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EDUCATION

- 2017
(current) Ph.D. Anthropology – Columbia University in the City of New York
Adviser: Dr. Paige West
- 2017 M.A. Anthropology – Columbia University in the City of New York
- 2015 M.A. Ecological Anthropology – University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Adviser: Dr. Peter Brosius
- 2012 Diploma in Extractive Industries, Vigilance and Sustainable Development in Latin America – Pontifical Catholic University of Peru (PUCP)
- 2011 B.A. Anthropology – Pontifical Catholic University of Peru (PUCP) –
Ranked 1st in a class of 29.
Undergraduate thesis: “Small-scale logging and environmental conservation: changes in forest governance at Ampiyacu basin, Peruvian Amazon” (with honors).

MAJOR INTERESTS

Tropical forests, bureaucracies, knowledge infrastructures, digital media, anthropologies of the state, biopolitics, environmental history, labor and capitalism in the margins of the state, knowledge geopolitics, conservation, extractivism, Amazonia, Southeast Asia.

INSTRUCTIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017 **Teaching Assistant – Interpretation of cultures**
Department of Anthropology, Columbia University, USA.
- 2016 **Teaching Assistant – The Origins of Human Society**
Department of Anthropology, Barnard College, USA.
- 2015 **Teaching Assistant – Introduction to Anthropology**
Department of Anthropology, University of Georgia, USA.
- 2014 **Teaching Assistant – Professional Development Seminar**
Department of Anthropology, University of Georgia, USA.

- 2014 **Instructor –The Peruvian State and Indigenous Peoples throughout History**
Diploma in Amazonian Indigenous Governance, Indigenous Federation of the Ene River.
- 2013 **Instructor – Introduction to Anthropology**
Department of Social Sciences, National University of San Marcos, Peru.
- 2013 **Instructor – Introduction to Anthropology**
Department of Social Sciences, Pontifical Catholic University of Peru.
- 2012 - 2013 **Instructor – Introduction to qualitative research methodologies**
Department of Education, Pontifical Catholic University of Peru.
- 2012 **Instructor – Ethnicity, identity and Nation**
Department of Social Sciences, Pontifical Catholic University of Peru.
- 2012 **Teaching Assistant – Methods in Anthropology**
Department of Social Sciences, Pontifical Catholic University of Peru.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2012 - 2013 **Social consultant – Technical advisory on issues of conservation and development in Peruvian Amazonia.**
CARE Peru – Manu Purus Conservation Program.
- 2012 - 2013 **Social consultant – Elaboration of legal strategies for enforcing isolated indigenous peoples’ rights in Peruvian Amazonia**
National Agency for Natural Protected Areas, Peruvian Government.
- 2011 **Social consultant – Development of legal frameworks for dealing with harmful external incursions on isolated indigenous peoples’ lands.**
Frankfurt Zoological Society – ACBT Program.
- 2011 **Official in charge of the Madre de Dios Territorial Reserve Protection Area**
Ministry of Culture, Peruvian Government.
- 2009 **Research assistant – Maria Luisa Burneo**
Peruvian Center for Social Studies. Land Coalition Research Grant.

PUBLICATIONS

Book chapters

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2012 Extracción maderera y conservación ambiental: lógicas de gobierno y cuidado de la naturaleza en la cuenca del Ampiyacu [*Small-scale logging and environmental conservation: changes in forest governance at Ampiyacu basin, Peruvian Amazon*]. In Perú: El problema agrario en debate - SEPIA XVI. Lima: Seminario Permanente de Investigación Agraria. 529-551 pp.

Articles

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2015 State evocations, affect and indigenous organizations in contemporary Peruvian Amazonia. In *Development: Journal of the Society for International Development (SID)*, 58 (1), 21-30 pp.

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2014 Industria maderera y redes de poder regional en Loreto [*Logging industry and regional power networks in Loreto, Peruvian Amazonia*]. In *Revista Argumentos*, Year 8, N° 3. Available in: http://revistargumentos.org.pe/industria_maderera_loreto.html

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2011 La consulta previa más allá de lo étnico [*The previous consultation beyond the ethnic factor*]. In *Revista Intercambio* N° 17. Lima. 17-19 pp.

Cussianovich, Alexandra & **Eduardo Romero Dianderas**

2010 Minería en Hualgayoc: entre la necesidad y la desconfianza [*Mining in Hualgayoc: between necessity and mistrust*]. In *Revista Anthropia* N° 7. Lima. 14–23 pp.

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2009 Reflexiones en torno al gobierno comunal y la minería: el caso de Michiquillay [*Reflections on communal government and mining: the case of Michiquillay*]. In *Noticias Ser Revista Electrónica*. Available in: <http://noticiasser.pe/09/09/2009/nacional/reflexiones-en-torno-al-gobierno-comunal-y-la-mineria-el-caso-de-michiquillay>, accessed September 26, 2013.

Opinion Columns

Romero Dianderas, Eduardo

2014 Después de Edwin Chota [*After Edwin Chota*]. In *PuntoEdu* N° 322. Lima. Available in <http://es.scribd.com/fullscreen/240569023>.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 “Rendering trees accountable: the technopolitics of forest governance in Peruvian Amazonia”. In: **New Visions in Old Peripheries: Global Technopolitics, local frictions and emerging territorial projects, Latin American Studies Association Conference**. Lima, Peru. April 28th-May 2nd.
- 2015 “Questioning alternative governmental projects in the margins of the State: State evocations, affect and indigenous organizations in contemporary Peruvian Amazonia”. In **Affective Ecologies Sessions, Association of American Geographers**. Chicago, USA. April 21th-25th
- 2014 “Questioning forest government in the margins of the State: indigenous organizations and alternative governmental projects in contemporary Peruvian Amazonia”. In **12th Development Dialogue 2014: Rethinking Democracy**. The Hague, Netherlands. October 16th.
- 2014 “Mano de obra indígena, etnicidad y capitalismo extractivo en los márgenes del Estado: el caso de las redes de extracción maderera en la Amazonía Peruana [*Indigenous labor, ethnicity and extractive capitalism in the margins of the State: the case of timber industry networks in Peruvian Amazonia*]”. In **Third Biennial Inter-American Studies Conference: De/Colonization in the Americas: Continuity and Change**. Lima, Peru. August 6th.
- 2011 “Extracción maderera y conservación ambiental: lógicas de gobierno y cuidado de la naturaleza en la cuenca del Ampiyacu [*Small-scale logging and environmental conservation: changes in forest governance at Ampiyacu basin, Peruvian Amazon*]”. In **XIV Biennial Meeting of the Permanent Seminar of Agrarian Research**. Piura, Peru. August 25th.

GRANTS

- 2017 ILAS Summer Travel Grants. *Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University, New York City*
- 2017 Halperin Memorial Award, *Society for Economic Anthropology (AAA)* ,
- 2016 ILAS Summer Travel Grants. *Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University, New York City*
- 2014 President’s Venture Fund. *UGA President’s Office. University of Georgia, Athens.*
- 2014 Tinker Foundation Field Research Grant. *Latin American and Caribbean Studies Institute. University of Georgia, Athens.*
- 2014 Janis Faith Steingruber Student Travel Award. *Department of Anthropology. University of Georgia, Athens.*

- 2011 Grant Program for New Researchers. *Permanent Seminar in Agrarian Research (SEPIA)*.
- 2009 Grant Program for New Researchers in Conservation and Development. *Peruvian Society of Environmental Law (SPDA)*.

AWARDS

- 2016 Robert M. Netting Student Paper Prize. *Culture and Agriculture Section of the American Anthropological Association*
- 2013 Scholar of Excellence Award. *The Graduate School, University of Georgia, Athens*.
- 2011 Best Anthropology Undergraduate Thesis. *Social Sciences Department, Pontifical Catholic University of Peru (PUCP)*.
- 2011 “François Bourricaud” Social Science Award. *French Embassy in Peru*.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

- 2017-2018 Anthropology representative to the ISERP Interdisciplinary Graduate Seminar Series Organizing Committee. *Institute for Social and Economic Research and Policy, Columbia University*
- 2016-present Rapporteur of the Ecology and Culture Seminar. *Columbia University Seminars*.
- 2016-2017 Member of the organizing committee of the Fields in Translation Seminar. *Department of Anthropology, Columbia University*.
- 2015-2017 Member of the organizing committee of the South Seminar. *Department of Anthropology, Columbia University*
- 2016-2017 Representative at the Anthropology Graduate Student Association. *Department of Anthropology, Columbia University*

LANGUAGES

Spanish (Native)
 English (Fluent)
 French (Intermediate)
 Cusquenian Quechua (Intermediate)
 Portuguese (Basic)