Kate Aguilar

Curriculum Vitae

Assistant Professor
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EDUCATION

2021 **Ph.D.**, Department of History, University of Connecticut
2009 **M.A.**, Africana Studies, Indiana University
2005 **B.A.**, Departments of Black Studies and English Writing, DePauw University

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2021 **Assistant Professor**
Department of History, Gustavus Adolphus College

2021 **Instructor of Record**
Department of History, Sterling College

2018-2021 **Instructor of Record**
Department of Sociology, Indiana University Kokomo

2015-2016 **Instructor of Record**
Department of History, Ivy Tech Community College

2012 **Affiliate Instructor**
Africana Studies Institute, University of Connecticut

2010-2011 **Instructor of Record**
Department of History, Manchester Community College

PUBLICATIONS

Academic

2018 "To Win One for the Gipper: Football and the Fashioning of a Cold Warrior," *Defending the American Way of Life: Sport, Culture, and the Cold War*, eds. Toby Rider and Kevin Witherspoon, University of Arkansas Press, 113-126.

Public Scholarship

2021 "A Review of 'Colin in Black & White': Race, Sport, and the Power of Black Oral History," *Sport in American History* (blog), October 30.

2021 "The Heavy Door of Race and Social Belonging in (American) Soccer," *Sport in American History* (blog), October 3.

2016 "The Revolt of the Black Athlete and the White Ally: A Tale of Two Footballers," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2016 "A Look to Change Reality: Race and Power through the Eyes of Etan Thomas," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2016 "From Superman to Just a 'Boy': Why a 'Discussion' of Race, Sport, and Cam Newton Still Matters," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2016 "The Man in the Mirror: Black Culture, White Privilege, and Supermen in the Age of Cam Newton," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2016 "Sparring with Cinematic 'Truth': Race, Boxing, and Place in the Movie *Creed* (2015)," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2015 "To Got Game: American Dreams, Racial Nightmares, and HBO's *Ballers*," *Sport in American History* (blog).

2015 "Race, Class, Geography, and Sport, and the Dangers of Following the Herd," *Sport in American History* (blog).

Book/Film reviews

2022 Film Review of *They Call Me Magic* (2022), *Journal of Sport History*, forthcoming.

2022 Through Their Own Lens: Film Review of *One Night in Miami* (2020), *Blood Brothers: Malcolm X & Muhammad Ali* (2021), and *Muhammad Ali* (2021), *Journal of Sport History*, forthcoming.

2022 Keith B. Wood, *Memphis Hoops: Race and Basketball in the Bluff City, 1968-1997* (2021), *Journal of Southern History* 88, no. 3 (August 2022): 592-593.

2021 Paul E. Morton, *Jai Alai: A Cultural History of the Fastest Game in the World*, *Connecticut History Review* (Spring 2021): 124-126.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

2022 NEH Humanities Lab Research Grant, Gustavus Adolphus College
2022 Presidential Faculty/Student Collaboration Grant, Gustavus Adolphus College
2022 Competitive Travel Grant, John S. Kendall Center for Engaged Learning, Gustavus Adolphus College
2021 Individual Teaching and Learning Mini-Grants, John S. Kendall Center for Engaged Learning, Gustavus Adolphus College
2015 Founders' Dissertation Fellowship Prize, Western Association of Women Historians
2014 El Instituto: Institute of Latina/o, Caribbean, and Latin American Studies' Pre-doctoral Award, University of Connecticut
2014 Ida B. Wells Graduate Student Fellowship, Coordinating Council for Women in History
2012 Bruce M. and Sondra Astor Stave Prize in Recent American History, University of Connecticut

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2021 **Assistant Professor, Gustavus Adolphus College**
Introductory courses
HIS 142: African American History I (developed at Gustavus)
HIS 143: African American History II (developed at Gustavus)

Upper-level courses
HIS 203: The Black Athlete in America (developed at Gustavus)

2021 **Instructor of Record, Sterling College**
Topics in American History: African American History

2018-2021 **Instructor of Record, Indiana University Kokomo**
Race and Ethnic Relations
Race, Crime, and Justice
Family Violence
Social Movements and Collective Action
Western Civilization I

2015-2016 **Instructor of Record, Ivy Tech Community College**
American History I

2012 **Affiliate Instructor for the Africana Studies Institute**
Introduction to African American Studies

2010-2011 **Instructor of Record, Manchester Community College**
American History II

CONFERENCES

2022 Fiftieth Anniversary Panel: "Inside/Out: A Cultural Prism of Blackness & Whiteness in Sport History," North American Society for Sport History Annual Conference, May 27-30.

2021 "The Rage to Win: The Black Athlete and the U in the Sunbelt South," Southern Historical Association's Annual Conference, Virtual, November 3-6.

2016 "'The World is Yours': Miami, Conservative Masculinity, and the Non-White 'Bad Guy' in the Popular Imagination," Western Association of Women Historians' Annual Conference, Denver, CO, May 12-14.

2015 "To Win One for the Gipper: Football and the Self-Fashioning of Ronald Reagan," North American Society for Sport History's Annual Conference, Miami, FL, May 23.

2008 "Breaking Down the Black Autobiography: The Role of Movement in Defining a Racial Identity," Herman C. Hudson Symposium, Bloomington, IN, March 22.

2008 "Who Makes the List: 'Oprah's Book Club,' Consumer Capitalism, and Canon Reformation," Midwestern Conference on Literature, Language, and Media, DeKalb, IL, March 16.

2008 "Firing the Canon: The Role of Race and Celebrity in Canon Reformation," National Association for African American Studies & Affiliates National Conference, Baton Rouge, LA, February 8-10.

DEPARTMENTAL/COLLEGE SERVICE

2022-2023	Research Center Faculty Advisory Committee
2022-2025	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee
2022	Gustie Gear Up Advisor
2021-2022	Co-Chair of Course Approvals, Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies
2021-2022	Facilitator of Kendall Center Teaching Circle
2021-present	African Studies Program Steering Committee Member
2021	Fall Visit Days Presentation on History
2021	Admissions FIKA Event
2021-2022	President's Scholarship Interviews

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2022-2024	Member, Grad Student Advisory Committee, North American Society for Sport History
2021-2024	Member, Equality, Diversity, Inclusion and Decolonisation Coordinating Group, North American Society for Sport History
2021	Moderator of the Bad Girl Series, Indiana University School of Education

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

African American History; twentieth-century U.S. History; the carceral state; sport history; urban history; the Global South.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

American Historical Association
Organization of American Historians
North American Society for Sport History
Southern Historical Association

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST