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EDUCATION

- 2012 – present Ph.D. program in Anthropology University of California, Irvine
Working Dissertation Title: *Elders and those who care: geriatric medicine and social assistance in urban Turkey*
- 2010-2011 M.A. in Social Sciences University of Chicago
Thesis Title: *Speaking with elders and studying standard: Crimean Tatar language standardization and the return to Crimea*
- 2002-2006 B.A. in International Relations Michigan State University
(with Honors)
B.A. in Women's Studies

RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

- 2016 Fulbright-Hays Fellow, Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad; Fulbright-Hays, U.S. Department of Education
- 2016 Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant; National Science Foundation, U.S. Department of Education
- 2013-2014 Summer Funding Research Fellowship; University of California, Irvine, Department of Anthropology
- 2009 –2010 IIE Fulbright Student Research Fellow (Ukraine) and Critical Language Enhancement Awardee (Russian); IIE Fulbright

AWARDS

- 2012 University of California, Irvine, Social Science Merit Scholarship; Department of Social Sciences
- 2011 Fellow for Intensive Advanced Turkish Language Study; American Research Institute in Turkey and Boğaziçi University
- 2010-2011 University Merit Scholarship of full tuition; University of Chicago

- 2002-2006 Alumni Distinguished Scholarship Award (full tuition and stipend for nine semesters); Michigan State University
- 2006 S.C. Lee Best Asian Studies Paper Competition, 1st prize; Michigan State University
- 2005 Jeffrey and Kathryn Cole International Study Award; Michigan State University

PUBLICATIONS

Book Review

DeLuca, Elizabeth. 2014. Aslihan Sanal's New Organs Within Us. Somatosphere. <http://somatosphere.net/2014/10/sanals-new-organs-within-us.html> (accessed October 29, 2014)

Academic blog post

DeLuca, Elizabeth. 2014. Returning to Crimea. Allega: A Virtual Lab of Anthropology. <http://allegralaboratory.net/returning-to-crimea-by-elizabeth-deluca/> (accessed October 29, 2014)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Affective Labor and the Limits of Care: Reflections on Caretaking, Abuse and Intersubjectivity,” American Anthropological Association Meetings, December 6th 2014

“Caring with and without love: entangling knowledge, dementia and affective labor,” Anthropology in Transit Graduate Student Conference, University of California, Irvine, May 25-26th 2014

Discussant. “Activism and the Political Imagination,” American Anthropological Association Meetings, November 20th, 2013.

“Old dialects and Modern language: Crimean Tatar language education and the Ukrainian nation,” Paper presentation, American Anthropological Association Meetings, November 19th, 2011

“‘Our students speak beautiful Ukrainian’: Crimean Tatar language revitalization and the Ukrainian nation.” Paper presentation, Central States Anthropological Society Conference, April 7th, 2011

“Reducing Anxieties and Barriers: The Creation of a Community,” Co-Presenter, 7th annual conference on Living Learning Programs and Residential Colleges, 2003

INVITED TALKS

“Developing and conducting a personal research project,” Invited Talk (via Skype) to “Discourse Communities,” English Department, The University of Cincinnati, May 19th, 2011

“Language revitalization in Crimea,” Invited Talk, James Madison College, Michigan State University, September 2010

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Panel organizer, invited session. “Care’ful Consideration: Examining Notions of Care Within and Toward Ethnography. American Anthropological Association 2014 meetings, December 6th, 2014.

Co-Organizer, Anthropology in Transit Graduate Conference. University of California, Irvine, April 2015

Founder and organizer, “Working Title” graduate workshop. University of California, Irvine, 2013-2014

Grant reviewer, International Research and Exchanges Board (Ukraine, Global UGRAD program) and Fulbright (Ukraine, Graduate Student Program to the United States), 2010 - present

RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, University of California, Irvine; Irvine, California, 2012- 2015

Legal Research Assistant; Istanbul, Turkey, 2008 – 2009, 2011-2012

Professorial Assistant to Jeff Judge James Madison College Director of Academic Affairs, Michigan State University; East Lansing, Michigan, 2002-2004