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# Lloyd Alimboyao Sy

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Assistant Professor of English (tenure-track)

New Haven, CT

Yale University

2023 - 2024

2024 -

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Postdoctoral Associate in English Yale University

New Haven, CT

## **EDUCATION**

## Ph.D. in English Language, Literature, and Research

2023

Certificate, Digital Humanities

University of Virginia

## M.A. in English Language, Literature, and Research

2020

University of Virginia

## A.B. in Computer Science and English

2016

Brown University

#### BOOK PROJECT

### Who Robbed the Woods: American Deforestation and Indigenous Literary Resistance, 1825-1930

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Articles

"Hans Pfaall's Breath: Edgar Allan Poe and Antebellum Atmospheres." Accepted at *Poe Studies: History, Theory, Interpretation.* 

"Bloody Edification: The Violence of Education in Sutton Griggs's Imperium in Imperio." Accepted at J19: The Journal of Nineteenth-Century Americanists.

"Stopping by Woods in Mashpee Territory: Belonging in William Apess's *Indian Nullification*." Forthcoming in Early American Literature, vol. 58, no. 3 (October 2023).

"The Hermeneutics of Starvation: Alienation, Reading, and Fish in James Welch's Winter in the Blood." Forthcoming in Studies in American Indian Literatures, vol. 35, no. 1-2 (Spring 2023).

"Mid-Range Reading Race, Ethnicity, and Empire in Women Novelists of Queen Victoria's Reign." Forthcoming in Victorian Studies, vol. 65, no. 1 (Autumn 2022).

#### **Review Article**

Conference Review of "Textual Editing and the Future of Scholarly Editions: A Conference on the Bicentennial of James Fenimore Cooper's *The Spy.*" Early American Literature vol. 57, no. 1 (2022), 346-50.

#### **Under Review**

"Sylvhood: Zitkála-Šá's "Consciousness", William James, and the New Thought."

"Native Temporariness: Contingent Property and Sterlin Harjo's Road Stories."

"'A Power of China': The Asian Objects of Sarah Orne Jewett and Sui Sin Far."

## Honors and Awards

Center for Research on Race and Ethnicity in Society (CRRES) Postdoctoral Fellowship, Indiana		
University-Bloomington (declined)	2023 - 24	
Jefferson Fellowship, University of Virginia (second year declined)	2022 - 24	
Bradley Fellowship	2022	
Dean's Dissertation Completion Fellowship, University of Virginia (declined)	2022 - 23	
Junior Scholar of the Month, Society of Early Americanists	October 2021	
Jefferson Scholars Foundation Research Prize	2020	
Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences Summer Research Fellowship	2019	
Battestin Fellowship, Bibliographical Society of the University of Virginia	2019	
DHSI Fellowship, University of Virginia Scholars' Lab	2018	
Summer Travel Grant, University of Virginia	2018,2019,2021,2022	
Phi Beta Kappa, Brown University	2016	
Sigma Xi, Brown University	2016	

#### Conferences and Talks

## Conference Organized

Attachment and Affect, University of Virginia Graduate Conference. 22-23 March 2019, Charlottesville, VA (with Jessica Swoboda).

## Talks and Papers Presented

"Sonic Panic: The Fear of Indigenous Noise in Early American Letters." The Thirteenth Biennial Conference of the Society of Early Americanists. 8-11 June 2023, Washington, D.C.

"Pokagon's Birch-Bark Booklets and the Redefinition of the Color Wheel." Midwest Modern Language Association. 17-20 November 2022, Minneapolis, MN.

"Data Modeling the Human." WikiConference NorthAmerica/Mapping US 2022. 11 November 2022, Online.

"Race and Collective Biography: Annotative Data and Empire in Late Victorian England." Critical Digital Humanities Conference, 30 September-October 1, 2022, Toronto/Zoom.

"Project Management as a Graduate Student." Project Management in the Humanities. 9 June 2022, Digital Humanities Summer Institute, Victoria, BC.

"BESS Friends: Mid-Range Reading as Data." Mapping Biographical Criticism of Victorian Women Novelists, 1897. 17 May 2022, Zoom.

"The Dictionary of Direct Discourse: Computational Text Analysis of Novelistic Dialogue." Digital Humanities Utah Symposium. 25-26 February 2022, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT.

"My Digital Humanities Autobiography: Silos and Networks at UVA DH." Digital Humanities Symposium. 12 November 2021, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA.

"The Matchmaker and Thornton Wilder's Notion of the Farce." Third International Thornton Wilder Conference. 12-14 July 2018, Monadnock Center for History and Culture, Peterborough, NH.

"Landscape and Memory in Bienvenido Santos's 'Scent of Apples.'" Writing the Midwest: Conference of the Society of the Study of Midwestern Literature. 17-19 May 2018, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.

"Reframing the Religious Other in Muslim Filipino Fiction: Reading Two Stories by Ibrahim Jubaira." Peripheral Matters Graduate Conference. 27 October 2017, The Graduate Center, CUNY, New York, NY.

## Media Appearances

Jeopardy! (game show). Champion (two times), January 3-5, 2023.

"WikiProject Biography." *UVA Data Points* (UVA Data Science Podcast), November 21, 2022. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/wikiproject-biography/id1641538114?i=1000587000590.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## University of Virginia

American Hope	Spring 2021
Literature of the South (TA for Jennifer Greeson)	Fall 2020
History of Literatures in English II (TA for John O'Brien and Victoria Olwell)	Spring 2020
Shakespeare I and II (TA for Katharine Maus)	Spring 2022 and Fall 2019 $$
Global Advocacy, Democracy, and Public Narrative (TA for Steve Parks and Srdja	Popovic) January 2021
Writing about Technology	Spring 2019
Writing about Music	Fall 2018
Writing Center	Fall 2017
Women Writers (Workshop Leader for Alison Booth)	Fall 2018
Brown University (undergraduate teaching assistant)	
Computational Linguistics (Eugene Charniak)	Spring 2016
Principles of Economics (Rachel Friedman, Sylvia Kuo)	Fall 2014 - Spring 2016

## RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Ethics of Demographic Profiling, UVA School of Data Science, Sloan Found PI Lane Rasberry	dation Grant, 2022
Technical Editor/Proofreader, Spin Physics Lab, UVA	2022
Director and Lead Programmer, Virginia Discourse Lab (online web application)	2020 -
Project Manager for Alison Booth, Collective Biographies of Women, UVA	2018 - 2023
Research Assistant to Emily Ogden, UVA	2018 - 2019
Research Assistant to Alison Booth, Collective Biographies of Women, UVA	2017 - 2018
Research Assistant to Herbert Tucker, For Better For Verse, UVA	2017 - 2018
Software/Systems Engineer, Brown Brothers Harriman, Boston, MA	2016 - 2017
Digital Humanities Developer, Center for Digital Scholarship, Brown University	2016

## SERVICE

## University of Virginia

GESA Treasurer	2018 - 2019
GESA American area representative	2018 - 2019
GESA First-year panel representative	2018 - 2019
Graduate conference budget committee member	2017 - 2018

## **Brown University**

	Meiklejohn Peer Advisor	2013 - 201	14
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# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Society of Early Americanists

Association for the Study of American Indian Literatures

# SKILLS

Programming Python, Java, Git, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, I₄TEX

Languages Tagalog (native), Spanish (reading), French (reading), Brazilian Portuguese (reading)