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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2019-Present Assistant Professor of Conflict Management, Kennesaw State University

2016-2019 Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Georgia College and State University

EDUCATION

2019 Certificate, Refugees and Forced Migration, York University

2016 PhD, Anthropology, The University of Tennessee-Knoxville

2016 Certificate, Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights, The University of Tennessee-Knoxville

2012 Certificate, Best Practices in Teaching, The University of Tennessee-Knoxville

2011 BA, Anthropology, The University of Georgia

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Conflict management, bureaucratic and administrative violence, displacement, disaster recovery, alternative dispute resolution, peacebuilding, active learning, United States

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Kim, JJ, ER Eldridge, **AJ Reinke**, S Williams (2021) "Digitally-shaped ethnographic relationships during a global pandemic and beyond." *Qualitative Research*.

Reinke, AJ (2020) "Documents and the bureaucratisation of alternative dispute resolution in the United States." *Journal of Legal Anthropology* 4(1): 1-22.

Reinke, AJ and ER Eldridge (2020) "Navigating the 'bureaucratic beast' in Hurricane Florence recovery." *Human Organization* 79(2): 107-116.

Kim, JJ, **AJ Reinke**, ER Eldridge, and M Grant (2020) "Between Georgia and Ohio: Constructing the Covid-19 disaster in the United States." *Anthropology Today* 36(4): 17-19. (Collaborative with a graduate student)

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Butler, SM and **AJ Reinke** (2020) "Global perspectives in the core: Student attitudes and instructor performance." *International Journal for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning* 14(1): 1-7.

Reinke, AJ (2019) "Applied anthropology in juridical gray spaces." *Anthropology in Action* 26(2): 1-8.

Reinke, AJ (2019) "NGO-research collaborations and conflicts: A view from the field." *Commoning Ethnography* 2(1): 98-112.

Reinke, AJ (2019) "The (im)possibilities of social justice through alternative justice in the San Francisco Bay Area." *Entanglements* 2(1):111-125.

Reinke, AJ (2018) "The bureaucratic violence of alternative justice." *Conflict and Society* 4(1): 135-150.

Reinke, AJ (2018) "Childhood and restorative justice in the United States." *Neos* 10(1): 7-8.

Reinke, AJ (2016) "Gendering peacebuilding in post-conflict northern Uganda." *Journal of Global Initiatives* 10(2): 71-86.

Ribando, SJ, **AJ Reinke**, and Scott Gorectke (2015) "In the crosshairs: Government employees and the challenge of right wing extremism." *Questions in Politics* 2: 129-147. (Collaborative with a graduate student)

Ribando, SJ and **AJ Reinke** (2015) "The enemy within: The challenge of domestic terrorism." *Questions in Politics* 2: 91-109.

Ensor, MO and AJ Reinke (2014) "African children's right to participate in their own protection: perspectives from South Sudan." *International Journal of Children's Rights* 22: 68-92.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Lundy, BJ, T Downs, and **AJ Reinke** (In Press) "Indigenous peacemaking and restorative justice." In *Conflict, complexity and critical and emancipatory peacebuilding: New approaches in transforming ethnopolitical conflicts*. Jessica Senehi, Imani M. Scott, Sean Byrne, and Thomas Matyók, editors. New York: Routledge. (Collaborative with a graduate student)

Reinke, AJ (In Press) "From "warm and fuzzy" to "business oriented" practices: The politics of exclusion and masculinization of alternative justice in the United States." In *Female is to male as NGO is to state: Gendered analyses of nongovernmentality*. Andria Timmer and Elizabeth Wirtz, eds.

Ribando, SJ and **AJ Reinke** (2015) "Militia movements," vol. 2: *Guns and contemporary society: The past, present, and future of firearms and firearm policy*, pp. 91-108. Glenn H. Utter, ed. Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger Publishers.

Ribando, SJ and **AJ Reinke** (2015) "Terrorism and the ownership of firearms," vol. 3: *Guns and contemporary society: The past, present, and future of firearms and firearm policy*, pp. 119-140. Glenn H. Utter, ed. Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger Publishers.

NON-PEER REVIEWED

Reinke, AJ (2021) "Review of *The punishment monopoly: Tales of my ancestors, dispossession, and the building of the United States.*" *Exertions*.

Eldridge, ER and **AJ Reinke** (2018) "Introduction: Ethnographic engagement with bureaucratic violence," *Conflict and Society* 4 (1): 94-98.

Reinke, AJ (2016) "Of monsters and men: Tech, startups, and direct action in the San Francisco Bay Area." *Bronislaw Magazine*.

Reinke, AJ (2016) "Gender-relational peacebuilding in Uganda." *Sustainable Security*.

Ribando, SJ and **AJ Reinke** (2015) "The enemy within: The challenge of domestic terrorism." *Draw Science*.

Reinke, AJ (2015) "On transitioning field sites." *Anthropology News* 56(9).

Reinke, AJ (2015) "Journeys within and between the city, Parts 1 and 2." *Allegra Lab*.

Reinke, AJ (2014) "The Challenge of Defining Sexual and Gender-Based Violence: Research and Recommendations for NGOs." *Voices* 7:15, 17.

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

Reinke, AJ (2013) "Review of *Politics of innocence: Hutu identity, conflict and camp life.*" *African Conflict and Peacebuilding Review* 3 (1): 188-190.

Reinke, AJ (2012) "Researcher Responses to 'KONY 2012.'" *Anthropology News* 53(7):41-42.

REPORTS

Reinke, AJ and ER Eldridge (2019) "Summary of findings: Hurricane Florence relief and recovery in Cumberland County, NC." Fayetteville, NC.

Reinke, AJ (2017) "Rapid assessment report: Virginia Center for Restorative Justice." Milledgeville, GA, USA.

Clarke, J and **A Reinke** (2016) "Virginia Center for Restorative Justice annual report: August 2016." Richmond, VA, USA. (Collaborative with community partner)

Clarke, J, L Parker, and **AJ Reinke** (2016) "Restorative justice tool kit." Richmond, VA, USA. (Collaborative with community partner)

Reinke, AJ (2015) "Final research report: Alternative Dispute Resolution practice in the San Francisco Bay Area." San Francisco, CA, USA.

Reinke, AJ and J Hendrix (2014) "Program evaluation final report: The Centre for Reparations and Rehabilitation (CRR)." Gulu, Uganda.

AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS (SELECTED)

2021	Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences, KSU <i>Effects of Intersecting Stakeholder Risk Perception, Preparedness, and Response to Tornadoes in Tennessee</i>	\$4,549
2021	Natural Hazards Center Weather Ready Research Grant <i>Effects of Intersecting Stakeholder Risk Perception, Preparedness, and Response to Tornadoes in Tennessee</i> (with Drs. JJ Kim and ER Eldridge)	\$6,875.52
2018	Dean's Office, College of Arts and Sciences, GCSU <i>Tackling the Refugee Crisis: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue</i> (with Dr. G Rudkevich)	\$2,850
2018	Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Grant, GCSU <i>Faculty and Student Perceptions of GC2Y Effectiveness</i>	\$2,075
2018	Ernest A. Lynton Faculty Award in Engaged Scholarship for Early Career Faculty N/A Finalist, Howard R. Swearer Center, Brown University	
2018	Excellence in Teaching, Department of Government and Sociology, GCSU	N/A
2017	Faculty Research Grant, GCSU <i>Policy-Driven Restorative Justice Implementation in Virginia</i>	\$1,201
2017	Paul D. Coverdell Public Policy Fellowship, GCSU <i>Policy-Driven Restorative Justice Implementation in Virginia</i>	\$2,000
2016	College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Development Grant, GCSU	\$1,054
2016	Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award, UTK	N/A
2015	Yates Dissertation Fellowship, UTK	\$15,000
2015	Thomas Family Fellowship, UTK	\$10,000
2013	Minority Health International Research and Training Program <i>Participatory Action Research with the Centre for Reparations and Rehabilitation in Northern Uganda</i>	\$8,000
2013	W. K. McClure Scholarship for the Study of World Affairs, UTK <i>Participatory Action Research with the Centre for Reparations and Rehabilitation in Northern Uganda</i>	\$4,000

CONFERENCE PAPERS (SELECTED)

2022	Reinke, AJ , ER Eldridge, and JJ Kim "Navigating Disaster Fieldwork," Society for Applied Anthropology, Virtual On Demand Presentation.	
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- 2021 Wehlan, C and **AJ Reinke** "Re-imagining Conflict Management Pedagogy Through Fantastical Role-Play Simulations." Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2021 **Reinke, AJ** and N Bevilacqua "Legal Aid in Disaster Aftermaths." Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2021 **Reinke, AJ** and C Wehlan "Reflections on Using Virtual Simulations for Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Research." Georgia Gwinnett College Teaching, Learning, and Research Symposium, January 14, Lawrenceville, GA.
- 2019 Eldridge, E and **AJ Reinke** "Navigating the 'Bureaucratic Beast' in Hurricane Florence Recovery," Society for the Anthropology of North America and Society for Urban, National, and Transnational Anthropology, May 2, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2019 Butler, SM and **AJ Reinke** "Global Issues in the Core: Assessment, Student Attitudes, and Instructor Performance," Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Commons, January 25, Savannah, GA.
- 2018 **Reinke, AJ** "Documents in the Legal Gray Zone," Southern Anthropological Society, April 20, Chattanooga, TN.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** "Nonprofit-Researcher Collaboration and Conflict: A View from the Field," NGOs and Nonprofits Interest Group, November 28, Washington, DC.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** "The Bureaucratic Violence of Informal Conflict Resolution," American Anthropological Association, December 3, Washington, DC.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** "Addressing the Structural Violence of Displacement and Post-Conflict Rebuilding through Gender-Relational Peacebuilding," War, Environment, Social Inequality, and Peace Studies Conference, May 27, Seville, Spain.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** "The Violent Bureaucracy of Conflict Resolution and Community Peacebuilding," Society for Applied Anthropology, March 29, Santa Fe, NM.
- 2015 **Reinke, AJ** "Conflict and Contest: Deconstructing Dichotomies and Disrupting Power Asymmetries in Community Mediation," American Anthropological Association, November 19, Denver, CO.
- 2015 **Reinke, AJ** "Social Justice Inactivism among Alternative Justice Practitioners in San Francisco," NGOs and Nonprofits Interest Group Conference, November 17-18, Denver, CO.
- 2015 **Reinke, AJ** "Mediating Humanity: The Mediation Room as Space of Conflict and Contest," Conference on Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights, September 27, Knoxville, TN.
- 2015 **Reinke, AJ** "Gendering Peacebuilding in Post-Conflict Uganda," International Conflict Management Conference, April 18, Kennesaw, GA.

- 2015 **Reinke, AJ** Deconstructing the Mythico-History of Restorative Justice: Implications for Theory and Practice,” Southern Anthropological Society, April 9, Athens, GA.
- 2015 Kim, JJ and **AJ Reinke** “Anthropologists without Borders: The Globalization of Justice and Human Rights,” Society for Applied Anthropology, March 27, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 2014 **Reinke, AJ** “Implications of Vernacularization and NGO Proliferation on Research in Northern Uganda,” American Anthropological Association, December 7, Washington, D.C.
- 2014 Ribando, S and **AJ Reinke** “The Enemy Within: The Challenge of Domestic Terrorism,” Georgia Political Science Association, November 15, Savannah, GA.
- 2014 Ribando, SJ, **AJ Reinke**, and S Gorectke “In the Crosshairs: Government Employees and the Challenge of Right-wing Extremism,” Southeastern Conference of Public Administration, September 19, Atlanta, GA.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** “The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly: Revisiting Anthropological Engagement with Participatory Action Research,” American Anthropological Association, November 20-24, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** “Contested Approaches to Peacebuilding: Conceptualizing Alternatives with Anthropology,” Southern Anthropological Society, March 8-11, Johnson City, TN.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** “Theorizing Alternative Approaches to Peacebuilding,” Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium, February 8-10, Knoxville, TN.

INVITED LECTURES

- 2021 **Reinke, AJ** “Disasters and structural violence in the United States.” University of Findlay, November 10, Virtual.
- 2019 **Reinke, AJ** and SM Butler “Faculty and Student Perceptions of GC2Y as an Institutional Mechanism for Global Learning.” Georgia College, September 24, 25 (for faculty), October 31 (for department chairs), Milledgeville, GA.
- 2019 **Reinke, AJ** “Social Vulnerability and Disasters.” Georgia College, September 24, Milledgeville, GA.
- 2019 **Reinke, AJ** “Gentrification and the Violence of Displacement,” Fayetteville State University, March 20, Fayetteville, NC.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** “The Violence of Displacement: How Forced Migration Challenges Identity and Community,” Northern Kentucky University, February 6, Newport, KY.
- 2017 **Reinke, AJ** “The Far-Reaching Effects of Forced Migration,” Augusta University, January 30, Augusta, GA.

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- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** "Politics and Citizen-Government Relationship in Post-Conflict Uganda: A Narrated Discussion," Georgia Regents University, November 5, Augusta, GA.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** "Cross-Cultural Program Evaluations." Georgia Regents University, November 4, Augusta, GA.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** "Assessing Sexual- and Gender-Based Violence in Northern Uganda," Georgia Regents University, November 4, Augusta, GA.
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** and J Hendrix "Health in Northern Uganda: Research with the Centre for Reparations and Rehabilitation," Gulu Study and Service Abroad Program, July, Gulu, Uganda.

ROUNDTABLES

- 2019 "Locating Ethnography and Anthropologists II: Critical Homework and the Interdisciplines," American Anthropological Association, November 2019, Vancouver, CA.
- 2018 "Teaching Ethnography: A Roundtable and Syllabus Swap," American Studies Association, Atlanta, GA.
- 2016 "Situated Solidarities," 2016 Conference on Critical Geography, University of Kentucky, October 15, Lexington, KY.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 **Reinke, AJ** and SM Butler. "Global Learning in the Core: A Qualitative Assessment of Faculty and Student Perspectives," International Society for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, October 10, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Phillips, A and **AJ Reinke** "The Advantages of Restorative Justice for Virginia's Juvenile Incarceration Rates," 53rd Southern Anthropological Society, April 20, Chattanooga, TN.
- 2014 Hendrix, J and **AJ Reinke** "Using Collaboration to Assess Sexual- and Gender-Based Violence in Northern Uganda," Southern Anthropological Society, March 30-April 1, Cherokee, NC.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2021-2021 **Reinke, AJ** "Legal Aid in Disaster Aftermaths." Southeastern US.
- 2020-2021 Eldridge, ER, **AJ Reinke** and JJ Kim. "Tornado Recovery amid COVID-19." Putnam County, TN.
- 2020-2021 **Reinke, AJ** and C Wehlan. "Dungeons and Dragons as a Pedagogical Tool in the Conflict Management Classroom." Kennesaw, GA.

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- 2018-2020 Eldridge, ER and **AJ Reinke**. "The Bureaucratic and Slow Violence of Hurricane Florence Relief and Recovery in North Carolina." Eastern NC.
- 2018-2020 **Reinke, AJ** and SM Butler. "Faculty and Student Perceptions of GC2Y Effectiveness." Milledgeville, GA.
- 2016-2017 **Reinke, AJ** "Policy-Driven Restorative Justice Implementation in Virginia," Richmond, VA
- 2014-2015 **Reinke, AJ** "Advancing Social Justice Through Alternative Dispute Resolution," June-December, San Francisco, CA
- 2013 **Reinke, AJ** and J Hendrix. "Participatory Action Research with the Centre for Reparations and Rehabilitation," May-August, Northern Uganda

SUPERVISED STUDENT RESEARCH

- 2021-Present Tillman, F. Dissertation Title Forthcoming. Kennesaw State University. Dissertation Committee Member.
- 2019-2020 Lawhead, A. Dissertation Title: "Dispute and Dissent: Community Mediation in the Bay Area." California Institute of Integral Studies. Dissertation Committee Member.
- 2018-2019 Johnson, L. Undergraduate Research: "Participation in Episodic Service and/or Sustainable Service." Georgia College and State University.
- 2018-2019 Phalan, M. Undergraduate Research: "Addressing Economic Issues in Milledgeville." Georgia College and State University.

COURSES TAUGHT (SELECTED)

All courses taught in-person unless another course delivery mode is specified.

Undergraduate

Introduction to Anthropology (all sub-fields) (in-person; online)	Violence, Culture, and Human Rights
Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	Cultural Anthropology
Unnatural Disasters	Ethnographic Methods
Anthropology of Justice	Humans on the Move
	Cultures of Justice (online)

Graduate

Conflict Theory	Restorative Justice (online)
Negotiation Theory (in-person; online)	Social Justice (online)
Alternative Dispute Resolution (online)	Sociocultural Theories of International
Advanced Civil Mediation (online)	Conflict (in-person; online)
Research Methods	

SERVICE (SELECTED)

Profession

- 2019-Present Reviewer, *Conflict Resolution Quarterly*
- 2018-Present Secretary-Treasurer, Southern Anthropological Society
- 2018-2021 Reviewer, National Science Foundation
- 2021 Special Issue Editor, "Anthropological Pedagogy in Times of Crisis" (pitch currently in review)
- 2021 Discussant, "COVID-19 as Opportunity in Conflict and Crisis Areas," Mobilization, Interaction, Contention: Relations Between NGOs/Civil Society and States in Times of Covid-19, June 28, University of Haifa, Israel (virtual).
- 2021 Chair and Discussant, "Disasters and Vulnerability" Panel, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL (virtual).
- 2020 Organizer, "Not Your University's Writing Retreat," Virtual Writing Retreat
- 2018-2019 Reviewer, *Economic Anthropology*
- 2015-2019 Reviewer, *Neos*
- 2016-2019 Reviewer, Mandela Washington Fellowship
- 2018 Co-Organizer, "Pedagogical Innovations in Anthropology Symposium," July 27-28, Milledgeville, GA
- 2018 NGO Outreach Coordinator, NGOs and Nonprofits Interest Group, American Anthropological Association
- 2017 Co-organizer, "It's Alive!: When Bureaucracy Attacks," American Anthropological Association, December 3, Washington, DC.
- 2017 Chair, "Anthropology in Action: A participant-driven dialogue on the ever-changing 'boundaries' of anthropologists' interactions with NGOs and nonprofits globally," American Anthropological Association, November 30, Washington, DC
- 2017 Co-chair, "The Political, Economic, and Everyday Violence of Bureaucracy," Society for Applied Anthropology, March 29, Santa Fe, NM.
- 2014-2016 Reviewer, *Student Anthropologist*
- 2015 Co-organizer, "NGOs and Social Movements: Ethnography at the Intersections of Engagement," NGOs and Nonprofits Interest Group Conference, November 17-18, Denver, CO.

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- 2015 Organizer, "The Politics of Allyship and Representation in Research and Advocacy on Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Roundtable," Conference on Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights, September 26, Knoxville, TN
- 2014 Organizer and Discussant, "Disasters, Displacement and Human Rights: Interdisciplinarity as Anthropological Theory and Praxis," Southern Anthropological Society, March 30-April 1, Cherokee, NC.
- 2013 Chair, "On the Border: Critical Perspectives on Feminist Ethnography and Interdisciplinarity," American Anthropological Association Conference Panel, November 21, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 Chair, "Cultural Healing," Southern Anthropological Society Conference Panel, March 9, Johnson City, TN
- 2013 Moderator, "A Multi-Disciplinary View of Disasters," Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights Symposium Panel, February 9, Knoxville, TN

University and Department, KSU

- 2021-Present Committee Member, Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences Promotion and Tenure Task Force
- 2020-Present Co-Supervisor, Graduate Residence Directors (collaborative with Housing and Residence Life)
- 2020-Present Committee Member, Curriculum Committee, School of Conflict Management, Peacebuilding and Development
- 2020-2021 Committee Member, Comprehensive Examinations Ad Hoc Committee, School of Conflict Management, Peacebuilding and Development
- 2020-2021 Committee Member, Assistant Professor of Conflict Management Search, School of Conflict Management, Peacebuilding and Development

Community

- 2021-Present Mediator (*pro bono*), Mediation Center of the Coastal Empire
- 2021-Present Be Red Cross Ready Educator, American Red Cross Metro Atlanta Chapter
- 2021-Present Field Monitor and Responder, TRUST Network
- 2020-2021 Trainer, "28-hour General Mediation Training," October 2020, January 2021, October 2021, Center for Conflict Management, Kennesaw State University
- 2020 Trainer, "Can I Say That?! LGBTQ' Cultural Competency for Conflict Managers," November 13, Center for Conflict Management, Kennesaw State University

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- 2019-2020 Disaster Action Team Service Associate, American Red Cross Metro Atlanta Chapter
- 2020 “Navigating Political Conflict” Workshop Series Co-Organizer and Co-Presenter with Sandra Ribando
- 2018-2019 Disaster Action Team Member, American Red Cross Central Midwest Georgia Chapter
- 2016-2017 *Pro bono* research, Virginia Center for Restorative Justice
- 2014 Volunteer mediator, San Francisco Community Boards
- 2014 Interim Case Development Manager, San Francisco Community Boards