect Agriculture, U.S.  
Spring- Fall 2019
- Durham University M.A. Research: Maya Ethnoecological Heritage Initiatives, Yaxunah, Mexico  
"Cultivating Continuity: Ethnoecological Heritage Initiatives Towards the Safeguarding of Indigenous Heritage"  
March-May 2017
- Kansas State University Undergraduate Research: Taos Pueblo Youth Ethnoecology, New Mexico  
"Cultural Safeguarding through Pueblo Youth Horticultural Movements"  
May-August 2015

## GUEST LECTURES AND EVENTS

- The Wonderful World of Bugs*, Virtual Lecture Series, Crane County Day School, Montecito, CA  
November 2020
- Edible Insects and the Future of Food*; Food Citizenship Series, UC Santa Barbara  
February 2020
- Entomophagy*; Environmental Anthropology, Dr. Jeff Hoelle, UC Santa Barbara  
November 2019
- Edible Insects and Infrapolitics* Poster; American Anthropological Association, Vancouver, Canada  
November 2019
- Entomophagy*; Anthropology of Food, Professor Wilkie, UC Santa Barbara  
October 2019
- Entomophagy and the Environment*; Anthropocene, Dr. Anna Tsing, UC Santa Cruz  
September 2019
- Edible Insects and IV Ethnobotany*, Diet and Climate Change, Professor Wilkie  
May 2019
- Google Refresh: Food and Tech*; Edible Insect Event, South by Southwest, Austin, TX  
March 2019
- Edible Insects and the Future of Food*; Cheadle Center for Biodiversity and Ecological Restoration  
March 2019
- Ethnoecological Heritage Initiatives*; Department of Anthropology, Durham University  
June 2017
- Cultivating Culture*; Central States Anthro Society: Ecological Perspectives, Kansas City, KS  
April 2016
- Cultivating Culture*; Posters at the Capitol, Topeka, KS  
February 2016
- Edimorphosis*; Kansas State Launch Entrepreneurial Competition, KSU  
November 2015
- To Live in this World*; K-State Innovation and Inspiration Campaign, KSU  
October 2015
- To Live in this World*; Ethnografilm Festival, Paris, France  
April 2015
- Edible Insects*: Sapiens Symposium, Department of Anthropology, KSU  
April 2015

## PUBLICATIONS

- "A review of edible insect industrialization: Scales of production and implications for sustainability," *Environmental Research Letters*, doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/aba1c1  
July 2020
- "If You Can't Beat it, Eat It: Adding Invasive Species to Your Plate," *IHC Fellows Blog*  
July 2020
- In Process: *21<sup>st</sup> Century Livestock*, book contribution  
Summer 2020
- Op-ed Contribution: "Winning on Reducing Food Waste- From SXSW to Earth Day," *Food Tank*  
April 2019
- "Cultivating Continuity: Maya Plant Knowledge in the Yucatán," *St Cuthbert's Chronicle*  
June 2017
- "To Live in This World," *Journal of Video Ethnography*  
October 2015

## EMPLOYMENT

UCSB, Teaching Assistant, Environmental Anthropology; Dr. Jeff Hoelle	Fall 2019, Spring/Fall 2020
UCSB, Reader, Ecological Anthropology; Anthropology of Food; Dr. Manasendu Kundu	Summer 2020
UCSB, Reader, Colonialism and Culture; Professor Elizabeth Weigler	Spring 2020
Little Herds: Edible insect Educational Non-profit, Intern, Austin, TX	Spring- Fall 2019
UCSB, Teaching Assistant, Cultural Anthropology; Dr. Matthew Whittle, Dr. Jeff Hoelle	Fall 2018, Winter 2019
UCSB, Reader, Medical Anthropology; Dr. Barbara Herr Harthorn	Fall 2018
UCSB, Graduate Student Association Lounge Staff	Fall 2018- Present
Cambridge Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology, Gallery Assistant, Cambridge, UK	Fall 2017- Spring 2018
Yaxunah Centro Cultural, Work Placement, Yaxunah, Mexico	March-May 2017
Edimorphosis: Edible Insect Flour, Co-owner, Manhattan, KS	2015-2016
KSU, Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology Dr. Harald Prins, Dr. Michael Wesch, Dr. Trevor Durbin	Spring 2014-2016 Fall 2015, 2013
KSU, Teaching Assistant: Intro to Archaeology and World Prehistory; Dr. Lauren Ritterbush	Spring 2016
KSU, Residential Learning Assistant: The Art of Hacking Culture CAT Community	Fall 2015- Spring 2016
Visual Anthropology Post-Production Assistant for Dr. Harald Prins	Fall 2015
Taos County Economic Development Corp., Intern, Taos Pueblo, NM	Summer 2015
KSU, Archaeological Collection Museum Outreach Program Assistant, Dr. April Bojorquez	Spring 2014

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Santa Barbara Bugs Project	Winter 2019- Present
UCSB IV Ethnobotany Project and Website	Fall 2018- Present
UCSB Graduate Student Association, Head Lounge Staff	Fall 2020- Present
UCSB Anthropology Graduate Student Association, Fundraising Chair	Fall 2018- Present
<i>Refresh: Food &amp; Tech; Future of Food</i> , South by Southwest Events, Austin, TX	Spring 2019, Spring 2020
<i>Edible insects and the disgust factor</i> , MOXI Museum, Santa Barbara, CA	October 2019
<i>Cooking with Critters</i> , Girl Scout Program, Central Coast Girl Scouts, Castroville, CA	Summer 2019
<i>Cooking with Critters</i> , Girl Scout Program, Ventura County Girl Scouts, Ventura, CA	Summer 2019
<i>Edible Insects at the Bug Barn</i> ; Santa Cruz County Fair, Watsonville, CA	June 2019
St. Cuthbert's Society Community Garden Vice-President, Durham, UK	Jan- Sept. 2017
Green Apple Bikes, Community Bicycle Share Initiative Co-developer, Manhattan, KS	2015-2016

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

UCSB Public Humanities Graduate Fellow	Winter 2020- Present
UCSB Department of Anthropology, Charles J. Erasmus Fund	Spring 2020
UCSB Graduate Student Internship Fellowship	Summer 2019
Interdepartmental PhD Emphasis in Environment and Society	Winter 2019- Present
Rosemary Cramp Research Award, Durham University Archaeology Department	Spring 2017
St Cuthbert's Society Postgraduate Research Award	Spring 2017
St Cuthbert's Society Student Development Award	Spring 2017
Phi Beta Kappa Society	Fall 2016
French National Honor Society, Pi Delta Phi	2014-2016
Kansas State University Entrepreneurial Launch Competition Winner	November 2015
KSU Office of Undergraduate Research and Creative Inquiry Research and Travel Grant	Summer 2015
Martin Ottenheimer Adventurous Anthropology Award	April 2015