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**Current Appointment**

Assistant Professor of English, Northeastern University, August 2012-present

**Selected Awards**

American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) [Digital Innovation Fellowship](https://www.acls.org/research/digital.aspx?id=798&linkidentifier=id&itemid=798), for “Global Viral Texts,” 2015-2016

[Andrew W. Mellon Fellow in Critical Bibliography](http://www.rarebookschool.org/fellowships/mellon/) at the Rare Book School, Charlottesville, Virginia, 2013-2016

5th Annual Best Article Prize (2013), ProQuest and the Research Society for American Periodicals, for “‘Taken Possession of’: Hawthorne’s ‘Celestial Railroad’ in the Nineteenth Century Evangelical Canon,” awarded January 2014

**Selected Publications**

“‘Q i-jtb the Raven’: Taking Dirty OCR Seriously,” forthcoming in *Book History* (2017)

“‘Fugitive Verses’: Poetry, Attribution, and Circulation in Nineteenth-Century American Newspapers,” with Abby Mullen, in *American Periodicals* 27.1 (Spring 2017)

“How Not to Teach Digital Humanities,” *Debates in the Digital Humanities 2016*, University of Minnesota Press (April 2016), [also available online](http://dhdebates.gc.cuny.edu/debates/text/87).

“Reprinting, Circulation, and the Network Author in Antebellum Newspapers,” *American Literary History* 27.3 (August 2015), [pre-print available](http://ryancordell.org/research/reprinting-circulation-and-the-network-author-in-antebellum-newspapers/).

**Selected Digital Projects**

[Oceanic Exchanges: Tracing Global Information Networks In Historical Newspaper Repositories, 1840-1914](http://oceanicexchanges.org/) (Lead Investigator) with David Smith *et al* on a six nation [Digging Into Data](https://diggingintodata.org/awards/2016/project/oceanic-exchanges-tracing-global-information-networks-historical-newspaper) project, 2017-2019

[Viral Texts: Mapping Networks of Reprinting in Nineteenth-Century Periodicals](http://viraltexts.org), with David Smith (co-PI), Abby Mullen, Jonathan Fitzgerald, Thanasis Kinais, and Kevin Smith, 2012-present