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Curriculum Vitae

Department of History
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EXPERIENCE

2015 Lecturer, History, Santa Barbara Business College

2015 Researcher Assistant to Dr. Jane de Hart, *Ruth Bader Ginsburg: Pursuing Equality*, (Forthcoming from Knopf Publishing, 2016).

2013-2014 University of California, Santa Barbara, Engineering Department
Co-Instructor: Ethics in Engineering

2008-2014 University of California, Santa Barbara, History and Engineering Departments
Teaching Assistant: Engineering; English; Political Science; U.S. History; Western Civilization; World History

EDUCATION

Ph.D., History, University of California, Santa Barbara, 2015.
Dissertation: *The Color of NASA: Racial Inclusion and the American Space Program, 1957-78*.

M.A., History, California State University, Fullerton, 2007.

B.A., Business Administration, California State University, Fullerton, 1990.

PUBLICATIONS

"Détente and Dissent: Apollo-Soyuz, Ruth Bates Harris, and NASA's Rhetoric of Cooperation," *Quest: The History of Spaceflight Quarterly*, 22:1 (2015): 4-15.

"Irony in Indonesia: Promises, Aspirations, and the Japanese Military Presence, 1942-46," *Welebaethan: Journal of History* (2007): 85-96.

INVITED TALKS

"Détente and Dissent: Apollo-Soyuz, Ruth Bates Harris, and NASA's Rhetoric of Cooperation," Society for the History of Technology Annual Meeting, Dearborn, Michigan, 9 November 2014.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Paper: "Détente and Dissent: Apollo-Soyuz, Ruth Bates Harris, and NASA's Rhetoric of Cooperation." Graduate Symposium on the Cold War and International History, University of California, Santa Barbara, 12 April 2014.

Paper: "Nine Black Kids and a Silver Ball: Little Rock, *Sputnik*, and the American International Image." Graduate Symposium on the Cold War and International History, University of

California, Santa Barbara, 22 February 2013.

Commentator: Graduate Student Symposium on the Cold War and International History,
University of California, Santa Barbara, 22 February 2013.

Paper: "Guns, Butter, or Rockets: The Evolution of Presidential Rhetoric during the Race to the Moon." International Graduate Student Conference on the Cold War, Santa Barbara, California, 16 April 2011.

Paper: "Preparation and Responsibility: Judy Chapel and the Cuban Missile Crisis." Phi Alpha Theta Southern California Regional Conference, Orange, California, 12 April 2008.

Paper: "The Constant and Changing Experience of American Military Combat." Phi Alpha Theta Southern California Regional Conference, Fullerton, California, 29 April 2006.

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2014 Sacknoff Prize for Space History	\$300
2013 Philip & Aida Siff Educational Graduate Fellowship	\$5000
2012 Interdisciplinary Humanities Center Pre-Doctoral Fellowship	\$6000
2012 Richard and Jeanne Williams Endowed Graduate Fellowship	\$2600
2012 Bernath Research Prize	\$2000
2012 History Associates	\$1500
2011 History Associates	\$1000
2010 Donald Van Gelderen Memorial Challenge	\$6000
2008 Darcy Ruth Ritzau Graduate Student Award	\$1000

DEPARTMENTAL / UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2014-2015	Assistant Administrator - UCSB Center for Cold War Studies and International History
2014-2015	VP Communications - UCSB History Graduate Students Association
2013-2014	Curriculum Committee, UCSB History Department
2013-2014	Vice-President - UCSB History Graduate Students Association
2012-2014	History Department Representative - UCSB Graduate Students Association

TEACHING AREAS

- The Cold War
- The Space Race
- U.S. History Survey
- U.S. Foreign Policy
- U.S.: War and Society Since 1789

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association

Center for Cold War Studies and International History, UC Santa Barbara

Organization of American Historians

Society for the History of Technology

REFERENCES

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Dr. Salim Yaqub, Associate Professor, U.S Foreign Relations, University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9410. (805) 893-2991 syaqub@history.ucsb.edu.