# Michael Beyea Reagan

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### **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy, History, June 2017 University of Washington, Seattle Master of Arts, History, May 2009 San Francisco State University Bachelor of Arts, (with highest honors) History, May, 2006 University of California, Berkeley

#### BOOKS

- Intersectional Class Struggle: Theory and Practice, AK Press, 2021
- The Budget is Everything: Race, Class, and Municipal Finance in New York City (in progress)

### ARTICLES

- Book review, "Chibber, V. (2022). Class Matrix: Social Theory after the Cultural Turn. Harvard University Press.," *Journal of Working-Class* Studies 7, no. 2 (December 24, 2022)
- "The CIO Was One of the Most Successful Anti-Racism Movements in U.S. History," *In These Times*, July 2022
- "We Insist: Max Roach in an era of Civil Rights Jazz," The Boston Review, Summer 2021
- "Intersectional Class Struggle: From Shared Oppression to Unified Resistance," Roar Magazine, Aug., 2021
- "A Crisis without Keynes: 1975 New York City Fiscal Crisis Revisited," The Gotham Center for New York City History, Aug. 12, 2021
- "The Labor Cost of Dual Enrollment Programs," *Labor*, Labor and Working Class History Association, March, 2020
- "Electoral Folly," CounterPunch, May 2016
- "Celebrating Fat Man," *Inheriting Hanford*, August 2015
- "Raising Iraqi Voices of Grassroots Resistance," Book Review of "Against All Odds: Voices of Popular Struggle in Iraq," Ali Issa, truthout.org, July 2015
- "The 1937 and 1938 San Francisco Department Store Strikes," *Libcom*, December, 2015

- "Ghost in the Machine: Reflections on the Life and Poetry of Xu Lizhi," in *Ghosts in the Machine*, Pacific Rim Solidarity Network, Summer 2014
- "California's Agricultural Progressives and the State Commission Market Act of 1915" Ex Post Facto Spring, 2009
- "Band of Sisters: Class and Gender in Industrial Lowell 1820-1850" Ex Post Facto Spring, 2008

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Rutgers University, School of Management and Labor Relations

 201 U.S. Labor/Work before the End of Reconstruction; 202 Labor/Work in the United States from 1880 to 1945; 202 U.S. Labor/Work from 1880 to 1945; 192 Special Topics

Princeton University, Department of African American Studies

 AAS 367/HIS 387 African American History since Emancipation; AAS 366/HIS 386 African American History to 1863

University of Washington, Departments of History, Political Science, & English

 POLISCI 249 Introduction to Labor Studies, HIST 490 Histories of American Capitalism, HIST 498 Capitalism and the City, HSTAA 351 American Constitutional History, ENG 198 Interdisciplinary Writing / Social Science, HIST 494 Histories of American Capitalism, HIST 105 Peoples of the United States.

University of Washington, Tacoma, SIAS Department

• THIST 440: Black Labor in America, THIST 322 American Labor Since the Civil War, TSOC 266/TEGL 266 Introduction to Labor Studies, THIST 200 US history to 1877, THIST 201 American History Since 1877, THIST 416: Life and Thought: Martin Luther King, Malcolm X, & Angela Davis

Seattle Central Community College; Green River Community College; South Puget Sound Community College

• Various 100 level history courses

#### DISSERTATION

Capital City: New York in Fiscal Crisis

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

• racial capitalism, urban history, intersectionality, labor history, cultural studies

# HONORS, AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS

- University of Washington Library Research Award for Undergraduates (in advisor position for Celeste Zinmon-Htet), Spring 2021
- University of Washington Library Research Award for Undergraduates (in advisor position for Sophia Carey), Spring 2019
- Jean Gundlach Scholarship in Labor Studies, 2015-2016

- Andy Studebaker Fund Recipient, Fall 2014
- Rondeau Evans Scholarship, Winter 2014
- Harry Bridges Center Research Grant, Fall 2013
- Maclyn P. Burg Graduate Student Scholarship, Fall 2012
- John E. Sawyer Graduate Research Fellow at the University of Washington, Walter Simpson Center for the Humanities, 2011-2012
- Top Scholar Award, University of Washington, 2009 2010
- Miriam C. Bernheim University Scholarship, SFSU, Spring 2008
- Vincent Costantino University Scholarship, SFSU, Spring 2008
- History Department Graduate Fellowship, SFSU, Spring 2007
- Herodotus Fund Recipient, SFSU, Spring 2007
- Highest Honors, UC Berkeley History Graduate, May 2006
- Runner-up Best Thesis of the Year; UC Berkeley May, 2006

# PAPER PRESENTATIONS & INVITED LECTURES

- Intersectional Class Struggle, in conversation with Gabriel Winant and Charmaine Chua, Howard Zinn Bookfair, Dec. 2023
- "Solidarity and Intersectionality," American Studies Association Conference, Nov. 2023
- "Intersectionality and Class Struggle: A Way Forward," Featured Speaker, Great Transition Conference, Montreal, CN, May 2023,
- "The Culture of Austerity and Working Class Women," Labor and Working Class History Association Conference, May 2023
- "Racial Capitalism and Keynesianism in the 1970s," School of Social Work, Rutgers University, 504 Social Welfare Policy History, Professor Angela Malorni, Nov., 2022
- "Intersectional Class Struggle: Theory and Practice," Labor Solidarity Project, UW Tacoma, Nov. 2021,
- "Intersectionality and Class: Julie Greene and Michael Reagan in conversation," AK Press webinar, Sep., 2021
- "Labor Education in Community Organizing" CUNY School of Labor and Urban Studies, LABR 669, Selected Topics in Labor Studies, Marianne Garneau, June 28, 2021
- "Labor and Austerity in the 1975 New York Fiscal Crisis," Labor and Working Class History Association Conference, May 2021
- "Running Start, Dual Enrollment, and Teaching Labor in Higher Ed.," Globalization, Diversity, and Education Conference, Washington State University, Spokane, WA, February 27-28, 2020
- "Teaching Running Start," Northwest Teaching for Social Justice Conference, October 2019
- "New York and the Origins of Austerity," invited by Seattle Democratic Socialists of America, November 16, 2017

- "Race, Labor and Austerity: The New York City Fiscal Crisis," Labor and Working Class History Association Conference, University of Washington, Seattle, June 2017
- "Globalization and Migrant Worker Poetry in China," Bellevue College, May, 2017
- "Working University," Equality Initiative in Political Science, Panel Discussant, University of Washington, February 2017
- "Making Race, Making Capital: EP Thompson and the New Histories of Capitalism," Harry Bridges Center for Labor Studies, Workshare Paper Series, October 2016
- "The War on Poverty Becomes a War on the Poor: New York and the Turn Against Keynesianism," Urban History Association Conference, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois, October 2016
- Double Barreled: Racial Capitalism in the 1975 New York City Fiscal Crisis, Histories of American Capitalism Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, October 2016
- Rethinking the 1975 New York City Fiscal Crisis, University of Washington, History Department Colloquium, May 2016
- The International Origins of the 1975 New York City Fiscal Crisis, American Historical Association, Atlanta Conference, Jan 2016
- Civilization Must Be Paid For: The 1966 New York City Fiscal Crisis, Histories of American Capitalism Conference, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, November 2014
- Disaster City: New York in the 1975 Fiscal Crisis, Scholars Studio, Suzallo-Allen Library, University of Washington, February 2013
- Bay Area Social Justice History Project Web site presentation, http://bss.sfsu.edu/socialjustice/ Graduate History Student Association Paper Symposium, Spring 2009 San Francisco State University
- The Department Store Employees Union Local 1100 and the 1937 and 1938 San Francisco Retail Strikes, Bay Area Labor History Workshop, February 2009
- Band of Sisters: Class and Gender in Industrial Lowell 1820-1850 Graduate
  History Student Association Paper Symposium, Spring 2008 University
  of Missouri
- Band of Sisters: Class and Gender in Industrial Lowell 1820-1850 History Student Association Paper Symposium, Spring 2007 San Francisco State University

### MEDIA APPEARANCES

- "Every Struggle Against Domination is Intersectional with Ashely Bohrer and Michael Reagan," *Cinderblock Podcast*, Jan 2022
- "Michael Reagan on Intersectional Class Struggle," Labor Wave Radio, Dec. 2021

- J. Parampathu, "Intersectional Class Struggle: An Interview with Michael Reagan," *The Industrial Worker*, Oct. 2021
- "Walk and Chew Gum: Intersectional Class Struggle with Michael Reagan," *Last Born Podcast*, Oct. 2021
- "Intersectional Class Struggle with Michael Reagan," Howard Zinn Bookfair podcast with James Tracy, Aug., 2021
- "We Insist!: Early Civil Rights to Black Lives Matter" Revolutions Per Minute Podcast, June 2020

# **DIGITAL HISTORY**

- Project Editor, Waterfront Workers History Project:
- Associate Editor, Seattle Civil Rights and Labor History Project

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Undergraduate honors thesis advisor, Department of Anthropology, Rutgers University, Spring 2024
- Junior thesis advisor, Princeton University, Spring 2024
- Referee for the Journal of Urban History, 2024 present
- Committee Chair, Labor Studies and Employment Relations
  Department, Rutgers University, Committee on Instruction and
  Artificial Intelligence, Oct 2023 present.
- Referee for the Pacific Northwest Quarterly, 2023 present
- Member, Labor and Working Class History Association
- Member, American Studies Association
- Diversity and Equity Committee Board Member, Robinson Center, Spring 2018-2021
- Principal and Program Director, Robinson Center for Young Scholars, Transition School, Jan. 2019 – June 2020
- Researcher and ghostwriter, with various Jan. 2017 2020
- Board Member, Founder, Labor Studies Association, University of Washington, August 2015 – Spring 2017
- Community Organizer, Seattle Solidarity Network, 2010-2015
- Research Assistant, Adam Warren, Spring 2012
- Anchor/Producer, Pacifica Radio News; June, 2006 June, 2009