Meghan Kelly

curriculum vitae

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Research Interests

Visualizing experience through cartographic language Integrating critical, feminist perspectives in mapping Traditional and non-tradition border interactions depicted in mapping Feminist methodologies

Educational Background

Ph.D., University of Wisconsin-Madison

Department of Geography Advisor: Dr. Robert Roth

M.A., University of Kansas Fall 2013–Fall 2015

Department of Geography

Thesis title: Mapping Syrian Refugee Border Crossings: A critical, feminist perspective

Advisor: Dr. Margaret Pearce

B.A., University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Magna Cum Laude Fall 2008–Fall 2012

Department of Geography, International Studies Emphasis

Advisors: Dr. Ezra Zeitler and Dr. Ryan Weichelt

Publications

Kelly, M. Re-mapping Borders: Mapping refugee border crossings. (In preparation)

Kelly, M. 'Un-trap' the Map: Rethinking Syrian border symbolization. (In preparation)

Kelly, M and R. Weichelt. Divided Government: A Spatial Analysis of ACU and ADA Indexes for the House of Representatives and Senate, 1981-2011. (In preparation)

Published Cartographic Work

Kelton, P. Cherokee Medicine, Colonial Germs: An Indigenous Nation's Fight against Smallpox, 1518-1824. University of Oklahoma Press: Norman. Five maps. (2015)

Biersack, J., and S. O'Lear. "The geopolitics of Russia's annexation of Crimea: narratives, identity, silences, and energy." Eurasian Geography and Economics: 1-23. One map. (2014)

Invited Lectures

Kelly, M. From Shapefiles to Narratives: Mapping Syrian border stories. Geography Awareness Speaker. Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire. (2015)

Kelly, M. Graduate School Q/A. Speaker. Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire. (2015)

Kelly, M. Geography Graduate School Panel. Panelist. University of Wisconsin-Madison. (2015)

Professional presentations

Forthcoming: Kelly, M. Mapping Syrian Refugee Border Crossings: A critical, feminist perspective. AAG—Cartography Specialty Group, Honors Student Paper Competition, San Francisco, CA. (2016)

Kelly, M. Mapping Syrian Refugee Border Crossings: A critical, feminist perspective. NACIS, Minneapolis, MN. (2015)

Kelly, M. Human trafficking in Sudan and Egypt: Mapping traumatic experience through multiple lenses. AAG, Chicago, IL. (2015)

Kelly, M. Trafficking and Torture: Mapping experience through multiple lenses. NACIS, Pittsburgh, PA. (2014)

Kelly, M. Gendering Globalization through Visual Culture. AAG, Tampa, FL. (2014)

Kelly, M. Divided Government: A Spatial Analysis of ACU and ADA Indexes for the House of Representatives and Senate, 1981-2011. AAG, Los Angeles, CA. (2013)

Kelly, M. and H. Jol, M. Tubbs, J. Quintana. Investigation of a Coastal Dune Complex: Fort Ord Dunes State Park, California. AAG, Los Angeles. (2013)

Kelly, M. Divided Government: A Spatial Analysis of ACU and ADA Indexes for the House of Representatives and Senate, 1981-2011. Student Research Day, Eau Claire, WI. (2013)

Kelly, M. Leinenkugel's Beer: 'Playing Indian' since 1933. Race, Ethnicity, and Place, San Juan, Puerto Rico. (2012)

Kelly, M. Divided Government: A Spatial Analysis of ACU and ADA Indexes for the House of Representatives, 1981-2009. Regional East and West Lakes AAG, De Kalb, IL. (2012)

Kelly, M. and J. Bowen. The Geography of Super Tuesday in Ohio through Twitter. Student Research Day, Eau Claire, WI. (2012)

Grants and Awards

Trewartha Conference Travel Award. Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin-Madison. (2015 \$500)

Honors Student Paper Competition Finalist. AAG-Cartography Specialty Group. (2015 \$125)

Kollmorgen Graduate Research Scholarship. Department of Geography. University of Kansas. (2015 \$500)

Master's Thesis Research Grant. AAG Cartography Specialty Group. (2015 \$500)

NACIS Student Travel Grant. North American Cartographic Information Society. (2014 \$150)

Graduate Research Consultant. Center for Undergraduate Research, University of Kansas. (2014 \$500)

Student Travel for Research Presentation. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. (2013 \$400)

Best Presentation at an Academic Conference, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2013)

Overall Excellence in Geography presented to one student annually, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2013)

Outstanding Senior Award, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2013)

Data Cruncher Award, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2013)

1000 Points Field Research Award, Fort Ord, CA. University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2013)

Student-Faculty Collaborative Research Grant. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. (2012 \$2700)

Student Travel for Research Presentation. University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire. (2012 \$800)

Kerlin and Ethel Seitz Scholarship for Academic Excellence. University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2012 \$1000)

Jana Minnick Field Research Scholarship. University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2012 \$200)

Data Cruncher Award, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2012)

1000 Points Field Research Award, New York City. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Department of Geography. (2012)

Dean's List, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire (2008-2012)

Teaching

Geography 370, Fall. Introduction to Cartography. University of Wisconsin–Madison, Department of Geography. Graduate Teaching Assistant. (2015)

Geography 170, Summer. Our Digital Globe. University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Geography. Lecturer. (2015)

Geography 210, Spring. Introduction to Cartography or Computers, Maps, and Geographic Analysis of Kansas, Department of Geography. Lecturer. (2015)

Geography 311, Fall. Map Conception and Development. University of Kansas, Department of Geography. Graduate Teaching Assistant. (2014)

Geography 210, Spring. Computers, Maps, and Geographic Analysis. University of Kansas, Department of Geography. Graduate Research Consultant. (2014)

Geography 105, Fall. Physical Geography Lab. University of Kansas, Department of Geography. Graduate Teaching Assistant. (2013)

Geography, 104. Spring. Physical Geography Lab. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Teaching Assistant. (2012)

Geospatial Mentor Program. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Mentor. (2012

Related Employment

Cartographic and GIS Services. University of Kansas. Graduate Teaching Assistant. (2014) Cartographic and GIS Services. University of Kansas. Summer hourly employee. (2014) Geospatial Mentor Program. University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire. Mentor. (2013) GIS Analyst. GeoDecisions. Madison, WI. (2012)

Professional service

Association of American Geographers North American Cartographic Information Society Cartography and Geographic Information Society Gamma Theta Epsilon Honors Society

Departmental and University service

Women in Geography, University of Wisconsin–Madison (2015)
Colloquium Committee, University of Kansas (2013–2015)
Graduate Student Organization, Secretary, University of Kansas (2015)
Graduate Student Organization, University of Kansas (2013–2015)
Geography and Anthropology Club, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire (2011–2012)
Geospatial Mentor, University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire (2011–2012)