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### CURRENT RESEARCH

Examining the historical relationships between alternative and orthodox medicine in America since the late nineteenth century, with emphasis on defining boundaries between therapeutic practices. Related interests include environmental studies, advertising and consumerism, technological innovation, and religious studies.

### EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA, Ph.D. in History of Science, Technology and Medicine, August 2007. Dissertation: "The Boundaries of Medicine: Redefining Therapeutic Orthodoxy in an Age of Reform," supervised by Dr. Michael Osborne.

CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY, San Luis Obispo, B.A. in History, summa cum laude, June 1997. B.A. Thesis: "Towards a New Paradigm: The Conventional and Alternative Medicine Debate," supervised by Dr. George Cotkin.

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, University of Wisconsin-Madison History 504, Society and Health Care in American History, Fall 2007 History 668, Alternative Medicine in America, Fall-Spring 2007-2008 History 668, Medical Technology, Spring 2008	2007-Present
TEACHING ASSOCIATE, University of California Santa Barbara History 110PP, Alternative Health and Medicine in Modern America, Fall 2006	2006
LECTURER, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo History 322, Modern America, Winter-Spring 2004, Fall 2005-Fall 2006 History 440, History of Health and Medicine in the United States, Spring 2006	2004-2006
TEACHING ASSISTANT, University of California Santa Barbara. United States History 17A (c1500-1820), Fall 2003 United States History 17B (c1820-1920), Winter 2002, Spring 2004 United States History 17C (c1920-2000), Fall 1999, Spring 2000-2002 Western Civilization 4A (c3500-900), Winter 2001 Western Civilization 4B (c3500-900), Winter 2000 Western Civilization 4C (1789-Present), Fall 2001 Environmental Studies 1, Fall 2002 Environmental Studies 2, Summer 2001, Winter 2003 Environmental Studies 3, Spring 2003	1999-2004
TEACHING ASSISTANT, University of California in Washington D.C. Program Interdisciplinary Studies 199, Summer 2003-2005, Fall 2003	2003-2005