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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Purdue University, 2018-Present, History

Dissertation Title: *Grove City College v. Bell*: Conservative Education on Trial, and  
 the Legacy of J. Howard Pew

Committee: Yvonne M. Pitts (Chair), Nancy Gabin, Kathryn Cramer Brownell

M.A., Slippery Rock University, 2018, History

B.A., Slippery Rock University, 2016, History

SPECIALIZATION

History of Education, Early American Constitutional and Legal History, American Political History, Nineteenth Century Europe

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Purdue University, 2018-Present

* History 104 Introduction to the Modern World (Online), Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020
* History 387 History of the Space Age, Spring 2019
* History 383 U.S. Constitutional History: 1896 to Present, Spring 2020
* History 351 The Second World War, Spring 2021
* History 371 Society, Culture, and Rock and Roll Fall 2022

Instructor of Record

* History 152 United States since 1877, Spring 2022

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

* Docent, Stone House Center for Public Humanities, 2015
  + Assisted guests by giving tours and answering questions. Helped with experiential learning demonstrations.
* Research Assistant, Slippery Rock University History Department, 2014-2015
  + Conducted research for a digital history project about the local history of Slippery Rock University and Butler County.

MEMBERSHIPS

History Graduate Student Association at Purdue

Phi Alpha Theta (Rho Iota Chapter, Recruitment Chair, 2015-16)

Indiana Association of Historians

CONFERENCES

Purdue HGSA 8th Biennial Graduate Student Conference, “The Land of Ice and Fire: The Enigma of Icelandic Culture in Abortion Practices”, March 2, 2019

Indiana Association of Historians Annual Conference, “We will send out men and women unafraid to make a stand for the right.”: J. Howard Pew’s Politics and Education at Grove City College”, April 4, 2020[[1]](#footnote-1)

Indiana Association of Historians Annual Conference, “We will send out men and women unafraid to make a stand for the right.”: J. Howard Pew’s Politics and Education at Grove City College”, April 9, 2021

American Political History Conference: The Past, Present, and Future of American Democracy, “Experience as Education: The Political Effects of Student Life and Judeo-Christian Education at Grove City College,” June 10-11, 2022, Purdue University.

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND PRIZES

PROMISE Grant, College of Liberal Arts, Purdue University, 2019

DEPARTEMENTAL SERVICE

* History Movie Night, *The Post*, September 30th, 2020.
  + Crafted a brief presentation to provide context for students from within and outside of the History Department about the movie and answered questions they had after observing the film.

INVITED LECTURES

* History on Tap, *Augustus: The Bloody Road to Pax Romana,* November 2nd, 2021
  + Provided a public presentation at a local brewery about a historical topic and answered questions after the event.

PUBLICATIONS

Lindey, Devan, “Title IX on Trial: Philanthropy, Curriculum, and Politics in *Grove City College  
 v. Bell* (1984),” *InnovatED,* January 31st, 2022. ($100 prize)  
 <https://www.purdue.edu/gradschool/professional-development/innovated.php>

Lindey, Devan, “Student Loans: The Origins of a Racket: The road to student loan hell was  
 paved with good intentions,” *Pubic Seminar,* February 18th, 2021,  
 <https://publicseminar.org/essays/student-loans-the-origins-of-a-racket/>

Lindey, Devan, “A New ‘Trump Precedent’ Under the 25th Amendment?,” *History News  
 Network,* January 12th, 2021,<https://historynewsnetwork.org/article/178747>

*Blogposts*

Lindey, Devan. “(Dis)Content in the Heartland: Protest and Peace at Purdue.” *Memoirs and  
 Memories: Tales from Purdue University Archives and Special Collections.* May 20, 2020.  
 http://blogs.lib.purdue.edu/asc/2020/05/20/discontent-in-the-heartland-protest-and-peace-at-  
 purdue-by-devan-lindey/

MISCELLANEOUS

* Purdue Sesquicentennial History Harvest, 2018
  + Digitized several physical sources from the public that donated them. Helped conduct interviews with Purdue alumni.
* 125 Years of Slippery Rock University and Astronomy History, 2014
  + A class video project documenting the history of Slippery Rock University with momentous events in tandem with discoveries in the field of astronomy.
* E-Mentor for Slippery Rock High School, 2020
  + Advised students about routes to pursue who were interested in the field of history.
* Purdue History Graduate Student Association (HGSA) Mentor
  + Helped new students adjust to life in graduate school by answering questions and serving as a guide to them for any questions.
* Abstract Reviewer for Interdisciplinary Symposium in Liberal Arts: Facing the New Normal: Pandemic-Driven Innovations in Graduate Education, 2021
  + Graded student research abstracts for a symposium on Purdue’s campus.

LIST OF REFERENCES

Yvonne Pitts, Associate Professor, [ypitts@purdue.edu](mailto:ypitts@purdue.edu)

Kathryn Cramer Brownell, Associate Professor and Director of Graduate Education, [brownwell@purdue.edu](mailto:brownwell@purdue.edu)

Nancy Gabin, Professor Emeritus, [ngabin@purdue.edu](mailto:ngabin@purdue.edu)

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1. Given the COVID-19 Pandemic this conference was cancelled. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)