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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2014 Ph.D. Anthropology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Certificate in Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights
Certificate in Linguistics
- 2008 M.A. Anthropology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- 2006 B.S. Packaging Science (Materials Science), Rochester Institute of Technology

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Disaster Response, Forensic Humanitarian and Human Rights Interventions, Forensic Capacity Building, Human Trafficking Intervention, Transitional Justice

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- 2020- Associate Professor of Forensic Sciences, University of Findlay, Findlay, OH
- 2019- Forensic Anthropologist, Wayne County Medical Examiner's Office, Detroit, MI
- 2014-20 Assistant Professor of Forensic Sciences, University of Findlay, Findlay, OH
- 2011 Adjunct Lecturer of Human Anatomy, Lincoln Memorial University, Alcoa, TN

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2021- *"Effects of Intersecting Stakeholder Risk Perception, Preparedness, and Response to Tornadoes in Tennessee"* Co-PIs: AJ Reinke, ER Eldridge. National Hazards Center, Weather-Ready Research Grant. \$6,875
- 2019-2021 *"Restless Spirits and Human Remains: Life, Death, and Justice in Post-War Northern Uganda"* Co-PIs: TR Hepner, DW Steadman, JJ Kim, HH Tuller, JR Hanebrink. School for Advanced Research Seminar Grant.
- 2019-20 *"Forensic Intervention and Transitional Justice Research Lab Manager"* University of Findlay Graduate Research Assistant Half-Time Funding \$7,500
- 2018-19 *"Transitional Justice, Forensic Intervention, and Mass Graves in Uganda"* University of Findlay, Enhanced Teaching and Scholarship Grant. \$10,000
- 2018-19 *"Forensic Intervention and Transitional Justice Research Lab Manager"* University of Findlay, Graduate Research Assistantship Full-Time Funding \$15,000
- 2016-17 *"Agency of the Dead, Transitional Justice, and Forensic Intervention in Uganda"* Minority Health Int'l Research and Training Program, National Institute of Health. ID: NIH 5T37MD001378 \$20,000
- 2013-16 *"Transitional Justice, Forensic Intervention, and Human Rights in Canada."* \$13,406

Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation. ID: 132160. Supervisor: TR Hepner.

2013-14 "Transitional Justice, Forensic Intervention, and Human Rights in Canada." \$20,000
Wenner-Gren Foundation, Dissertation Fieldwork Grant. Grant ID: 8649.

PUBLICATIONS: Peer-reviewed

- In Review Adams DM., Goldstein JG, Isa M, **Kim JJ**, Moore MK, Pilloud MA, Tallman S, and Winburn AP. A Conversation on Redefining Ethical Considerations in Forensic Anthropology. *American Anthropologist*.
- In Press **Kim JJ**, Tuller HT, and Elgerud LN. Gaining Community Entry for Forensic Anthropology Capacity Building and Intervention. *Forensic Sciences Research*.
- 2021 **Kim JJ**, Eldridge ER, Reinke AJ, and Williams S. Digitally shaped ethnographic relationships during a global pandemic and beyond. *Qualitative Research*. DOI: doi.org/10.1177/146879412111052275
- 2021 **Kim JJ**. Indigenous Youth and Experiences with Transitional Justice in Canada. *NEOS* 13(1).
- 2020 **Kim JJ**, Reinke AJ, Eldridge ER, and Grant M. Between Ohio and Georgia: Constructing the COVID-19 Disaster in the United States. *Anthropology Today* 36(4):17-19.
- 2020 Elgerud LN and **Kim JJ**. Mapping the intangible: Forensic human rights documentation in post-conflict Uganda. *The International Journal of Human Rights*.
- 2019 **Kim JJ**, Tuller HT, and Elgerud LN. Forensic Archaeology and Anthropology Sensitization in Post-Conflict Uganda. *Forensic Science International* 306:110062.
- 2019 **Kim JJ** and Hepner TR. Of Justice and the Grave: the Role of the Dead in Post-Conflict Uganda. *International Criminal Law Review* 19(6):1-25.
- 2018 **Kim JJ**. Perspectives from the Ground: Bureaucratic Violence, Identity, & Transitional Justice in Canada. *Conflict and Society: Advances in Research* 4(1):116-134.
- 2018 **Kim JJ**. An Alternative Approach to Forensic Anthropology: Findings from Northern Uganda. *African Conflict and Peacebuilding Review* 8(1):29-53.
- 2017 **Kim JJ**. Applied Anthropology in Transitional Justice. *Practicing Anthropology* 39(1):24-28.

PUBLICATIONS: Book Chapters

- In Review **Kim JJ**, and Rosenblatt A. Whose Humanitarianism? Whose Forensic Anthropology? In Parra, Robert C. and Douglas H. Ubelaker (Eds.), *Anthropology of Violent Death: Theoretical Foundations for Forensic Humanitarian Action*.

In Review **Kim JJ.** "Human Rights" In *Keywords in Health Humanities*.

In Press Moore MK and **Kim JJ.** Marginalization, Death, and Decline: The role of forensic anthropology to document the osteology of poverty in Detroit, Michigan in the 21st Century. In Byrnes, Jennifer and Ivan Sandoval-Cervantes (Eds.), *Toward the Margins*.

PUBLICATIONS: Reports and Non-Peer-Reviewed

2021 Reinke AJ, Eldridge ER, and **Kim JJ.** The March 2020 Tennessee Tornadoes: Risk Perceptions, Preparedness, and Communication. National Hazards Center.

2019 **Kim JJ.** Report on Community Responses to Forensic Sensitization. Ugandan Local Government and Community Partners.

2019 **Kim JJ.** Review of Alexander Hinton's *The Justice Façade: Trials of Transition in Cambodia*. *American Ethnologist* 46(2):304-305.

2018 **Kim JJ.** Report of Findings for Crime Victim Services. Internal Document.

2016 **Kim JJ.** FEPAC Self-Study, University of Findlay.

2015 **Kim JJ.** Review of Kimberly Theidon's *Intimate Enemies: Violence and Reconciliation in Peru*. *Allegra Lab: Anthropology, Law, Art & World*, (allegralaboratory.net)

2014 **Kim JJ.** "They Made Us Unrecognizable to Each Other: Human Rights, Truth, and Reconciliation in Canada." PhD diss., University of Tennessee.

2013 **Kim JJ.** Review of Arthur J. Ray *Telling it to the Judge: Taking Native History to Court*. *Canadian Journal of Native Studies* 33(2):185-186.

2013 **Kim JJ** and Reinke AR. The Whole is Greater than the Sum of its Parts: Anthropology of Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights. *Anthropology News* 54(11):14-15.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Conference Papers

2022 Reinke AJ, Eldridge ER, and **Kim JJ.** Navigating Disaster Research. Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, 3/22-3/26, Salt Lake City, UT.

2021 Moore MK, and **Kim JJ.** Osteology of Poverty in Detroit, Michigan. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Baltimore, MD.

2019 **Kim JJ.** Re-evaluating Notions of Forensic Intervention, Justice, and Survivor Need after Mass Violence: Lessons from Uganda. 118th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/20-11/24, Vancouver, BC, CAN.

2019 **Kim JJ,** Steadman DW, Hepner TR, Tuller HH, and Hanebrink J. How to Combine Forensic Anthropology with Ethnographic Methods. Society for Urban, National, and Transnational Anthropology Conference, 05/01-05/03, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

2019 Steadman DW, Hepner TR, **Kim JJ,** Hanebrink JR, and Tuller HH. After Atrocity: Why

not to Investigate. 71st American Academy of Forensic Sciences Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

- 2018 **Kim JJ.** Violence of Care: Human Trafficking Intervention in Rural Ohio. 117th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/17-11/20, San Jose, CA.
- 2018 **Kim JJ** and Shoup L. Analyzing Human Trafficking Survivor Intervention and Violence in Rural Ohio: A Community-Based Anthropological Approach. 15th International Human Trafficking & Social Justice Conference, 09/27-09/28, Toledo, OH.
- 2017 **Kim JJ.** The Business of Reconciliation: Bureaucracy, Identity, and Indigeneity. 116th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/29-12/03, Washington, D.C.
- 2017 **Kim JJ.** Bureaucracies of Violence: Discussions from Canada and Uganda. 77th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, 03/29-04/02, Sante Fe, NM.
- 2016 **Kim JJ.** Negotiating the Everyday: Indigenous Trauma and Justice in Canada. 115th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/16-11/20, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2016 **Kim JJ.** Practitioner Perspectives: At the Intersection of Theory and Practice in the Aftermath of Canada's Indian Residential School Era. 76th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, 03/29-04/02, Vancouver, BC, CAN.
- 2015 **Kim JJ.** The Other Sides of Transitional Justice in Canada: Operationalization, Corruption, & Unanticipated Outcomes. 114th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/18-11/22, Denver, CO.
- 2015 **Kim JJ.** Living, Dead, and Imagined Bodies: Political Violence and Forensic Inquiry in Canada. Second Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium: Bridging the Collaborative Gap, 09/25-09/27, Knoxville, TN.
- 2015 **Kim JJ.** Appropriating Power: Meaning of Reconciliation in Settler Colonial Canada. Southern Anthropology Society 50th Annual Meeting. 04/09-04/11, Athens, GA.
- 2015 **Kim JJ.** and Reinke AJ. Anthropologists Beyond Borders: The Globalization of Justice and Human Rights. 75th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology. 03/24-03/28, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 2015 **Kim JJ.** Reclaiming our Anthropological Roots: Forensic Anthropology Reframed as Holistic Anthropology. 75th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology. 03/24-03/28, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 2014 **Kim JJ.** Human Rights, Transitional Justice, [Mis]Information, and Anthropological Knowledge in Canada. 113th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. 12/03-12/07, Washington, D.C.

2014 **Kim JJ.** Structural Violence and the Recreation of Identity. Southern Anthropological Society Conference, 03/30-04/01, Cherokee, NC.

2013 **Kim JJ.** A Holistic Approach to Forensic Anthropology in Human Rights Investigations: A Canadian Context. Inaugural Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium: Framing the Field, 02/08-02/10, Knoxville, TN.

Posters

2022 **Kim JJ,** Hepner TR, Hanebrink J, Tuller HH, and Steadman DW. Cultural Relativity and the Bounds of Forensic Interventions: A Case Study in Uganda. American Academy of Forensic Sciences Humanitarian and Human Rights Resource Center Poster Symposium, 02.21-02/25.

2021 Hanebrink JR, **Kim JJ,** Tuller HH, Hepner TR, Steadman DW, and Emanovsky P. Multisector Collaborations for Transitional Justice in Uganda. American Academy of Forensic Sciences Humanitarian and Human Rights Resource Center Poster Symposium, 02/15-02/19.

2021 **Kim JJ,** Baughman JN, Hanebrink JR, Tuller HH, Emanovsky P, and Steadman DW. Forensic Biology Capacity Building Challenges and Opportunities in northern Uganda. American Academy of Forensic Sciences Humanitarian and Human Rights Resource Center Poster Symposium, 02/15-02/19.

2020 Tuller HH, **Kim JJ,** Emanovsky P, and Steadman DW. Forensic Science Capacity Building in Northern Uganda, 72nd American Academy of Forensic Sciences Annual Meeting, 02/16-02/18, Anaheim CA.

2013 **Kim JJ** and Kembel A. Religion, Spirituality, and Transitional Justice: Findings in Canada and Uganda. Inaugural Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium: Framing the Field, 02/08-02/10, Knoxville, TN.

2012 **Kim JJ.** Transitional Justice in a Non-Transitioning Society: A Study of the Perceived Efficacy of Canada's Justice and Reconciliation Efforts. W.K. McClure Scholarship Study for World Affairs Symposium, Knoxville, TN.

Select Invited Lectures, Panels, and Outreach

2018- Public Speaker, Human Trafficking 101 Informational Sessions, OH

2020 Interviewee, in *Ask the Professor* series for Fifty North, Findlay, OH.

2020 Interviewee, podcast for University of Dayton Brook Center.

2020 Panelist, webinar entitled, "Disasters, Violence, and Recovering Bodies," Collective for Radical Death Studies, 09/29.

2020 Speaker, "Interpretations of Justice and Rights," Kennesaw State University School of Conflict Management, 05/17.

2020 Speaker, "Indian Residential Schools and Forensic Rumor," Duke University, International Comparative Studies Program, 04/01.

2020 Speaker, "Forensic Human Rights Anthropology in Uganda," Middle Tennessee State

- University, Forensic Institute for Research and Innovation, 02/12.
- 2019 Moderator, MPAAC-Sponsored Roundtable, "Anthropology and Human Rights – A New Statement." 118th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/20-24, Vancouver, BC, CAN.
- 2019 Panelist, Roundtable, "Creating Effective Student Research Assistants that Support Faculty Scholarship." Excel @ Teaching Symposium, 08/14, Findlay, OH.
- 2019 Speaker, National Institute of Justice Webinar, "Post-Conflict Forensic Capacity Building: Lessons from Uganda," 03/2019.
- 2018 Panelist, Roundtable entitled, "The Agency of the Dead in Northern Uganda," Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Conference, 2/9-2/11, Knoxville, TN.
- 2018 Invited Speaker, "Bodies and Boundaries," Georgia College Anthropology Program 10/17, Milledgeville, GA.
- 2017 Facilitator, Public Forum, Childhoods in Motion: Children, Youth, Migration, and Education Conference, 3/3, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2016 Keynote Speaker, Open Graves/Open Archives: Ethics and Evidence Conference at Haverford College, 4/21-4/22, Haverford, PA.
- 2015 Panelist, Roundtable entitled, "The Politics of Allyship and Representation in Research and Advocacy on Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights." Second Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium: Bridging the Collaborative Gap, 9/25-9/27, Knoxville, TN.
- 2013 Speaker, The Intersection of Theory and Practice: How Cultural Anthropology Informs Forensic Anthropology. The University of Tennessee Department of Anthropology Brown Bag Lecture Series, Knoxville, TN.

SERVICE

Professional

- 2017- Peer Reviewer, African Conflict and Peacebuilding Review
- 2016- Peer Reviewer, International Journal of Transitional Justice
- 2017-20 Human Rights Seat, Members' Programmatic Advisory Committee, AAA
- 2018 Conference Co-Organizer, Pedagogical Techniques and Innovations in Anthropology Symposium, 07/27-07/28, Milledgeville, GA.
- 2018 Facilitator, Workshop, "Syllabus Share," Pedagogical Techniques and Innovations in Anthropology Symposium, 07/28, Milledgeville, GA.
- 2017 Chair, "Youth Socialization" Panel, Childhoods in Motion: Children, Youth, Migration, and Education Conference, 03/02-03/05, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2016-19 Executive Board Member, Anthropology of Children/Youth Interest Group of the AAA
- 2015-17 Elected Seat, Committee for Human Rights
- 2015 Organizer, "Counter-Narratives in North American Anthropology...." 114th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 11/18-11/22, Denver, CO.
- 2015 Organizer, "Anthropology and Indigeneity...." Southern Anthropological Society 50th Anniversary Meeting. 04/09-04/11, Athens, GA.

- 2014-15 Steering Committee, Second Conference in Disaster, Displacement, & Human Rights: Bridging the Collaborative Gap, September 25-27, Knoxville, TN.
- 2014 Organizer and Chair, "The Influence of Stakeholders...." 113th Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, 12/03-12/07, Washington, D.C.
- 2013 Moderator, What's Anthropology Got to Do with It? Inaugural Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium. 02/08-02/10, Knoxville, TN.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2019- Associate Member, American Academy of Forensic Sciences
- 2011-20 Member, American Anthropological Association
- 2015-18 Trainee Affiliate, American Academy of Forensic Sciences
- 2014-18 Member, Society for Applied Anthropology