# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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# **ACADEMIC TRAINING**

2016	PhD (History) joint degree Vrije Universiteit (Amsterdam) and Stellenbosch University
	Thesis: ""Wood, Carved by the Knife of Circumstance"?: Cape Rapists
2000	and Rape in South Africa, c. 1910-1980"
2009	MA (History), Stellenbosch University
	Thesis: "Stellenbosch and the Muslim Communities, 1896-1966"
2007	BA Honours (History), Stellenbosch University
	Thesis: "The Power and Poverty of Hegemonic Theory and Women
	during the Anglo-Boer War, 1899-1902"
2006	BA Honours (French), Stellenbosch University
	Thesis - "Être [H]Agar[d] : Colonisateur/trice ou Colonisé(e) ?"
2005	BA (Humanities)
1998	Alliance Française de Paris
	Diplôme de Langue Française.

# AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

2018-2020	Early Career Academic Development Programme
2018	Mellon Early Research Career Fellowship
2014-2016	Mellon Early Research Career Fellowship
2010-2013	Desmond Tutu-NRF-Vrije Universiteit Doctoral Programme
2008	Merit Award – Stellenbosch University
2008	Rhodes History Award – Stellenbosch University
2007	Stellenbosch University History Department Bursary
2006	Merit Award - Stellenbosch University
2006	Academic Colours – Stellenbosch University
2006	Mandela Rhodes Scholarship
2005	S. P. Cilliers Award in Sociology – Stellenbosch University
2005	Merit Award – Stellenbosch University
2004	Merit Award – Stellenbosch University
2004	Top achiever 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year French – Stellenbosch University

# **PUBLICATIONS**

"The Reading of Simone de Beauvoir's *sexual violence in marriage* within the changing climate of South Africa, c. 1948-2007", in A. Durant & M. Tuveri (eds.), *Proceedings of the 18<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Simone de Beauvoir Society: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow* (Cambridge Scholarly Publishing, UK: 2017), pp. 212-226.

Translation (French to English) of the Foreword by Annette Becker, B. Nasson & A. Grundlingh, *The War At Home*, Cape Town, Tafelberg, 2013, pp. 10-15.

"We would have no name': The porosity of locational and racial identities amongst the 'coloured communities' of Stellenbosch, c. 1890 – 1960s", *African Studies*, 69(3), 2010.

Book Review: *The Jews of Johannesburg*. By Leibl Feldman, translated by Veronica Belling. Cape Town: Jewish Publications South Africa (Issac and Jessie Kaplan Centre for Jewish Studies and Research University of Cape Town), 2007 in *South African Historical Journal*, 62(2), 2010.

"Simone de Beauvoir's *Le Deuxième Sexe*: [Re]naissance in South Africa?", in J. Kristeva, P. Fautrier, A. Strasser, P Fort (eds), (*Re) découvrire l'oeuvre de Simone de Beauvoir – Du Deuxième Sexe à La Cérémonie des adieux*, Bordeaux, Le Bord de l'eau, 2008.

## **CONFERENCE PAPERS**

"More than a simple case of rape: The State v. Gulzaar Ebrahim, 1970-1972", Southern African Historical Society, 26th Biennial Conference, Wits University, 21-23 June 2017.

"Coloured by life, coloured by experience, Coloured by history: Contemplating Coloured Identities in South Africa", invited speaker, LLL Consciousness Conference, Stellenbosch University, 1 August 2015.

"A Drink-sodden Race of Bestial Degenerates": 20<sup>th</sup> Century Coloured Rapists in "the Cape of [No] Hope", Historicising Rape Conference, University of Cardiff, 8-10 July 2015.

"Raping the Archives, Reaping the Rewards?: The Challenges of Constructing a History of Rapists in South Africa", South African Historical Society, 25th Biennial Conference, Stellenbosch University, 1-3 July 2015.

"Towards a history of rapists in South Africa, 1910-2010", Stellenbosch University 10 September (2011), 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Community of Mandela Rhodes Scholars Conference.

"From past to present: The [re]reading of Simone de Beauvoir's "violence in marriage" within the changing political, social and economic climate of South Africa, c. 1949-2010", Cagliari (2010), 18<sup>th</sup> Simone de Beauvoir Conference.

"We would have no name": The changing nature of 'brotherhoods' and 'citizenships' amongst the 'coloured communities' of Stellenbosch - from slaves to victims, Witwatersrand University Johannesburg (2009), South African Sociological Association Conference.

"Simone de Beauvoir's *Le Deuxième Sexe*: [Re]naissance in South Africa?", Paris (2008), Simone de Beauvoir Centenary Colloquium.

"Towards starting to write a history of masculinities of the Anglo-Boer War, 1899-1902", Johannesburg (2007), Southern African Historical Conference.

## SEMINARS/ PUBLIC LECTURES/GUEST LECTURES

""What contributed more to the area of a rectangle, the length or the width"?: Genetic, environmental and cultural determinism in Rape Cases in the Cape during the 20<sup>th</sup> Century, History Department, Stellenbosch University, 10 April 2018.

Critical Analysis of James Baldwin's, *I Am Not Your Negro*, Stellenbosch University, SRC, 25 July 2017.

"Between a Rock and a Hard Place": Learning to Become An Academic in a Changing Environment of Policy and Student Expectation at Tertiary Institutions in South Africa, 2015-2017, Stellenbosch University, July 2017.

"Interpreting African Identity" in conversation with Raymond Ndlovu, Lovelyn Nwadeyi, Patrick Kadima and Wanjiku Kimani, Africa Matters Initiative, Stellenbosch University, 1 October 2016.

"Black Consciousness: Past and Present", Panel Discussion, Frederik Van Zyl Slabbert Institute, Russel Botman Hub, Stellenbosch University, 13 September 2016.

"Caligula, entre le mythe et la réalité historiques : fascination et répulsion ? ", FRN 278 Guest Lecture, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, 17 September 2015.

"Just how 'Great' were the 'Great Revolutions'?", invited speaker, Global Citizenship Course (PGIO), Stellenbosch University, 24 March 2015.

"Cape Rapists and Rape in South Africa, c. 1910-1980", invited speaker, Opening lecture for the SAVUSA Diversity Week, Vrije Universiteit (Amsterdam), 11 November 2014.

"Reconciliation, Reservation, Segregation, Apartheid and Affirmative Action in South Africa, c. 1910-2014", International Students Forum (PGIO), Stellenbosch University, 26 August 2014.

"What Shaped the World to be as it is Today? : A Gendered Perspective", Global Citizenship Course (PGIO), Stellenbosch University, 6 March 2014.

"What Shaped the World to be as it is Today?", Global Citizenship Course (PGIO), Stellenbosch University, 4 March 2014.

"RAPISTS not Rape!". Seminar panel with Prof Louise du Toit, Critical Engagement Seminars, Stellenbosch University, 25 February 2013.

"The ABCs of BEE: Policies and Effects of Affirmative Action in South Africa, c. 1990-2013". PGIO Office, Stellenbosch University, 24 January 2013.

"Locating the Hidden Rapists: an historian looks at sexual crime in South Africa, 1910 to c.1927", Seminar, History Department, Stellenbosch University, 20 March 2012.

"Different perspectives and meanings of the Afrikaans language in the Cape", School of International training, Stellenbosch University, 11 October 2011 and 13 March 2012.

"Coloured and Muslim Identities in Stellenbosch and the Path to a Collective Identity", International Winter School, Stellenbosch University, 15 June 2011.

"Coloured Identity in the Western Cape", International Winter School, Stellenbosch University, 15 June 2011.

"Race and Racism in South Africa", International Winter School, Stellenbosch University, 13 June 2011.

"The A, Bs and C of Affirmative Action, Black Economic Empowerment, Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment and the Constitution of South Africa: Theory in Practice", Clemson University Exchange, Stellenbosch University, 24 May 2011.

"Is Cultural diversity in the Western Cape in a State of Crisis?", Guest Lecture, Council on International Educational Exchange, Stellenbosch University, January 2011.

"Wealth and Poverty within Monotheistic Religions", Guest Lecture, History 214, Stellenbosch University, 2011.

"Coloured and Muslim Identities in the Western Cape", International Winter School, Stellenbosch University, 2010.

"Once 'We were Stellenboschers':selective memory amongst the 'coloured' and Muslim communities of Stellenbosch, Research seminar, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, 2009.

"Homosexuality or Homosexualities? The Diverse Nature and History of Homosexuality in Southern Africa", Research Seminar, Stellenbosch University Library, 2007. Hegemonic Masculinities and their Subversion during the Anglo-Boer War,1899-1902, Stellenbosch-Cape Town joint University History Research Seminar, Morgenhof wine estate, 2007.

"The Don Juan Myth in Milan Kundera's *Laughable Loves*", Department of Modern Foreign Languages, Stellenbosch University, 2005.

#### POSTGRADUATE SUPERVISION

Honours level:

Sole supervisor - D. Momberg (2009), L. Cain (2014), A. Rommelspacher (2015), Surika Louw (2016), Tiffany van Rooi (2016), Chibukile Wotshela (2016), Jessica Graham (2016), Simone Cupido (2016), Qadirah Guzgay (2016), Wilanda Kruger (2016); Thulisa Nyathela (2017), Curtley Solomons (2017), Izak Julies(2017), Nicole van der Merwe (2017), Christopher Morrison (2018), David Gross (2018), André Uys (2018), Daniéla Barnard (2018), Danika Brand (2018), Michelle Day (2018)

Co-supervisor - M. Wessels (2010)

Masters level: Sole supervisor – A. van Wyk (2017); Jessica Graham (2018)

Current supervision: Esté Kotze (PhD), Abdullahi Shehu (PhD), Monique Terblanche (PhD), Wilanda Kruger (MA), Nicole van der Merwe (MA), Curtley Solomons (MA), Ashleigh Blandin de Chalain (MA), Ashrudeen Waggie (MA), Danika Brand (MA), Daniéla Barnard (MA), Kristan Sharpley (MA), David Gross (MA), Christopher Morrison (MA).

# **EMPLOYMENT**

September 2014 – Permanent Lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. Teaching modules: Meatscience 324, History 214, History 348, Honours, Extended Degree Programme – Introduction to Humanities Tutor Coordinator, Departmental Secretary

#### January 2014- August 2014

Full-time contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324, History 214) Lecturer, Extended Degree Programme, Introduction to Humanities, Stellenbosch University, (Introduction to History 188)

# **January 2013- June 2013**

Contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324) Lecturer, Extended Degree Programme, Introduction to Humanities, Stellenbosch University, (Introduction to History 188)

# **January 2012- June 2012**

Contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324) Lecturer, Extended Degree Programme, Introduction to Humanities, Stellenbosch University, (Introduction to History 188)

#### **January 2011- June 2011**

Contractual lecturer, Department of History and Department of Curriculum Studies, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324; BEd I, II, III, IV Social Sciences History Modules)

## January 2009 – December 2010

Full-time contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324, History 318; Administrative duties: Departmental library orders, Departmental website, Tutor co-ordinator for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year History modules)

## January 2008 – November 2008

Contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324) Lecturing Assistant French 188 and 278, Stellenbosch University. Mentoring Programme Coordinator, French 278, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, Stellenbosch University.

## January 2007 – November 2007

Contractual lecturer, Department of History, Stellenbosch University. (Teaching modules: Metascience 324)

Lecturing Assistant French 188 and 278, Stellenbosch University.

Tutor, History 144, Department of History, Stellenbosch University.

Mentoring Programme Coordinator, French 278, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, Stellenbosch University.

# January 2005- December 2006

Director, Alliance Française de Stellenbosch

- Coordination of teaching staff, course material, classes and library.
- Liaison between the French Government, the Alliance Française worldwide network and the local committee.
- Responsible for the financial, social, cultural and educational aspects of the institution (250 students per year).
- Responsible for the cultural exchange between Stellenbosch and France.
- Taught French at beginner and intermediate levels.

Mentor 2<sup>nd</sup> Year French Students, Centre for Teaching and Learning, Stellenbosch University.

#### January 2004 – December 2004

Mentor 1st Year French Students, Centre for Teaching and Learning, Stellenbosch University.

French Section Marking Assistant, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, Stellenbosch University.

## April 2001 - April 2002

Private Music Teacher, Gaborone, Botswana. Deputy Director of the Alliance Française, Gaborone, Botswana

#### January 1998-December 2000

Pianoforte and Violin Teacher, Dominican Convent Music School, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe. Drama and Choir Teacher, Orion College, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe.

#### March 1999-December 2000

Music Teacher, Bulawayo Hebrew-English Nursery School, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe. Desktop Publisher, College of Primary Care Physicians in Zimbabwe.

1996 - 1997

Financial Director, VF's Professional Pharmacists (Pvt) Ltd, Harare, Zimbabwe

**1995-1996** Accountant, Kensington Pharmacy, Harare, Zimbabwe.

# **ORGANISATIONS**

Historical Association of South Africa (HASA) Executive Member Southern African Historical Society (SAHS) Association for French Studies in Southern Africa (AFSSA) Mandela Rhodes Community (MRC) Golden Key

# **COMMUNITY SERVICE/ ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES**

Doctoral Admissions Committee: Elijah Doro (24 March 2017), Innocent Dande (27 March 2017), Muhamadi Makaato (5 April 2017), Mokale Koapeng (20 April 2018), Bryan Kauma (17 May 2018), Yustina Komba (21 May 2018), Michel Medjo Medjo (22 May 2018)

Internal Examiner History Department (Honours, Masters, PhD)

Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences Equity Officer (2018-2020)

Employment Equity Advisory Committee (2018-2020)

FASS Academic Offerings Committee (SU) (2018-)

FASS Academic Appointments and Promotions Committee (2018-)

FASS Transformation Committee (2018-)

Second round external assessor for the Mandela Rhodes scholarship 2016- present

Academic mentor: Lwazi Pakade (SU SRC), Ajohche Awung (MRF Scholar 2016), Julia Standish-White (MRF Scholar 2016), Simotwo Zainabu (MRF Scholar 2018), Silas Miami (MRF Scholar 2018), Jeanine Botha (MRF Scholar 2018).

LLL Race and Ethnicity House (SU) Mentor 2016

SU Registration Advisor 26-29 January 2016

TeleMaties representative for the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, 20 May 2015

Open Day History Department Coordination, Stellenbosch University, 28 February 2015.

LLL Consciousness Series Think Tank, 2015

Co-editor, Historia (2015-)

Kayamandi Oral History Research Project Co-ordinator

Ubuntu Learning Community - incarcerated and residential learner programme

Non-Examining Chair, Doctoral candidate Marianne Staebler (French), 29 September 2014; C. Ndabubaha (French), 28 November 2018; J. Togolo (Sociology), 4 December 2018.

Conference coordinator for 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Community of Mandela Rhodes Scholars Conference, 8<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> September 2011, Stellenbosch University.

Selection Panel for the Mandela Rhodes Scholarships at Stellenbosch University since 2009 to the present.

Selection Panel for the Mandela Rhodes Scholarships at the Mandela Rhodes Foundation since 2015.

Zimbabwe Schools Project – Founder and Organiser in conjunction with the Mandela Rhodes Foundation to raise funds for school children in Zimbabwe. 2006 – 2009. To date 189 students have been funded.

French teaching to staff of the Stellenbosch Museums.

Community Cultural Developmental projects funded by the French Embassy through the Alliance Française de Bulawayo (Zimbabwe), Alliance Française de Gaborone (Botswana) and Alliance Française de Stellenbosch (South Africa).

Trainer for HIV/AIDS education field officers at Total Community Mobilisation (Humana People to People) in Gaborone, Botswana.

Participated and organised several intercultural events for different social groups in Zimbabwe, Botswana and South Africa.

#### **LANGUAGES**

English (mother tongue), French (near fluent), Ndebele (very basic), Afrikaans (very basic understanding).

#### **REFEREES**

Dr Anton Ehlers (Departmental Chairperson) History Department Stellenbosch University Tel: 0218082190 Email: <u>aehl@sun.ac.za</u>

Prof Bill Nasson (Supervisor: PhD) History Department Stellenbosch University Tel: 0218082889 Email: <u>bnasson@sun.ac.za</u>

Prof Sandra Swart (Supervisor: MA) History Department Stellenbosch University Tel: 0218082390 Email: <u>sss@sun.ac.za</u>

Prof Wessel Visser (Internal Examiner: MA) History Department Stellenbosch University Tel: 0218082182 Email: <u>wpv@sun.ac.za</u>

Prof Catherine Du Toit (HOD) French Section Department of Modern Foreign Languages Stellenbosch University Tel: 0218082063 Email: <u>cdt@sun.ac.za</u>

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