

FACULTY PROFILE

Name

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Rank

Assistant Professor 1

Educational Background (Degree, Institution)

Master of Arts in History
Ateneo de Manila University
2017

Bachelor of Arts in History, minor in Hispanic Studies
Ateneo de Manila University
2010
Cum Laude

Exchange program, Facultad de Geografia e Historia, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain,
Spring Semester 2009

Fields of Interest

Colonial History; Political History; and Marriage Studies

Awards and Honors

Award Research Grant, Ryoichi Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund, Tokyo Foundation, 2017

Travel Grant, Office of the Vice President of the Loyola Schools, Ateneo de Manila University, 2017

Travel Grant, Dean's Office, School of Social Sciences, Ateneo de Manila University, 2013

Travel Grant, Philippine Social Sciences Council, 2013

Research Grant, Spanish Program for Cultural Cooperation, Spanish Ministry of Culture and Sport, 2011–2010s and Honors

Select Publications

[2021. Producing “Idolatry”: Indigenous knowledge production via colonial investigations into animism, Luzon, 1679–1687. In *Philippiniana Sacra* 61(167).

2020. *Ambos difuntos*: Demographic constraints on parental authority over marriage, San Pablo, Laguna 1853–1854. In *The Journal of History* 66: 90–113.

2019. Did municipal elites intermarry? A case study of marriage practices among the political elites of San Pablo, Laguna, 1853–1854. In *Philippine Studies: Historical and Ethnographic Viewpoints* 67(2): 151–80.

2018. John Taylor’s Philippine insurrection against the United States: A preliminary digital interrogation of the archivist. In *Philippine Social Sciences Review* 70(1): 52–74.

2017. co-authored with Filomeno V. Aguilar Jr. Horacio de la Costa, foreign missionaries, and the quest for Filipinization: The church in the age of decolonization. In *Philippine Studies: Historical and Ethnographic Viewpoints* 65(3): 267–314.