

## Hayley R. Bowman

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### Academic Appointments

- 2023-Present     Assistant Professor of World History, Fairmont State University, Fairmont, WV.
- 2022-2023     Postdoctoral Fellow, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

### Education

- 2022     Ph.D. History, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.  
 - Dissertation: “Ineffable Knowing: Sor María de Jesús de Ágreda in the Early Modern Spanish World,” 2022 Arthur Fondiler Prize Runner-Up  
 - Committee: Kenneth Mills (chair), Helmut Puff, Megan Holmes (History of Art), Hussein Fancy (Yale University), Nancy E. van Deusen (Queen’s University)
- 2015     M.A. History, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.  
 - Thesis: “The Church Divided: The Dominicans, Franciscans, and Jesuits and the Immaculate Conception Controversy in Seventeenth-Century Spain,” winner of the 2016 College of Liberal Arts Distinguished Thesis Award
- 2013     B.A. History & Sociology, *summa cum laude*, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.  
 - Minors: Anthropology & Political Science

### Research Fields

Early Modern World	Religion & Theology
Early Modern Europe/Colonial Latin America	Science, Knowledge, & Natural History
Women, Gender, & Sexuality	Place, Space, & Landscape

### Publications

#### *Peer-Reviewed*

- In Progress     “Boundaries and Beyond: Experiencing the World from a Cloister in Seventeenth-Century Spain,” *Early Modern Women: An Interdisciplinary Journal* (in preparation for submission)

#### *Digital*

- 2021     “[Public Engagement: Creative Control](#),” *History Matters Magazine* (Fall 2021): 20-21.

- 2021 American Historical Association *Perspectives Daily* Summer Column Series, *Perspectives on History*  
 - “[What Story Do You Want to Tell?: Learning Narrative Storytelling through Podcasting](#),” 8 July.  
 - “[A Glimpse Behind the Curtain: Pedagogical Thinking with Podcasting and Narrative](#),” 29 July.
- 2021 “‘I alone am given understanding of things:’ Mystical Experience and Authority in the Early Modern Spanish World,” [post](#), in *Women and Agency: Transnational Perspectives, c. 1450-1790*, University of Oxford, 14 June.

#### *Book Reviews*

- 2022 Michelle Armstrong-Partida, Alexandra Guerson, and Dana Wessell Lightfoot, eds., *Women and Community in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia* (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2020), *Comitatus* 53.

### **Fellowships, Grants, & Awards**

#### *External*

- 2022 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Scholarship  
 - “Mapping the Early Modern World” NEH Summer Institute, The Newberry Library Center for Renaissance Studies, Chicago, IL.
- 2021-2022 Quinn Fellowship, Doris G. Quinn Foundation, Crown Point, NY.
- 2021 Greenleaf Visiting Library Scholar Award, Latin American and Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2021 Renaissance Society of America Conference Registration Grant
- 2020 Summer Research & Writing Grant, American Catholic Historical Association
- 2019-2020 Newberry Renaissance Consortium Grant, Newberry Library  
 - Dissertation Seminar for Scholars of Religion and Politics, The Newberry Library Center for Renaissance Studies, Chicago, IL.
- 2016 Committee on Centers and Regional Associations (CARA) Summer Scholarship, Medieval Academy of America

#### *Internal*

- 2022 Community of Scholars Fellowship, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, University of Michigan
- 2022 William R. and Flora Hewlett Foundation Award, University of Michigan
- 2020 Orla B. Taylor Research/Study/Travel Grant, University of Michigan

2020	History Graduate Fellowship, University of Michigan
2019	Rackham International Research Award, University of Michigan
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2019	Diane Owen Hughes Graduate Student Award, Medieval and Early Modern Studies (MEMS) Certificate Program, University of Michigan
2019	Rackham Humanities Candidacy Fellowship, University of Michigan
2018	Rackham Candidacy Research Fellowship, University of Michigan
2017	Rackham Pre-Candidacy Research Fellowship, University of Michigan
2016	MEMS Summer Grant, University of Michigan
2015-2022	Rackham Merit Fellowship, University of Michigan

## **Presentations**

### *Invited Talks and Workshops*

2022	“Women and Religion: Nuns, Mystics, and <i>Beatas</i> ,” Guest Lecture, “HI205: Latin American History,” with Danielle Alesi, Millikin University, 30 November.
2021	“ <a href="#">Historical Podcast Post-Production, Editing, and Promotion Webinar</a> ,” the Medieval Academy of America, 13 December.
2021	“ <a href="#">Historical Podcast Production and Technological Development Webinar</a> ,” the Medieval Academy of America, 8 November.
2021	“ <a href="#">Boundaries and Beyond: Sor María de Jesús de Ágreda</a> ,” public presentation, Latin American and Iberian Institute and Center for Southwest Research and Special Collections, University of New Mexico, 26 July.

### *Select Conference Presentations & Panels*

2023 (Applied)	Panelist, “Preparing for the Non-R1 Job Market,” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, Baltimore, MD.
2023	“Sor María de Jesús and the Politics of Mystical Evangelization,” Renaissance Society of America Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 10 March.
2022	“An Unconventional Missionary: Gender, Authority, and Affect on the Frontiers of New Spain,” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, Minneapolis, MN, 29 October.
2022	“Transcendence, Embodiment, and Perception in Early Modern Spanish

- Mysticism,” Community of Scholars Symposium, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, University of Michigan, 23 September.
- 2022 “Sensing Sor María de Jesús: Women’s Authority in the Seventeenth-Century Atlantic World,” Early Modern Sensory Experiences Conference, Kellogg College, University of Oxford, 9-10 June.
- 2021 “‘It felt like a beautiful cloud:’ Sensing the Sacred and Profane in Seventeenth-Century Spain,” Renaissance Society of America Conference, 15 April.
- 2019 “‘It was a lifelike imagining:’ Enacting Franciscan Visions in the Early Modern Spanish World,” Embodying Vision, Envisioning Embodiment Conference, University of Michigan, 18 October.
- 2019 “‘My beginnings and the events in New Mexico:’ Sor María’s Account in Her Letter to Padre Manero,” New and Emerging Studies of the Spanish Colonial Borderlands, The Huntington Library, 15 March.
- 2018 “Expectations of *Amistad*: Friendship between a King and a Nun in Early Modern Spain,” Eisenberg Institute of Historical Studies Workshop, University of Michigan, 23 March.
- 2017 “The Labors of Sor María de Ágreda: Bilocation and Prayer in the Seventeenth-Century Spanish World,” Body Language, Bawdy Talk Conference, University of Michigan, 11 March.

### *Campus Talks*

- 2022 “*Con mis manos*: Multi-Sensory Mysticism in the Seventeenth-Century Spanish World,” the Premodern Colloquium, MEMS Program, University of Michigan, 10 April.
- 2021 “Historical Narrative Workshop Series,” hosted by the Department of History Public Engagement and Professionalization Program, University of Michigan, 26 February and 22 April.

## **Teaching & Pedagogy**

### *Courses Taught (Instructor of Record)*

- 2023 “HIST 328 Dare (or Die) to be Different: Deviancy in the Premodern World,” University of Michigan. Winter Semester.
- 2022 “HIST 253 Europe, 300-1648,” University of Michigan. Fall Semester.
- 2020 “HIST 195 Wanderlust: Travel, Movement, and Space in the Early Modern Spanish World, 1400-1800,” First-Year Writing Seminar, University of Michigan. Winter Semester.

### *Courses Taught (Teaching Assistant)*

- 2018 “HIST 211 Later Medieval Europe,” University of Michigan. Faculty Instructor: Hussein Fancy. Winter Semester.
- 2017 “HIST 347 Colonial Latin America,” University of Michigan. Faculty Instructor: Kenneth Mills. Fall Semester.
- 2017 “HIST 348 Modern Latin America,” University of Michigan. Faculty Instructor: Paulina Alberto. Winter Semester.
- 2016 “HIST 201 History of Rome,” University of Michigan. Faculty Instructor: Jonathan McLaughlin. Fall Semester.

### *Curriculum & Course Development*

- 2021-2022 Curriculum Development Associate, “History of the Book” HistoryLab Course, University of Michigan. With Helmut Puff. March 2021 - August 2022.
- 2021 Curriculum Creator, “Podcasting History: UM History Podcast Resources,” University of Michigan. Summer Semester.

### **Institutional Service & Leadership**

- 2019-Present Discussant, Presenter, and Participant, “Horror & Enchantment: An Interdisciplinary Symposium.” Coordinated by Kenneth Mills and Kris Lane. University of Michigan, 11-12 October, 2019; 24 June, 2020\*; 1-2 April, 2021\*; 15 October, 2021\*; 13-16 October, 2022, Tulane University.  
\* Virtual due to COVID.
- 2022 Team Lead, Preparing Future Faculty Seminar, Rackham Graduate School and Center for Research on Teaching and Learning University of Michigan, 3 May - 2 June. (Certificate earned)
- 2022 Co-Coordinator, “What the Foucault?: Elitism and Classism in Our Ivory Tower,” DEI Critical Conversation on First-Gen Student Experiences hosted with the Eisenberg Institute of Historical Studies and Rackham DEI Graduate Student Allies, 5 April.
- 2021-2022 Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies Graduate Student Liaison, University of Michigan. April 2021-May 2022.
- 2021 American Historical Association *Perspectives Daily* Summer Columnist, May-July.
- 2020-2021 Gerald Saxon Brown Digital Skills Intern, University of Michigan. Season Producer and Host, [Reverb Effect](#) podcast, Season 2. September-June.
- 2020 Group Leader, Sweetland Interdisciplinary Dissertation Writing Group, University of Michigan. September - December.
- 2020 Co-Coordinator, “Holy Passions: An Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference on Religion and Sex,” University of Michigan. 27 March. (Cancelled due to COVID).

- 2019-2020      Coordinator, Religion in the Premodern Atlantic RIW, University of Michigan. September - May.
- 2018            Graduate Student Recruitment Liaison & Coordinator, Department of History, University of Michigan. February - April.
- 2017-2018      Graduate Student Representative, Career Diversity Working Group, University of Michigan. September - May.
- 2017-2018      “Thinking with Demons” Witchcraft Reading Group Coordinator, Religion in the Premodern Atlantic Rackham Interdisciplinary Workshop, University of Michigan. September - May.

## Digital Humanities & Public Engagement

- 2020-2022      *Reverb Effect*, University of Michigan History Department Podcast, Seasons 2 & 3
- Writer, Host, and Producer.  
[Season 2, Episode 3](#): “Envisioning Eternity: Women and Purgatory in the Seventeenth-Century Spanish World.” 18 December, 2020.
  - Editor, Host, and Producer.  
[Season 2, Episode 1](#): “Revival and Reckoning: A Colonial Museum in Postcolonial Italy.” 28 October, 2020.  
[Season 2, Episode 2](#): “The Unnatural Vice: King Henri III, Sodomy, and Modern Masculinity.” 20 November, 2020.  
[Season 2, Episode 4](#): “Mother Caravan: Disappearance and Resistance Along the Migrant Trail.” 2 March, 2021.  
[Season 2, Episode 5](#): “A Prison by Any Other Name: Imagining Childhood Criminality in 1920s Chicago.” 15 March, 2021.  
[Season 2, Episode 6](#): “Surviving Patriarchal Violence at Home: Incest Victims in the Progressive Era.” 13 April, 2021.
  - Editor and Producer  
[Season 3, Episode 1](#): “Music Time in Africa.” 13 October 2021.
  - Editor  
[Season 3, Episode 2](#): “Navigating Pregnancy: A Century of Prenatal Care.” 12 January 2022.

## Languages

English (native speaker)  
 Spanish (advanced reading)  
 French (intermediate reading)

## Affiliations

American Historical Association  
National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity  
Renaissance Society of America  
Sixteenth Century Society  
Women Also Know History